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Re-opening schools for Foundation Phase children,

The Isle of Anglesey County Council has been looking at coronavirus data on Anglesey. The situation remains serious on the island. Following discussions with Anglesey head teachers, it has been decided that Foundation Phase children (nursery – B12) will start back to schools on a phased return basis, from Thursday, February 25th 2021. This is because the number of cases in Anglesey remains high. Therefore, the children of Nursery and Reception classes (Y Nyth, Y Winllan a'r Fenai) will start back on Thursday, February 25th, with Year 1 and 2 (Porth Wen, Y Felin, Llanddwyn and Borth) returning on Monday, March 1st. Nursery and Reception teachers will continue to provide distance learning between 22/02/2021 and 24/02/2021 and Year 1 and 2 teachers will continue to provide distance learning between 22/02/21 and 26/02/21, as has been the case during this half term. Live streaming sessions will also continue this week.

The start and end of day time of school will remain the same as they were last term. Your child will therefore attend school either between:

8.45am – 2.45pm OR 9.00am – 3.00pm OR 9.15am – 3.15pm OR 9.30am – 3.30pm

The teacher will remind you of the times for your child. The nursery children will continue to come to school during their normal hours of 9-11am or 1-3pm.

We do not currently know whether schools will provide the morning childcare/breakfast club or not. We are awaiting further guidance. The school won't be providing lunch for the children at present, and so your child will need a packed lunch.

We will follow the same arrangements as existed last term for the release of children at the end of the day, with everyone leaving through the yard gate.

The school will continue to provide a care hub for the children of key workers and vulnerable children. However, although schools are starting to re-open, Wales remains in lockdown, and the Welsh Government's guidance is for everyone to STAY AT HOME. Everyone who can work from home should do so. Only parents who **do not have another option** should send their children to the care hub. In this way, there is hope that levels of the virus will come under control, and we can reopen the school to KS2 children.

We therefore ask you to adhere to the Welsh Government's guidance – namely

- maintain social distancing when fetching and delivering your children
- avoid standing and chatting with other parents
- wear a mask on the school grounds when bringing your child to school and then fetching them at the end of the day

Regards,
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