

Friday 21st June 2019

### Reminders

- Important dates: Sports Day 3rd July, Achievement Assembly 12th July and INSET day 22nd July.
- Please return all shields next week so we have sufficient time to engrave them for this year's winners!
- Y6 tradition starts next week - details have gone home.
- Please be aware of the deadline for responses for the Friday 'out of school hours' activities which is on Friday 28th June.

### Welsh open morning

Y Cyngor Cymraeg (The Welsh Council) were sharing our Welsh provision with pride this morning. Over thirty colleagues from all over Wales came to school to view Welsh activities, talk to our learners and find out what we have done to promote our language in St Francis. As always, the visitors commented on how polite our pupils are and they were very impressed with the leadership roles the children have at our school. Diolch hefyd/thank you also to all the staff who instil that sense of pride in our learners and foster love of our language by making activities enjoyable.

### Eco Party Pack

By using the box of reusable items, you will show dedication to making a difference to the children's future and our community. If you would like to use the items please contact the office and make a small donation to the school.

The eco pack includes the following:

2 jugs  
6 big plates  
36 bowls  
36 plates  
36 cups  
36 knives, forks and spoons.

Please contact the office if you have a party coming up and would like to hire the party pack.

### Visitors

Thank you to Lee from the Haverfordwest fire department for coming in this week to talk to Dosbarth Caldey about the dangers of matches. The pupils enjoyed the story and could remember the rhyme and the three key words "don't touch, tell".

As you can see this week's attendance is well below our target of 95%. The Attendance Ambassadors have asked for your support with this matter. Each week recently there is only one class above 95%. Da iawn to Dosbarth Skomer who won this week.

### Attendance

Dosbarth Seren y Môr	93.66%
Dosbarth Dolffin	89.60%
Dosbarth Caldey	92.08%
Dosbarth Skomer	97.50%
Dosbarth Ramsey	93.92%
Whole School Total	93.34%



### Parish Links

Mass will be celebrated on Thursday 27th June at 9:30am in the Parish church.

The Year Six Leavers' Mass will be celebrated on Thursday 18th July which will be followed by the Leavers' Assembly.

### Friends



Thank you to the friends for supporting the eco-warriors by purchasing the reusable tableware for the eco party pack. The Friends have agreed that any funds raised by hiring out the pack can go towards school equipment/activities.

Ice lollies will be sold by the friends every Friday after school for 50p each







The school Twitter handle is:

[@St\\_FrancisPembs](https://twitter.com/St_FrancisPembs)

To find out what's happening in each class please follow:

[@DosbarthSerenYM](https://twitter.com/DosbarthSerenYM)

[@DosbarthDolffin](https://twitter.com/DosbarthDolffin)

[@DosbarthCaldey](https://twitter.com/DosbarthCaldey)

[@DosbarthSkomer](https://twitter.com/DosbarthSkomer)

[@Dosbarth\\_Ramsey](https://twitter.com/Dosbarth_Ramsey)

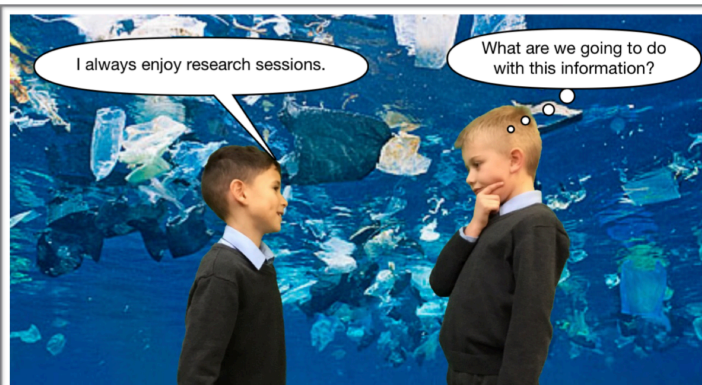
The Friends' Twitter handle is:

[@friendsofstfran](https://twitter.com/friendsofstfran)



Dosbarth Skomer have been exploring what it means to be 'Ambitious and Capable Learners'. They decided upon and created the images to match the statements. To find out up to date information about the new curriculum for Wales please find information on the website. Next week - Dosbarth Caldey!

*I found out about different things, and think carefully about how to use the information.*



*Undertake research and evaluate critically what they find.*

### Tweet of the week!



St Francis Milford  
[@st\\_francispembs](https://twitter.com/st_francispembs)

Are you concerned about the cost and amount of plastic waste at birthday parties? Parents can hire our 'Eco Party Pack' of reusable tableware in exchange for a donation to support the [@friendsofstfran](https://twitter.com/friendsofstfran) Learning affecting change in our community [#Balch](https://twitter.com/Balch) [#Proud](https://twitter.com/Proud)



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