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GwE Bulletin

Wales' Radical New Curriculum Reaches Legal Milestone ★NEW★

The biggest shake-up of Wales' curriculum since the 1980s will take another step forward today as the Welsh Government consults on transformative new legislation.

[Click here](#) for further details.

Shirley Clarke: Conference for Headteachers

FRIDAY, 29 MARCH 2019 – 8:50AM-4:00PM – VENUE CYMRU, LLANDUDNO

An opportunity for all Headteachers in the region to receive information directly from Shirley Clarke about research and developments in the Formative Assessment area.

[REGISTER THROUGH G6](#)

Suspicious E-mails – GwE Bulletin ★NEW★

We are aware of e-mail messages that imitate and contain "GwE Bulletin" in the subject line that are circulating and have informed the Suspicious Email Department at Gwynedd Council of this campaign.

If you receive a suspicious email, please delete the message from your inbox, deleted items and your sent items before notifying your IT Department. In the unfortunate event that you click a link or attachment that you suspect is a virus, please notify your IT Department immediately.

We wish to remind you that the genuine Bulletin from GwE is sent every Tuesday from bwletin@gwegogledd.cymru [BwletinGwEGwynedd@gwegogledd.cymru] and this e-mail address only.

Changes to Target Setting Requirement on Schools ★NEW★

The Welsh Government wishes to hear your views on proposed changes to the statutory target setting requirements on schools in Wales.

[Click here](#) to see how you can respond.

GwE Opportunities

Core Lead – PRIMARY [Full Time] ★NEW★

JOB ADVERT – Core Lead [Primary]

JOB DESCRIPTION – Core Lead [Primary]

For an informal discussion about the post, please contact Marc Berw Hughes, Primary School Regional Lead on 07969 324329 / 0300 500 8087 or email marcberwhughes@gwegogledd.cymru

For further details and an application form, please go to www.gwynedd.llyw.cymru or contact 01286 679076.

CLOSING DATE: 10:00AM, THURSDAY, 14 FEBRUARY 2019

Secondment Opportunities: Primary Team ★NEW★

SECONDMENT ADVERT – Primary Team

JOB DESCRIPTION – Primary Team Secondments

For an informal discussion about the post, please contact Marc Berw Hughes, Primary School Regional Lead on 07969 324329 / 0300 500 8087 or email marcberwhughes@gwegogledd.cymru

APPLICATION LETTERS INCLUDING YOUR CV ARE INVITED BY 10:00AM, TUESDAY, 12 FEBRUARY 2019 TO anwengwilym@gwegogledd.cymru

Core Lead – Secondary [2 Posts]:

GwE is looking to appoint 2 Core Leads – Secondary [to start on 1 September 2019].

Core Lead – Secondary – WELSH ESSENTIAL

THE ABILITY TO COMMUNICATE FLUENTLY IN WELSH IS ESSENTIAL FOR THIS POST.

JOB ADVERT – Core Lead- SECONDARY- WELSH ESSENTIAL

JOB DESCRIPTION – Core Lead- SECONDARY- WELSH ESSENTIAL

For an informal discussion about the post, please contact Elyn V. Jones, Senior Secondary Lead on 07557 759240 / 0300 500 8087 or e-mail elfynjones@gwegogledd.cymru

For further details and an application form, please [click here](#) or contact 01286 679076.

CLOSING DATE: 10:00AM, THURSDAY, 31 JANUARY 2019

Core Lead – Secondary

JOB ADVERT – Core Lead- SECONDARY

JOB DESCRIPTION – Core Lead- SECONDARY

For an informal discussion about the post, please contact Elfyn V. Jones, Senior Secondary Lead on 07557 759240 / 0300 500 8087 or e-mail elfynjones@gwegogledd.cymru

For further details and an application form, please [click here](#) or contact 01286 679076.

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Important Information Relating to the National Tests / Personalised Assessments 2019

Please find [here](#) important information relating to the arrangements for the Personalised Assessments and National Tests 2019.

Webinars on Personalised Assessments

Book your webinar session on personalised assessments, including administering and making the best use of learner feedback and reports. Places are limited and are booked on a first come, first served basis.

GwE Offer on G6

As you know, the GwE Offer, which includes all the details of the professional development training that GwE offers over the next year, is now live on G6 (<https://g6.gwegogledd.cymru>).

To register to attend the training listed, all school staff will need to create a personal account on the G6.

This can be done by following [this link](#) and clicking on the 'Register Now' button. Please see the manuals [here](#).

TRAINING	DATE	VENUE
Digital Competence in FPh [Eng - Mold]	31/01/2019	Linden House, Mold
FEBRUARY		
1U Induction NQTs [St Asaph]	05/02/2019	OpTIC, St Asaph
Middle Leadership - Pathway 1 & 2: Improving leadership skills /Developing effective leaders [SECONDARY] [SECONDARY] - THE ORIEL HOTEL	06/02/2019	The Oriel Hotel, St Asaph
1U Induction NQTs [Mold]	07/02/2019	GwE, Linden House, Mold
1U Induction NQTs [Plas Menai]	08/02/2019	Plas Menai, Caernarfon
NRICH: Is the development of Numerical Reasoning a school priority?	12/02/2019	Tŷ Menai, Bangor
	13/02/2019	Village Hotel [St Davids], Ewloe
National Annual Conference for HLTAs [Llandudno]	22/02/2019	Venue Cymru, Llandudno
MARCH		
NRICH: Is the development of Numerical Reasoning a school priority?	05/03/2019	Venue Cymru, Llandudno
Science – Engaging Learners [Secondary – Bilingual – Llandudno]	26/03/2019	Venue Cymru, Llandudno

GwE Development Programmes

Primary Numeracy and Literacy Network Meetings ★NEW★

This Literacy/Numeracy Network half day meeting is designed to bring together Leaders of Literacy/Numeracy in an informal meeting to share, discuss and explore the latest thinking in the development of literacy and numeracy in our primary schools. Gareth Coombes will be leading the session on Assessment for Learning through the medium of English, however, all resources will be available in Welsh.

[Click here](#) for the list of dates and venues.

Foundation Phase Workshop

W/C 11/02/2019 – VARIOUS LOCATIONS

Developing key skills [Literacy, Numeracy and ICT/DCF] through Knowledge and Understanding of the World. Two half day workshops for teachers and half a day for TAs.

[REGISTER THROUGH G6.](#)

English A Level Language Network Meeting ★NEW★

THURSDAY, 31 JANUARY 2019 – 1:00PM-3:30PM – YSGOL FRIARS

Contact annalloydwilliams@gwegogledd.cymru for further information.

English A Level Literacy Network Meeting ★NEW★

FRIDAY, 1 FEBRUARY 2019 – 1:00PM-3:30PM – YSGOL BRYNREFAIL

Contact annalloydwilliams@gwegogledd.cymru for further information.

Voice 21 Literacy Training ★NEW★

WEDNESDAY, 6 FEBRUARY 2019 – 9:15AM -3:30PM – CONWY BUSINESS CENTRE

The second day of the Voice 21 Training [open to all previous attendees only] will be held on the 6 February 2019 at the Conwy Business Centre from 9:15am – 3:30pm.

Contact annalloydwilliams@gwegogledd.cymru for further information.

Sixth Form Leadership Conference

TUESDAY, 15 FEBRUARY 2019 – GLASDIR, LLANRWST

GwE will be holding its 2nd Annual Conference aimed at Sixth Form Leaders and Assistant Heads of Sixth. The theme will be Wellbeing.

For further information, please follow [this link](#).

PLEASE BOOK YOUR PLACE [HERE](#). BOOKING CLOSING DATE: 07/02/2019

Summer Term Conference for Secondary Headteachers and SLT

★NEW★

THURSDAY, 11 JULY 2019 – THE KINMEL, ABERGELE

Theme: Lessons Learned in Leadership – Resilience in Time of Change

Key Note Speaker: Stephen Tierney [@LeadingLearnerLtd] and author of Liminal Leadership



Conferences and Opportunities by Others

Please find below details of opportunities that you may find useful for your school. Please note that GwE does not necessarily endorse or quality assure the opportunities below. For any queries, please contact the organisations directly:

Welsh in a Year ★NEW★

A course for English Medium Primary Teachers who wish to improve their fluency and grammatical accuracy in Welsh and increase their confidence in Welsh in general, and whilst teaching and learning.

[Click here](#) for further information.

Mantle of the Expert Study Day ★NEW★

THURSDAY, 7 MARCH 2019 – PRIORY CHURCH IN WALES SCHOOL, BRECON

[Click here](#) for further information.

Embracing Change in Secondary Schools ★★★★★ NEW DATE ★★★★★

TUESDAY, 19 MARCH 2019 – FLINT HIGH SCHOOL, FLINT

Secondary Pioneer School sharing their journey so far in preparation for the New Curriculum. Opportunities to hear practical ideas from colleagues involved in the process.

[Click here](#) for further information.

To book your place email Jason Newham at: jason.newham@flint.flintshire.sch.uk by Friday, 22 February 2019.

Events by Edau

Welsh Creative Writing Course

A course for secondary teachers with Manon Steffan Ros. Courses to be held in the Bangor and Dolgellau area on 8 and 14 February.

Full details available [here](#).

English Writing Course

A course with Manon Steffan Ros to be held in Llanrwst on 13 February 2019. Venue to be confirmed.

Full details available [here](#).



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Miscellaneous Information and Surveys

Written Statement: Launch of the Public Consultation on the Draft Additional Learning Needs Code

The consultation on the draft ALN Code and proposed regulations is live.

For further information, click [here](#). Have your say [here](#).

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