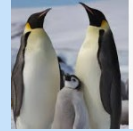
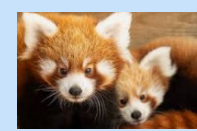




# Mighty Metals



This term, Year 3 will explore the topic of Mighty Metals, learning about how metals are used in everyday life. Through hands-on investigations and creative activities, pupils will discover where metals come from, the properties of materials and how they can be used in real-life situations.

**Language and Communication**  
**Llythrennedd a Chyfathrebu**

This term in Language and Communication, children will develop their reading and writing skills through activities linked to our Mighty Metals topic. They will explore non-fiction texts to find information, develop comprehension skills and explain their ideas clearly. Pupils will also take part in speaking and listening activities, including presenting their work.

**Maths and Numeracy**  
**Mathemateg a Rhif**

Length and perimeter— measuring, comparing and converting.  
Fractions – Understanding numerators and denominators.  
Problem solving – Linked to real -life contexts- Mass and capacity.  
Time – tell the time to the nearest minute.  
Shape – 2D and 3D shapes and angles.  
Money – adding and subtracting amounts.

**Health and Wellbeing**  
**Iechyd a Lles**

During this half term, children will:

- Develop kindness, empathy and respect for others.
- Learn about friendships, relationships and forgiveness.
- Build confidence and resilience in recognising and talking about feelings.
- Understand how to keep themselves safe, including online safety.
- Learn to make responsible choices and identify trusted adults.

**Y3 P.E – Hockey and Rounders**

- Develop control, passing and movement skills in hockey.
- Learn basic batting, throwing and fielding skills in rounders.
- Improve coordination, balance and teamwork.

Children will also:

- Work collaboratively and make simple decisions in games.
- Understand the importance of physical activity for a healthy lifestyle.

**Religious Education**  
**Addysg Grefyddol**

- Children will explore stories from the Bible about what happened after Jesus’ Resurrection, including the Road to Emmaus and the mission of the disciples.
- Learn how these events are connected to the Mass and why the Eucharist is important to Catholics.
- Children will develop their understanding of the early Church, including the role of the apostles, St Paul and Mary.
- They will explore the meaning of the Holy Trinity and how Christians express their faith through prayer and worship.
- Children will be encouraged to reflect on how they can live out these teachings in their own lives.

**Thematic Work**  
**Gwaith Thematig**

This term, children will be learning about metals and their uses.

Through investigations and practical activities, pupils will explore the properties of metals and how they can be changed and used for different purposes. They will design, build and evaluate their own structures. Children will also explore how metals are used in real life, including a visit to the copper mines in Llandudno.

**What can you do to help me at home?**

- Practise telling the time on analogue clocks at first – recognising o’clock, quarter past, half past and quarter to.
- Read with me and discuss what we have read.
- Use money to pay for things in the shop – add amounts of money together and work out change.
- Go to the local library and find out some facts about metals.
- Practise my weekly spellings.



**Important Dates**

11<sup>th</sup> May – Uniform swap shop  
 \*12<sup>th</sup> May – Red Pandas parent assembly  
 \*19<sup>th</sup> May – Penguins parent assembly  
 (change to dates on key dates letter)  
 22<sup>nd</sup> May (am) – Year 3&4 Sports’ Day  
 7<sup>th</sup> July – Move Up Day  
 16<sup>th</sup> July – Outdoor Summer disco





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