



Our theme for this month during January will be WINTER.

The children and I have been discussing what they would like to learn:

<p><u>Languages, Literacy and Communications</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">*Tric a Chlic activities (reading and writing)*Re-arrange St Dwynwen's story*Predicting story endings (Pengwin ar ei wyliau)*Write a list of clothing to take on holidays to a cold country*Write instructions on how to make a hot chocolate (Siwan yn Sglefrio)	<p><u>Humanities</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">*Sort and compare animals that live in the Arctic and in Wales.*Compare snow sledges "then and now" (and build a sledge themselves)	<p><u>Mathematics and Numeracy</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">*Recognise and write numbers from 0 - 10*Count to 20.*Symmetry (snowflakes and St Dwynwen's hearts)*Pattern x3 – make a necklace for Poli Pump.*Describe hot and cold temperatures.* Rhifo Rhagorol Numeracy Plan.
<p><u>Science and Technology</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">*Beebot coding around the Arctic*Ice experiment to freeze Maelon (St Dwynwen)- discover the quickest way to melt the ice* What to wear during the Winter* Winter Weather*What happens to animals during the Winter? (garden birds and Robin Goch yn chwilio am dy)*Use a green screen to model the Winter clothing in our shop.	<p><u>Expressive Arts</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">*Create a large collage of snowflakes out of loose parts (cold colours)*Learn a variety of Winter themed songs* Create a hanging art piece out of ice and objects found in the garden*Listen to Four Seasons – the Winter (Vivaldi) : respond, create movements and choose instruments to keep the beat and perform.	<p><u>Health and Wellbeing</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">*Discuss the importance of perseverance (Siwan yn Sglefrio)*Make bird food (looking after others)*Play a game around the table (Save the Polar Bear) to learn how to take turns*Run around the track daily.*Create and follow rules for the classroom.*Recognise dangers during Winter time.* Create a game with a partner that involves snowballs to increase fitness levels.

....and much, much more!

From February 7th until the middle of April, we will be learning about THE FARM

(+ Pancake Day, Wales Week, Mother's Day and Easter)

**The children and I haven't discussed yet what we'll be learning about the farm,
- more to follow...**

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