Curriculum Booklet Year 9
Subject: Welsh Second Language

During year nine pupils study a variety of topics including: -

"Technoleg/Technology", "Helpu Eraill/Gwirfoddoli, Helping others/volunteering",

"Yr Amgylchedd/The Environment", and "Heriau'r Ifanc/ Young people's challenges". Pupils

complete levelled assessments in order to practise the three main skills in Welsh which are Reading,

Writing and Oracy (see table below).

Year 9 Assessment Schedule

Term	Assessments.
Christmas Term.	Theme – Technoleg/Technology Oracy: - Discussion on the video clip – "mobile phones" Reading :- Reading aloud – Assessment on the poem "Tafodau Symudol." Theme :- Helpu Eraill/Gwirfoddoli, Helping others/volunteering. Oracy: - Discussion on the video clip – "Plant mewn angen/Children in need" Reading and Writing: Internal examinations.
Easter Term.	Theme – Yr Amgylchedd/The Environment. Oracy:- A pair/group discussion discussing the environment. Writing: - A report discussing the rubbish in school. Theme – Heriau'r Ifanc/ Young people's challenges. Reading: - Comprehension tasks. Writing: - A speech to the head teacher discussing school rules.
Easter Term.	Opinion based work. Oracy :- Group discussions on a variety of clips provided.

Skills

During each lesson, pupils in year nine will have the opportunity to develop an understanding of a variety of skills such as oracy, reading and writing. Use of ICT is integrated into the lessons to develop and enhance vocabulary. Pupils will learn to write in a variety of forms. Pupils will develop their thinking and literacy skills as well as working with others.

Extra- Curricular Activites.

Pupils in year nine celebrate "Diwrnod Shwmae" within the department and also "Clwb Cymraeg" which runs on a weekly basis. Pupils have the opportunity to participate in Urdd activities as well as the School Eisteddfod and St David's day activities.

Useful Websites.

www.learnwelsh.net   www.learnwelsh.cymru   www.bbc.co.uk/wales/learning/learnwelsh
www.duolingo.com   www.bbc.co.uk/cymru/ieithgi