

*Nod CCYD yw galluogi ein cymuned i gydweithio a chryfhau ac adlewyrchu
fel unigolion gyda'r hunanhyder i wynebu pob her.*

*CCYD aspires to empower our community to be collaborative, resilient and reflective
individuals who have the self-confidence to embrace challenge.*

8th May 2025

Dear Parents/Carers,

It is with great sadness that I inform you of the death of Sally Peatey, one of our longest serving members of staff. Miss Peatey joined Ynysawdre in 1996, in the English Department. Anyone who was taught by Miss Peatey or who was under her pastoral care will remember her for her unwavering patience, kindness and integrity. She loved working at CCYD and she strove to provide our learners with a love of Literature. She always believed in our learners' potential to achieve their very best and she supported them with empathy, enthusiasm and care. We will be forever grateful for her service to our school community.

There will be many parents out there who were also taught by Miss Peatey whilst at Ynysawdre. We have met with learners who were in Miss Peatey's form class and English classes throughout the day. They have been offered quiet spaces and counselling if needed. We also appreciate the fact that examinations have begun and it is a difficult time. We know that you will want to discuss this news with your child to support them and this is why I am writing to you so that you can support them when they return home from school today.

We will continue to offer support at school and please do not hesitate to contact us via the pastoral team if you feel your child needs extra support. If your child wishes to have support outside of school, Cruse Cymru offers a free service and information about this can be found at www.cruse.org.uk.

On behalf of our entire school community, we extend our heartfelt condolences to Miss Peatey's family and friends. We are grateful for the time we had with such a remarkable friend and colleague who dedicated her life to teaching.

Yours sincerely,



Mrs T Wellington
Headteacher