



15 February, 2019

Dear Parent / Guardian,

The purpose of this letter is to share information and to provide further clarification on the consultation process that began in November 2018 and which affects only the Foundation Phase here at Ysgol Bro Pedr.

As you know, Ysgol Bro Pedr's Governing Body took a unanimous decision to undergo a public consultation process to develop the language medium of the Foundation Phase (Nursery - Year 2 pupils). The recommendation is to change the language medium of the teaching and learning in the Foundation Phase to Welsh. The statutory consultation period took place between 6 November and 18 December 2018. A report on the consultation, a summary of matters raised and the responses received are available on Ceredigion County Council's website.

The next stage in the process is the publication of the 'Statutory Notice' which took place on 4 February 2019 and will continue until 3 March 2019.

The proposal's main aim is to build on the school's linguistic progression. The Welsh medium progression is relevant only to those pupils who will be in the nursery class in September 2019 and who will therefore be Year 1 pupils in September 2021 and Year 2 pupils in September 2022. It will not affect those pupils currently in Years 1 and 2 nor those presently in the Nursery and Reception class. Neither will it affect any other of the school's key stages. This is a language medium development which is only relevant to the Foundation Phase.

Should you wish to obtain further information or to respond to the 'Statutory Notice' please contact the Corporate Lead Officer - Schools, Cyngor Sir Ceredigion County Council, Schools Service, 2nd Floor, Canolfan Rheidol, Rhodfa Padarn, Aberystwyth, Ceredigion SY23 3UE or via school.reviews@ceredigion.gov.uk.

I hope the information provided above on this important process is useful to you as parents.

Thank you.

Yours Faithfully,

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(Headteacher)

Councillor Ivor Williams
(Chair of Governors)