Individual School Estyn Reports 2023/2024 (Between 1 Sep 2023 and 1 Feb 2024)

Sketty Primary School

Published 4th September: Inspection report Sketty Primary School 2023 (gov.wales)

Recommendations:

R1 Refine self-evaluation processes to ensure that leaders consistently identify the impact of improvement strategies on pupils' learning and progress

R2 Improve pupils' Welsh speaking skills

Estyn will invite the school to prepare a case study on its work in relation to its work on how the school develops pupils' creative skills through a worthwhile programme of professional learning and highly effective curriculum provision.

Inspection Report: Cefn Hengoed Community School

Published 11th December: Inspection Report Template (gov.wales)

Recommendations:

R1 Refine improvement processes and planning to include the few areas for further development identified in this inspection.

Estyn will invite the school to prepare a case study on its work in relation to the provision for the progressive development of pupils' skills and the work to tackle the impact of poverty on pupils' attainment and well-being.

Inspection Report: YG Gwyr

Published 18th December: Inspection report Ysgol Gyfun Gŵyr 2023 (gov.wales)

Recommendations:

R1 Improve the shortcomings identified about teaching in the report

R2 Ensure that leaders at all levels have clear and strategic responsibilities to drive improvements across the school

R3 Ensure that all leaders undertake a wide range of quality assurance activities and strengthen their ability to evaluate the impact of provision on pupils' progress

R4 Work with the local authority to address the health and safety issues identified during the inspection

Estyn will invite the school to prepare a case study on its work in relation to the physical well-being, nutritional well-being and holistic well-being lessons that are delivered to the school's youngest pupils.

Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Tirdeunaw

Published 19 January 2024: Inspection report Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Tirdeunaw 2023 (gov.wales)

Recommendations:

R1 Develop opportunities for the youngest pupils to foster and develop their independent learning skills and creative ability both inside and outside the classroom

R2 Expand opportunities for pupils to make independent choices about what to learn and how to present their work

R3 Strengthen the role of governors to enable them to operate more effectively as critical friends

Danygraig Primary School

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Recommendations:

R1 Improve pupils' reading and digital skills.

R2 Provide pupils with opportunities to broaden their knowledge about books and authors and develop a love of reading.

R3 Ensure that all teachers plan learning experiences that enable all pupils to make the progress they are capable of.