



*Learning and Growing Together - Dysgu and Thyfu Gyda'n Gilydd*

26/06/26

Dear Parents and Carers,

Unfortunately, I have made the difficult decision to close the school at 1pm today.

I fully appreciate that this will cause inconvenience and require you to make arrangements to collect your child/children earlier than expected, and this decision has not been taken lightly. However, the health and wellbeing of both pupils and staff must remain our priority.

Despite our efforts this morning to keep temperatures at a manageable level, it has become clear that the building has remained consistently very warm from the start of the day. We have taken steps to ventilate classrooms and had hoped conditions would improve; however, temperatures have remained high. I am concerned that they will continue to rise as the day progresses.

Given these circumstances, I do not feel we can adequately mitigate the risks posed by the heat, and therefore feel that an early closure is the safest course of action.

Thank you for your continued support and understanding.

Kind Regards

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