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17<sup>th</sup> September 2021

Dear Parent/Carer,

Congratulations to you and your child on the successful completion of the SWAN Induction at Ysgol Rhiwabon. We have really enjoyed getting to know all of our Year 7 students and have been thoroughly impressed by their immaculate appearance and preparation for learning. We hope they have enjoyed themselves and are beginning to settle in their new school.

Over the past two weeks our Year 7 students have been involved in:

- Science investigations.
- Learning about Welsh culture.
- Taking part in PE lessons and Design and Technology lessons from the past and present.
- A drama lesson linked to the Victorian classroom.
- Numeracy through the ages.
- Learning about how to complete a diary entry in literacy.
- Oracy skills, delivering a short presentation to their class.
- Producing their own Art work to promote health and wellbeing during the pandemic.
- Music sessions.
- Learning about the history of the school and education.
- Sessions on the famous explorers of the past.

In previous years, we have been able to celebrate the completion of their SWAN Induction by holding a short presentation evening, where Year 7 students and their parents have been invited to attend to look at the work completed, listen to a selection of the student presentations and watch their child receive their SWAN Induction Certificate. Unfortunately due to Covid-19 restrictions, we have sadly not been able to offer this to you and your family. We are however, going to be able to provide you with the opportunity to see your child having their certificate presented virtually as well as gaining an insight into the activities that they have been completing during SWAN. Please keep an eye on our website over the coming weeks for this and we will be in touch when this is available to view.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

**Mr P Bingham**  
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