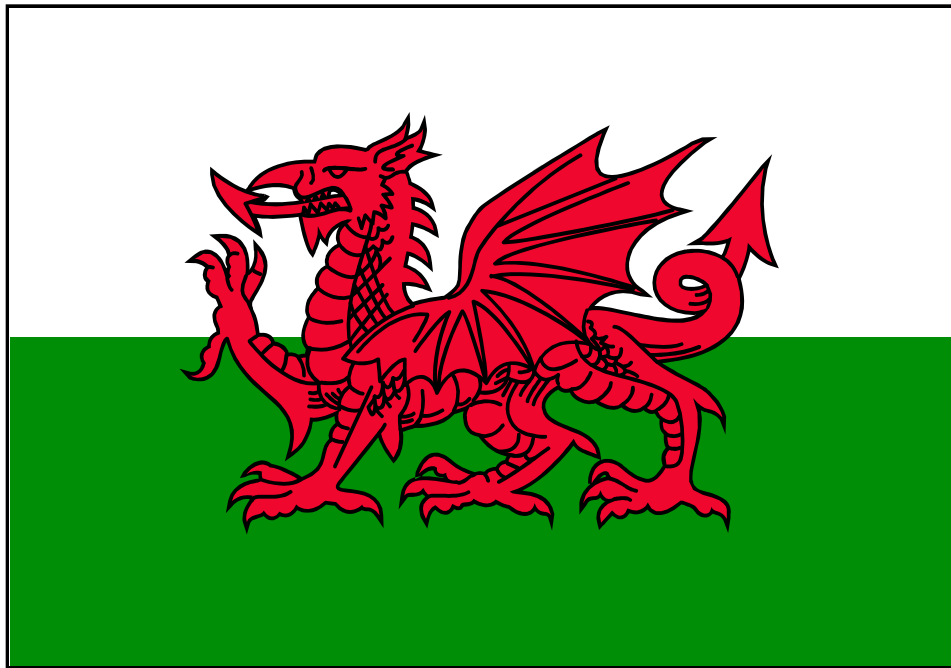


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**DEPARTMENT**

**DETAILS OF COMPETITION**

**ART**

Year 7

Illustrate the story of Blodeuwedd using a range of techniques.

Year 8

Make a two frame flip book.

Year 9

Create a piece of work which explores the use of pattern and colour.

Years 10 & 11

Make a piece of work which relates to the theme of “Identity”

Years 12 & 13

Develop a piece of work which relates to the theme “Distortion of the Human Form”.

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**BIOLOGY**

Year 7

Make a model or draw a poster of a cell.

Year 8

Research a microbe that causes disease. Present your findings in a suitable way.

Year 9

Design a time line to show how attitudes to smoking have changed over time.

Year 10

Make a poster about how blood flows through the heart.

Year 11

Write a newspaper article describing the discovery of the structure of DNA.

Years 12 & 13

Research stem cells.

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**BUSINESS STUDIES**

Year 7

Design a new Welsh £10 note.

Years 8 & 9

Create a poster - Welsh Entrepreneurs

Years 10, 11

Write a business proposal—Dragon’s Den script (max 1 side of A4)

Years 12 & 13

Brexit—predict the future of the UK economy (max 2 sides of A4)

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**DEPARTMENT**

**DETAILS OF COMPETITION**

**CHEMISTRY**

Produce a poster/newspaper article on:

- Year 7
- Year 8
- Year 9
- Year 10
- Year 11
- Years 12 & 13

- Acids and alkalis poster.
- Everyday compounds e.g. Water
- Particle theory poster.
- Poster on global warming/acid rain cause and effect
- Poster — Why metals are useful.
- Choose one character from the History of Science who has challenged scientific orthodoxy with a new and controversial theory e.g. Einstein/Galileo/Alfred Wegener.



**DESIGN & TECHNOLOGY-PRODUCT DESIGN**

- Year 7
- Year 8
- Year 9
- 10,11,12 & 13

- Design a toy or game based on Wales.
- Design a modern Welsh lovespoon
- Design a trophy to be presented at Eisteddfod. Years 10,11,12 & 13
- Design a souvenir to be given as a gift from Wales.



**ENGLISH**

- Year 7
- Year 8
- Year 9

- My Welsh Adventure or a topic of your choice (350-500 words)
- All about Wales. A short blog or vlog on an aspect of Welsh life.
- A place in Wales. A description of a Welsh place. (350-500 words)

**Overall Winner**

- Senior Chair (Years 10-13)
- Junior Chair (Years 7-9)
- Primary Chair

- Write a poem on a topic of your choice
- Write a poem on a topic of your choice
- Write a poem on a topic of your choice



**FRENCH**

- Year 7
- Year 8
- Year 9

- Design a daily routine cartoon strip
- Design a poster 'Maison à vendre'
- Write a film review





**DEPARTMENT**

**DETAILS OF COMPETITION**

**GEOGRAPHY**

|                       |                                                                                                               |
|-----------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Year 7                | To write a letter to a pen friend about Wales.                                                                |
| Year 8                | To make a model of a volcano that can erupt.                                                                  |
| Year 9                | Design an eco house.                                                                                          |
| Years 10, 11, 12 & 13 | To produce a photograph of a geographical nature, relating to the Geography course in Years 10, 11, 12 or 13. |



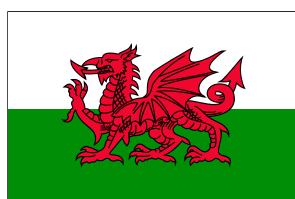
**GERMAN**

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| Year 7 | Design a family tree.                                              |
| Year 8 | Design a dream town.                                               |
| Year 9 | Design a brochure / poster to advertise the German speaking world. |



**HISTORY**

|          |                                                                                                  |
|----------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Year 7   | To produce a model of a castle studied during lessons this year.                                 |
| Year 8   | Produce a newspaper report about the defeat of the Spanish Armada.                               |
| Year 9   | Design a double page spread of a history textbook about 9/11.                                    |
| Years 10 | To produce a Facebook page on Al Capone, as part of our work on crime and corruption in the USA. |





DEPARTMENT

DETAILS OF COMPETITION

IT

Year 7

Design the front cover for the Eisteddfod Programme.

Year 8

Design an emblem that represents Wales using graphical software.

Year 9

Create an interactive quiz based on Wales.



MATHEMATICS

Year 7—8

Design a co-ordinates puzzle . (Pick up the grid from your Maths teacher.)

Years 9–13

Research either:

~ a famous Mathematician e.g. Pythagoras/Newton etc.

or

~ the history of a topic in Maths such as circles or calculus.

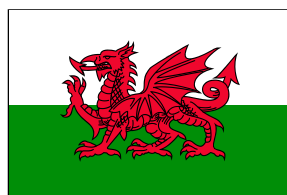
You can present your research in any medium e.g. poster, essay, video etc.



A.S. Department

The theme for the competition is ‘Feeling good’ ~ ‘Teimlo’n dda’

- Spread positive measures and motivate each other





**DEPARTMENT**

**DETAILS OF COMPETITION**

**PHYSICS**

Year 7

Leaflet explaining the uses of magnets in the home.

Year 8

Poster or model of the solar system including facts about each planet with some consideration for scale i.e. Jupiter is bigger than the Earth.

Year 9

Using the idea of moments and levers. Draw a poster or leaflet explaining how a catapult works. Alternatively it can be a model catapult that is labelled.

Year 10

Poster or model describing how we get electricity to our homes. From the fuel/type of PowerStation and how it works to the reasons behind having a national grid.

Year 11

Model or poster showing how a nuclear PowerStation works i.e describing a nuclear fission reaction & chain reaction.

Year 12

A3 poster explaining wave-particle duality . Must include diagrams/pictures.

Year 13

A3 poster explaining the types of particle accelerators and how they work. Must include diagrams/pictures.



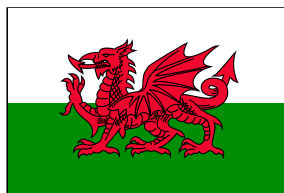
**RELIGIOUS STUDIES**

Year 7

Design a Hindu god

Year 8

Create an information poster highlighting the beliefs, symbols and history of Rastafarianism.1





DEPARTMENT

DETAILS OF COMPETITION

TEXTILES/FOOD

Year 7

Design a new Welsh flag—colour and label your design.

Year 8

Design a kit that you would like a Welsh national squad to wear. State which team sport it is for. Colour and fully label your design.

Year 9

Design an elegant outfit for a Welsh celebrity to wear to a special event. Name the celebrity and state which event they are to attend. Colour and fully label your design.



WELSH

Year 7

Write a letter to the magazine IAW!

Year 8

Design a cartoon strip on the theme of shopping/fashion or sports.

Year 9

Design a cartoon strip on the theme of ‘Holidays’/write a diary about your holidays

Junior Chair Competition

Produce a piece of written work in Welsh on a subject of your choice (essay, blog, conversation etc.)

Year 10

Write a letter about school

Years 11, 12 & 13

Y Gadair (The Chair)

The department will award the Chair to the individual who has produced work of a consistently high standard in accordance with the tradition of this highly prestigious award.

