

Y BWRDD GWEITHREDOL

26^{AIN} CHWEFROR 2018

Y RHAGLEN MODERNEIDDIO ADDYSG

CYNNIG I DDARPARU DARPARIAETH FEITHRIN YN YSGOL PARC Y TYWYN DRWY GYNYDDU YR YSTOD OEDRAN O 4-11 I 3-11

Yr argymhellion / penderfyniadau allweddol sydd eu hangen:

Argymhellir bod y Bwrdd Gweithredol yn cymeradwyo:

1. Y sylwadau a ddaeth i law ac ymatebion y Cyngor o ganlyniad i'r ymgynghoriad (Amgaeir yr Adroddiad am yr Ymgynghoriad).
2. Cyhoeddi hysbysiad statudol i weithredu'r cynllun.

Rhesymau:

Er mwyn cydymffurfio â'r cyfarwyddyd a'r gweithdrefnau statudol ar gyfer ad-drefnu ysgolion.

Ymgynghorwyd â'r Pwyllgor Craffu Perthnasol: DO - Pwyllgor Craffu Addysg a Phlant ar 25ain Ionawr 2018

Penderfynodd y Pwyllgor Craffu Addysg a Phlant:

1. Nodi'r sylwadau a dderbyniwyd ac ymatebion yr Awdurdod Lleol yn dilyn y cyfnod ymgynghori;
2. I gymeradwyo i'r Bwrdd Gweithredol cyhoeddiad hysbysiad statudol i weithredu'r cynnig i ddarparu darpariaeth feithrin yn Ysgol Parc y Tywyn drwy gynyddu yr ystod oedran o 4-11 i 3-11.

Angen i'r Bwrdd Gweithredol wneud penderfyniad: OES 26ain Chwefror 2018

Angen i'r Cyngor wneud penderfyniad: NAC OES

Aelod y Bwrdd Gweithredol sy'n gyfrifol am y Portffolio:

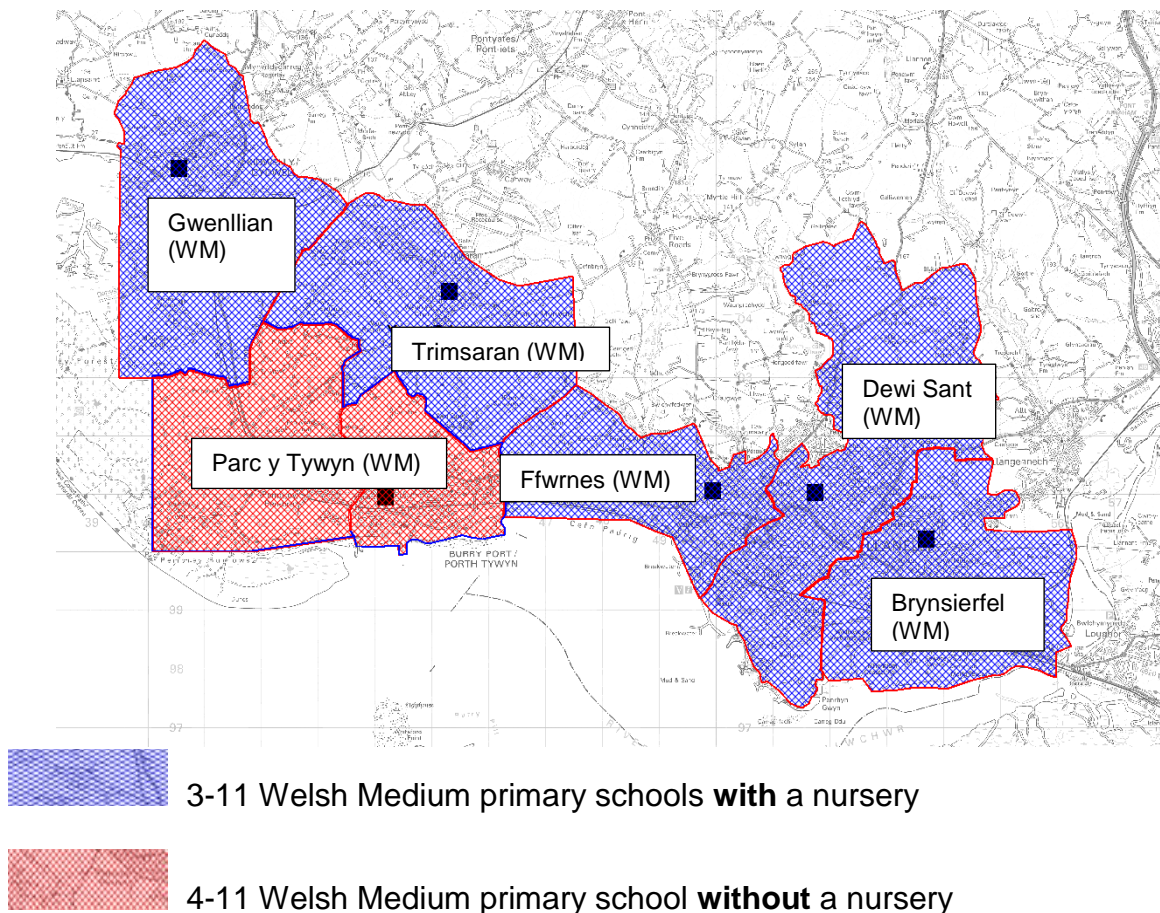
Y Cyng. Glynog Davies (Addysg a Phlant)

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Burry Port Community School and Ysgol Pembrey are categorised as English Medium language schools. The age range at the schools is 3-11. Nursery provision is being provided at both schools.

This proposal seeks to standardise the nursery education for the area by ensuring that the same level of provision is provided at both the Welsh and English medium schools in the areas of Burry Port and Pembrey.

- 1) To standardise the local authority **part time Welsh Medium nursery provision** in the area:



As can be seen above, Ysgol Parc y Tywyn is surrounded by Welsh Medium schools that provide local authority nursery provision.

This proposal seeks to standardise the nursery provision in Welsh Medium schools by ensuring that the same level of provision is provided at all **Welsh medium schools** in the area, including Burry Port and Pembrey.

Proposal

To standardise the Welsh medium part time nursery in the area, the Local Authority propose to provide part time nursery provision at Ysgol Parc y Tywyn by increasing its age range from 4-11 to 3-11 from 1 September 2018.

In accordance with Executive Board's instructions, a formal consultation exercise was undertaken from 6 November 2017 to 17 December 2017.

A total of 419 were consulted during the consultation period, which included the pupils, staff, parents and governors of Ysgol Parc y Tywyn, the Headteachers and Governors of neighbouring schools, ERW, Unions, Estyn, Welsh Language Commissioner as well as the existing private nursery providers and childminders.

A total of 5 responded to the consultation, the issues raised are detailed in the consultation report.

The ECS Scrutiny Committee were provided the opportunity to offer comment and a recommendation to the Executive Board whether or not to publish a Statutory Notice. Should the Executive Board grant permission to proceed to Statutory Notice, the intention is to publish week beginning 5 March 2018.

If approved, following the end of the Statutory Notice period, an objection report which summarises any objections received by stakeholders, will be presented to the ECS Scrutiny Committee and Executive Board and ultimately County Council for determination.

Recommendation

That the Executive Board approves the publication of a statutory notice to implement the proposal.

DETAILED REPORT ATTACHED?

YES:

**Consultation Document
Consultation Report**

IMPLICATIONS

I confirm that other than those implications which have been agreed with the appropriate Directors / Heads of Service and are referred to in detail below, there are no other implications associated with this report.

Signed: **G. Morgans** Director of Education and Children's Services
S. Davies Modernisation Services Manager

Policy, Crime & Disorder and Equalities	Legal	Finance	ICT	Risk Management Issues	Staffing Implications	Physical Assets
YES	YES	YES	NONE	YES	YES	NONE

1. Policy, Crime & Disorder and Equalities

Developments are consistent with the Authority's Welsh in Education Strategic Plan 2014-2017, Corporate Strategy, Children and Young People's Plan and the Modernising Education Strategic Outline Programme.

2. Legal

Appropriate consultation will need to be initiated in accordance with the relevant statutory procedures.

3. Finance

To provide part time nursery places in a school setting will have revenue funding implications for the authority in terms of appointing additional teaching and support staff for the nursery. The Revenue implications will be catered from within the existing Local Management of Schools Fair Funding Scheme.

This proposal will have a detrimental effect on employment for local private providers as provision is currently being provided for 3 year olds by local nurseries and childminders.

4. ICT

None.

5. Risk Management Issues

The disparity between Welsh and English part time nursery provision being provided by the Authority within the catchment of Ysgol Parc y Tywyn.

6. Physical Assets

None.

CONSULTATIONS

I confirm that the appropriate consultations have taken in place and the outcomes are as detailed below:

Signed: G. Morgans Director of Education and Children's Services
 S. Davies Modernisation Services Manager

1. Scrutiny Committee – The Scrutiny Committee were notified of the formal consultation period.

2. Local Member(s)- Local members in the Wards of Pembrey (Cllr. Shirley Matthews and Cllr. Hugh Shepardson) and Burry Port (Cllr. John James and Cllr. Amanda Fox) have been kept fully informed and were consulted during the consultation period.

3. Community / Town Council – The Pembrey & Burry Port Town Council were formally consulted with during the consultation period.

4. Relevant Partners – All relevant partners were consulted with during the consultation period.

5. Staff Side Representatives and other Organisations – Staff side representatives and other organisations were consulted with during the consultation period.

Section 100D Local Government Act, 1972 – Access to Information List of Background Papers used in the preparation of this report:

Title of Document	File Ref No. / Locations that the papers are available for public inspection
Strategic Outline Programme 21 st Century Schools	Strategic Outline Programme 21 st Century Schools
Carmarthenshire's Welsh in Education Strategic Plan 2014-2017	http://gov.wales/topics/educationandskills/publications/guidance/welshmededstrat/?lang=en
MEP Biennial Review	www.carmarthenshire.gov.uk Executive Board 20 th June 2016
21 st Century Schools Website	www.21stcenturyschools.org
21 st Century Schools: Information Document (May 2010)	www.wales.gsi.gov.uk
21 st Century Schools: Information Document (May 2010) - Summary	www.wales.gsi.gov.uk
21 st Century Schools Strategic Outline Programme Template	www.wales.gsi.gov.uk
Modernising Education Programme (May 2005)	Department for Education and Children Building 2, Parc Dewi, Carmarthen.