

**Parent/Carer Consent
Routine Off-Site Visits****School/establishment:** Penygarn Community Primary School**Your child's name:** _____

I hereby agree to my child participating in routine visits off the school/establishment site. These visits might include the following, or similar, activities:

Walks, Visits to a church or park, Museum visits, Sports matches/tournaments, Transition projects, environmental studies

These visits will normally take place at the following, or similar, locations:

Abersychan School, West Mon School, Woodlands Field, St Cadoc's Church, Lasgarn Woods, Pontypool Museum, Pontypool Park, Greenmeadow Community Farm, Big Pit or for sport matches within the Borough of Torfaen.

I understand that:

- such visits will usually take place within the school/establishment normal hours, but that if, occasionally, they are likely to extend beyond this, adequate advance notice will be given so that I may make appropriate arrangements for my child's return home;
- my specific permission will be sought for any visits beyond those listed above or which could involve commitment to extended journeys, times or expense;
- all reasonable care will be taken of my child during the visit;
- my child will be under an obligation to obey all directions given and to observe all rules and regulations governing the visit and will be subject to all normal school/establishment discipline procedures during the visit;
- I must inform the school/establishment of any medical/behavioural condition or physical disabilities that may affect them during the visit;
- all young people are covered by the Local Authority's (LA) third party public liability insurance in respect of any claim arising from an accident caused by a defect in the school/establishment premises or equipment or attributable to negligence by the Council or one of its employees. The LA also provides an 'off-site activities travel and personal injury insurance' policy for all pupils whilst participating on organised trips outside the designated school boundaries.

**Full name of
parent/carers:** _____**Signature of
parent/carers:** _____**Address:** _____**Tel No:** _____**Date:** _____



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Educational Visits

The value of class visits in extending and enriching classroom learning and experience has long been recognised. At Penygarn Community Primary School planned educational visits form an essential part of the learning programme.

We aim to:

- Ensure that the children experience a variety of educational trips during their time at Penygarn Community Primary School and extend their activities and learning experience of revisiting.
- Provide links between the 'real' world and the classroom and make learning more effective by putting it in context.
- Provide first hand experience where this cannot be done in the classroom.
- Encourage pupils to give the same high standards of behaviour, responsibility and work in out-of-school learning as they do in school.
- Help the children gain and benefit from an increasing measure of independence from home by developing a programme of visits throughout the school, which builds on progression as to the nature, location and length of time away.

TO OPT IN TO THIS PERMISSION, PLEASE COMPLETE THE ENLCLOSED FORM

Please note: This form is valid for the period of time your child attend this school.