

Ysgol Chwilog

Increasing the school's capacity from 65 to 95 learners by adding a classroom to Ysgol Chwilog to be operational from 1 September 2023

Children and Young People's Consultation
19 October - 30 November 2022



Introduction

Gwynedd Council is thinking of increasing the school's capacity of Ysgol Chwilog which is to make the school bigger.

The reason for this is that there is only room for 65 pupils at Ysgol Chwilog but there are many more children at the school.

We want to know how you feel about this. What do you think about making Ysgol Chwilog bigger?

This booklet tries to explain what this change would mean for you as a pupil.



Why make the school bigger?



Ensuring good education for a future

Ensure that the classes will not be overcrowded

Create an additional class

Create enough space in the school for all the children of Chwilog

Giving you the opportunity to have enough space for everyone to learn and play

What is the offer?



The option being offered is:

Increasing the school's capacity from 65 to 95 learners by adding a classroom to Ysgol Chwilog to be operational from 1 September 2023.

Which means, creating an extra class for Ysgol Chwilog to create enough space for everyone in the school.



What does this change mean?

If the Council's Cabinet decides to increase the capacity of Ysgol Chwilog

Instead of using the Community Hall as an additional classroom, an adlocated on the Ysgol Chwilog site, creating an additional classroom for the school.

The Council feels that this proposal will strengthen the children's education for the future.

Creating an additional class at the Ysgol Chwilog site will mean:

- Enough space for all the school's pupils
- Giving fair experiences to all children
- Continue to learn and speak Welsh
- There will be no need to use the Community Hall as an additional classroom



How do you feel about this?



Steps

Statutory Consultation Period
19 October - 30 November 2022

An opportunity for anyone to comment
on the proposal

Cabinet - Report back to Cabinet with any
comments we have received

The Cabinet will decide if it wants to
go ahead with the proposal or not

If the Cabinet wants to go ahead with the
proposal, we will start an 'Objection Period'
for 28 days

There will be an opportunity for you,
and anyone else, to object to to the
proposal during this period

Following the opposition period, the Cabinet
makes a final decision on the proposal

What do you think of the proposal?

Before Gwynedd Council decides on the way forward, we want to hear your opinion about the proposal to increase the school's capacity from 65 to 95 learners by adding a classroom to Ysgol Chwilog to be operational from 1 September 2023

How do you get to respond?

Any pupil is welcome to send comments to the Council to give their opinion or complete a questionnaire.
The Council needs to receive your comments by 30 November 2022.

Need more information?

- For more information, a copy of the questionnaire and a copy of the consultation document, visit the Council's website at: www.gwynedd.llyw.cymru/modernisingeducation
- You can contact the Council by e-mailing: Modernisingeducation@gwynedd.llyw.cymru
- You can send a letter/comments/questionnaire by post or e-mail by **30 November 2022** to:

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