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Dear parents and guardians,

We are honoured to share our Estyn report with you following their recent inspection in March this year. Since being established in 2008, the school has ensured that it offers the greatest of care, the best curriculum and the most enriching opportunities for our children, and all whilst nurturing a strong Welsh ethos and the highest of standards for all learners across the school.

It is a privilege to celebrate that Estyn has acknowledged the high standards of our school. As a result of the exceptional leadership and all the hard work of Tîm Llan, Ysgol Gyfun Gymraeg Llangynwyd has received a report without any Estyn recommendations for improvement. This is only the third time Estyn has acknowledged that a school does not need additional recommendations, with Llangynwyd being the only Welsh medium school to receive this accolade.

In recognising our excellent work, Estyn has invited us to present case studies of our exceptional practice to assist others on their improvement journeys.

We attach a copy of the full report and you can follow the link below to the parent summary, as well as the full report:

https://www.estyn.gov.wales/provider/6724085?_ga=2.220151961.1604178293.1685966014-2041532976.1685966014

Choosing Welsh medium education for your child/children was no mean feat, but we are indebted to each and every one of you for appreciating and putting your trust in our feeder school and in Ysgol Gyfun Gymraeg Llangynwyd. This report acknowledges the value and success of Welsh medium education, and as a school we ensure that our children receive the very best education and unrivalled opportunities for their future. Thank you so much for supporting Welsh medium education and we are confident that as we celebrate and share the school's success within our communities, we can continue to further build and grow Welsh medium education across the county.

As the Chair of Governors and the Headteacher we would like to thank everyone for the continuous hard work to ensure the school's success and it is a pleasure to take pride in this report. As we are about to celebrate 15 years of Welsh medium secondary education here in Bridgend, Ysgol Gyfun Gymraeg Llangynwyd truly deserves its place as one of the best schools in Wales.

DYSG... DAWN... DYFODOL...

And so, to the future of Tîm Llan.

Sincerely,

Geraint Isaac Geraint Isaac Chair of the Governing Body Meurig Jones Meurig Jones Headteacher

