

Camau Case Study

Name and Type of setting: Camp Coconuts – ASC/Full Day Care/Wrap Around

Local Authority Area: Vale of Glamorgan

Name and position of person in setting completing this case study: Ellen Moores Senior Nursery Nurse

Date completed: 26.01.2022

Camp Coconuts provides fun packed holiday clubs during the school holidays as well as after school and full wrap around care from 7:30am – 6:30pm during term time for children aged 3-11 years in Barry, Vale of Glamorgan. The wrap around is provided for a number of schools in the area, one of which is Welsh medium.

Before starting her journey, Ellen, had a basic understanding of the Welsh language from her school years, however, as none of Ellen's family and friends spoke Welsh she did not have many opportunities to practice; because of this she felt that she had forgotten a lot of it.

Ellen is passionate about the Welsh culture and language and wanted a way that would help her regain Welsh language skills, improve her confidence and increase the amount of Welsh used in Camp Coconuts. After receiving a marketing email from Clybiau Plant Cymru Kids' Clubs, Ellen decided to enrol on the Camau Entry Part 1 course.

Ellen liked the Camau online self-study course as she was able to do it in her own time, log in and out in the middle of sessions and found the interactive aspect of the course very helpful.

Attending the Caffi Clebran sessions held by Clybiau Plant Cymru Kids' Clubs Welsh Language Coordinator Ellen states: "The support was really good. Just knowing that you were always there via email or phone if I needed you."

The Camau Entry Part 1 course has increased Ellen's confidence allowing her to implement more Welsh in the setting such as discussing the weather at school collection, using more key vocabulary like 'tacluso', colours and numbers.

Ellen is looking forward to continue her Welsh language journey and has enrolled on the Entry part 2 course.

Ellen would recommend enrolling on the Camau course and states that it: "Helps to give you a basic understanding at the start but also challenges you as you progress."



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Astudiaeth Achos Camau

Enw a'r Math o leoliad: Camp Coconuts – Clwb Ôl-ysgol/Gofal Dydd Llawn/Amlapiol

Ardal Awdurdod Lleol: Bro Morgannwg

Enw a swydd y person yn y lleoliad sy'n cwblhau'r astudiaeth achos hon: Ellen Moores, Uwch Nyrs Feithrin

Dyddiad cwblhau: 26.01.2022

Mae Camp Coconuts yn darparu clybiau gwyliau llawn hwyl yn ystod gwyliau'r ysgol yn ystod ag ar ôl oriau ysgol, a gofal amlapiol llawn 7.30yb - 6.30yh yn ystod y tymor i blant oed 3-11 yn Y Barri, Bro Morgannwg. Mae'r gofal amlapiol yn cael ei ddarparu ar gyfer nifer o ysgolion yn yr ardal, un ohonynt yn ysgol cyfrwng-Cymraeg.

Cyn dechrau ei siwrnai, roedd gan Ellen ddealltwriaeth sylfaenol o'r Gymraeg o'i blynnyddoedd yn yr ysgol, ond gan nad oedd neb yn nheulu Ellen na'i ffrindiau yn siarad Cymraeg nid oedd ganddi lawer o gyfleoedd i ymarfer; oherwydd hyn roedd yn teimlo ei bod wedi anghofio llawer ohoni.

Mae Ellen yn teimlo'n angerddol am y diwylliant a'r iaith Gymraeg ac roedd yn awyddus i gael ffordd a fyddai'n ei helpu i ailafael yn ei sgiliau iaith-Gymraeg, gwella ei hyder a chynyddu'r defnydd o'r Gymraeg yn Camp Coconuts.

Wedi derbyn e-bost marchnata gan Clybiau Plant Cymru Kids' Clubs, penderfynodd Ellen ymrestru ar gwrs Camau, Mynediad Rhan 1.

Roedd Ellen yn hoff o gwrs hunan-astudio, ar-lein Camau gan y gallai ei wneud yn ei hamser ei hun, mewngofnodi ac allgofnodi yng nghanol sesiynau, a chafodd agwedd ryngweithiol y cwrs o gymorth mawr. Ar fynychu sesiynau Caffi Clebran a gynhaliwyd gan Gydlynnydd Iaith Gymraeg Clybiau Plant Cymru Kids' Clubs, dywed Ellen: "Roedd y gefnogaeth yn dda iawn; jyst gwybod eich bod chi yna o hyd ar e-bost neu ffôn os oeddwn i eich angen chi."

Mae Cwrs Mynediad Rhan 1 Camau wedi cynyddu hyder Ellen, a rhoi cyfle iddi roi mwy o Gymraeg ar waith yn y lleoliad, fel trafod y tywydd wrth gasglu o'r ysgol; defnyddio mwy o eirfa allweddol fel 'tacluso', lliwiau a rhifau.

Mae Ellen yn edrych ymlaen at barhau ar ei siwrnai iaith-Gymraeg ac wedi ymrestru ar y cwrs Mynediad Rhan 2.

Mae Ellen yn argymhell ymrestru ar gwrs Camau ac yn dweud ei fod yn: "helpu i roi i chi ddealltwriaeth sylfaenol ar y dechrau, ond mae hefyd yn eich herio chi wrth i chi symud ymlaen."



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