

# Welsh Language Promotion Strategy 2019- 2024 Assessment

Assessing the achievements of our first Strategy:

2019



64 FCC employees learning Welsh



97.18% completed the Welsh Language Skills Assessment



38.18% of FCC employees report that they do not have any Welsh language skills



3.47% of FCC employees report that their skills are level 5

"Mae'r ddogfen hon ar gael yn y Gymraeg. This document is also available in Welsh."



127 FCC employees learning Welsh



99.32% FCC employees have completed the Welsh Language Skills Assessment



33.10% of FCC employees say they have no Welsh language skills



3.8% of FCC employees report their Welsh language skills are at level 5



80,481

views of the Welsh pages of our website

Welsh skills School Workforce

	W1 (0 Skills)	W2 (Entry)	W3 (Foundation)	W4 (Intermediate)	W5 (Higher)	W6 (Proficient)	W7 (No Info)
<b>Primary</b>							
Teachers	0	78	235	96	39	66	0
Support Staff	81	400	152	32	19	45	0
<b>Secondary</b>							
Teachers	194	159	64	20	19	79	0
Support Staff	84	42	8	6	2	7	0
<b>Additional Needs</b>							
Primary	12	41	5	1	3	5	0
Secondary	6	9	6	2	1	4	0
Special	0	1	0	0	0	0	0



Fewer people report they can speak Welsh in the County but there is an increase in children attending Welsh medium schools

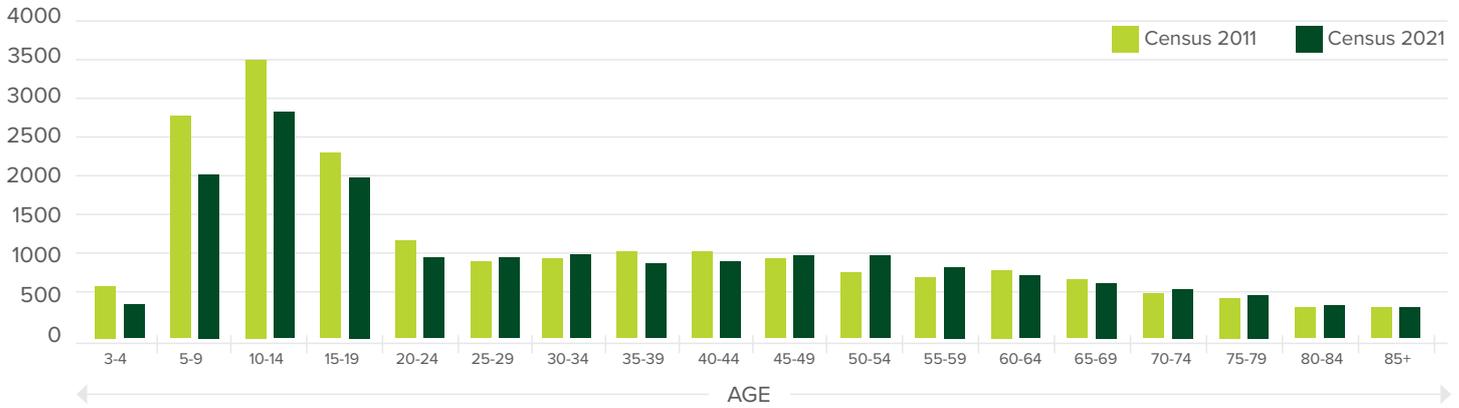


Welsh medium schools



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## Number of Welsh speakers by age:



## People aged three years and over:

	Census 2011	Census 2021
Population aged 3+	146,940	155,000
Can understand spoken Welsh only	4.4%	5%
Can speak, read or write Welsh	10.9%	13.70%
No skills in Welsh	79.4%	81.30%
Able to speak Welsh	13.2%	11.6%

### Grant to Mudiad Meithrin to deliver:

- Welsh medium childcare for the Flying Start Project
- Welsh medium childcare for children in high level social need areas.
- Welsh medium early years education in the non-maintained sector
- Provision of assisted places in Welsh medium childcare

### We provided funding to Urdd Gobaith Cymru to:

- ensure opportunities for young people to meet other young people through the medium of Welsh.
- develop provision that engages with young people who speak Welsh and encourage Welsh more broadly.
- Set up Project to promote opportunities through the medium of Welsh in and out of school to encourage and increase confidence to use Welsh, strengthen self-resilience and wellbeing. *(To include community clubs, lunchtime clubs, recreational activities (one day or residential), Group work, music projects, Eisteddfodau and Outdoor Activities)*
- Consult young people on their needs and co-develop provision that meets these needs and demands.
- Support Transition projects aimed to deliver bespoke youth work interventions including outdoor and community-based activities to reduce social isolation.
- Engage Youth volunteers – creating the new Welsh language workforce.

## Summer Playschemes:

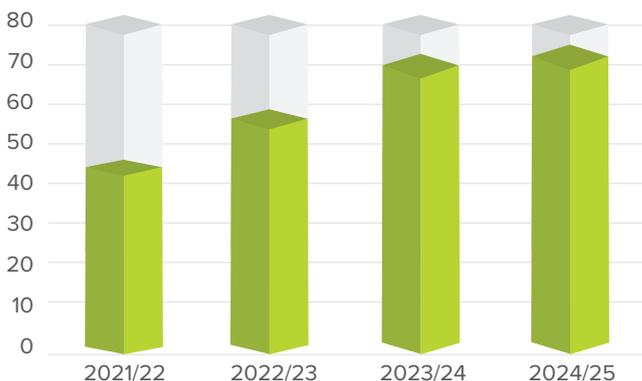
In 2025



20%  
of Playscheme  
Workforce  
speak Cymraeg



## Number of funded performances/events/activities:



### What we did:

#### Theatr Clwyd

- Established Welsh language youth theatre groups (alongside bilingual and Welsh learner groups). There is a partnership with City for Sanctuary and Coleg Cambria to empower Welsh learning for the refugee families in North Wales.
- Increasing the use of Welsh in productions like the pantomime. The theatre delivered plays in the Welsh language and programmes were captioned in Welsh and English
- Supported and developed new writers in the Welsh Language
- Increased the number of Welsh language and bilingual productions.

### What we funded:

- Grant to Menter Iaith to deliver increase the use of the Welsh language in Flintshire and increase awareness of the language and people's confidence to use the Welsh Language.

Through funding to Menter Iaith Fflint a Wrecsam a range of events, activities and performances were organised in the community, libraries and schools.