

MONTHLY SCHOOL BULLETIN – JANUARY 2023

Regional School Liaison Officer for East Wales



“Happy New Year! SSCE Cymru are currently going through a data collection process and emails were sent to schools in some local authorities asking for updated numbers on Service children. If you have received one of these emails, we would be really grateful if you could let us know your numbers so that our data is up to date. This year we are excited to support schools with working towards their Armed Forces Friendly Schools Cymru Bronze status, as it’s great opportunity for schools to further develop and enhance their support for Service children and engage with the Armed Forces community. I am also really looking forward to sharing ideas with you shortly about celebrating Month of the Military Child in April. Please don’t hesitate to get in touch if you have any questions regarding any of the above or general queries.”

Emilee, Emilee.Kinsey@newport.gov.uk

Participation Lead Officer



“Happy New Year! As we start the new year and move forward into the Spring term it allows us to refocus and consider starting new projects, things to develop over the rest of the academic year. I enjoyed engaging with a few schools in Wales towards the end of last year, who are already participating in the Primary and Secondary Well-being courses, designed by Little Troopers. I’m looking forward to hearing how they are getting on over the next few weeks and what they’ve discovered about their Service children and their unique experiences. If your school would like to take up the opportunity to run this course and show how you support the Service children who attend your school, then please do get in touch.” Jo, Joanna.wolfe@wlga.gov.uk

ARMED FORCES COVENANT DUTY

The Armed Forces Covenant Duty is a legal obligation on certain public bodies, including local authorities, to pay due regard to the Covenant principles when exercising certain functions.

The Covenant Duty came into effect on 22nd November 2022.

Further
information
here

FUNDING

SSCE Cymru Case management support
Available throughout the year.

Advice: Speak to your RSLO and use the SSCE Cymru funding guidance for schools in Wales.

Further
information here



TRAINING

SSCE Cymru CPD sessions

Dates available in January 2023.

See dates and book here

RESOURCES

**Armed Forces Covenant
Duty: Local authorities and
School briefing.**

Available here

**Month of the
Military Child
Mis y Plentyn
Milwrol**



April/Ebrill | #MilitaryChildMonthCymru