

Groundwork transforms school grounds at Ysgol Heulfan

Groundwork have been working hard with the pupils , parents and volunteers at Ysgol Heulfan and at Y Canol the specialist unit that is part of Ysgol Heulfan in Gwersyllt, Wrexham to transform the school grounds . Raised beds have been created in various sizes and shapes and planted up with sensory plants bringing colour, shape and fragrance to the garden and grounds. Covered Sandpits have been installed for the children to play in and a wildlife meadow, seating and footpath installed.

Julie Thomas, Head Teacher said' We are so delighted with school grounds which have been transformed into a much more colourful and practical area . The children now have a more exciting place to play and learn. Thanks must go to the volunteers who worked so hard to make this happen'

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