



# YSGOL BRYN ALYN

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Dear Parent / Carer

## Estyn Report

As you will be aware Ysgol Bryn Alyn was inspected by Estyn in December 2017. The report was published on 16<sup>th</sup> February 2018 and can be found on Estyn's website:

[www.estyn.gov.wales/inspection](http://www.estyn.gov.wales/inspection)

The outcomes of the inspection are very disappointing and not where we want the school to be. Having just taken over responsibility for the school I welcome the opportunity to work with our staff, pupils and parents to improve the outcomes, to become a school we can all be proud of. There are areas we must improve on and I am pleased that the pupils and staff have made a positive start on implementing the necessary strategies.

I am currently in the process of writing a comprehensive action plan which will address the key issues that were identified within the report. The action plan will be checked and approved by Estyn. Estyn will then carry out regular visits, normally termly, in order to monitor whether the school is making sufficient progress in implementing the action plan.

As stated in the report "the acting headteacher has developed a clear vision for the school based upon improved teaching and stronger pupil outcomes". I now need time to embed these changes and improvements to raise standards, improve pupils' behaviour and attendance, and improve the quality of teaching.

I, along with the staff at Ysgol Bryn Alyn, am determined to bring about the required changes to make Ysgol Bryn Alyn both a supportive and caring school and one where pupils enjoy learning and are successful.

I look forward to your continued support in this matter.

Yours sincerely

Miss A Kipping  
Headteacher

