



Developing the Playwork Workforce: A Community-Based Training Model in Swansea

Clybiau Plant Cymru Kids' Clubs partnered with Faith in Families in Swansea to deliver a Level 2 Award in Playwork Practice to community members engaged at the Bonymaen Cwtch site. The collaboration built on Faith in Families' recent delivery of a Level 1 Introduction to Playwork course, offering learners a clear progression route to strengthen their volunteering and employment prospects.

In September 2025, Clybiau Plant Cymru Kids' Clubs delivered a bespoke nine-week course at Bonymaen Community Centre, with weekly two-hour sessions designed to fit around learner's work, volunteering, and family commitments. All learners successfully completed the qualification.

Faith in Families shared several positive outcomes following the programme. One learner, Sam, secured a permanent volunteer role with the organisation, with clear potential for future paid employment. Another learner, a parent of a very young family, gained confidence through her learning journey and is now pursuing additional training, supported by free childcare provided by Faith in Families.

Faith in Families reported a significant increase in confidence among volunteers who completed the qualification.

Due to the success of the Bonymaen programme, further courses have been requested for delivery at the Clase and Portmead sites, beginning in Spring 2026.

Clybiau Plant Cymru Kids' Clubs deliver fully funded Playwork training through their Training and Support Programme, which seeks to support recruitment and retention within the Playwork and Childcare sector. The Level 2 Award in Playwork Practice provides the perfect introduction to a career in Playwork, providing individuals with an appropriate qualification to work in a holiday club or playscheme. When completed as a top up to an existing Level 2 qualification in Childcare, Forest Schools, Youth Work or Teaching Support, the qualification meets the requirements to work in any childcare or play provision.

If you would be interested in finding out more then please contact info@clybiauplantcymru.org



Datblygu'r Gweithlu Gwaith Chwarae: Model Hyfforddiant Cymunedol yn Abertawe

Wnaeth Clybiau Plant Cymru Kids' Clubs bartneru gyda Faith in Families yn Abertawe i gyflwyno Gwobr Lefel 2 mewn Ymarfer Gwaith Chwarae i aelodau o'r gymuned sy'n ymwneud â safle Bonymaen Cwtch. Mae'r cydweithrediad yn adeiladu ar gyflwyniad diweddar Faith in Families o gwrs Lefel 1 Cyflwyniad i Waith Chwarae, gan gynnig llwybr dilyniant clir i ddysgwyr i gryfhau eu rhagolygon gwirfoddoli a chyflogaeth.

Ym mis Medi 2025, cyflwynodd Clybiau Plant Cymru Kids' Clubs gwrs naw wythnos bwrpasol yng Nghanolfan Gymunedol Bonymaen, gyda sesiynau dwy awr yr wythnos wedi'u cynllunio i gydfynd â gwaith, gwirfoddoli ac ymrwymadau teuluol y dysgwr. Cwblhaodd pob dysgwr y cymhwyster yn llwyddiannus.

Rhannodd Faith in Families sawl canlyniad cadarnhaol yn dilyn y rhaglen. Sicrhaodd un dysgwr, Sam, rôl wirfoddol barhaol gyda'r sefydliad, gyda photensial clir ar gyfer cyflogaeth â thâl yn y dyfodol. Enillodd dysgwr arall, rhiant teulu ifanc iawn, hyder trwy ei thaith ddysgu ac mae bellach yn dilyn hyfforddiant ychwanegol, gyda chefnogaeth gofal plant am ddim a ddarperir gan Faith in Families.

Adroddodd Faith in Families gynnydd sylweddol mewn hyder ymhlith gwirfoddolwyr a gwblhaodd y cymhwyster.

Oherwydd llwyddiant rhaglen Bonymaen, gofynnwyd am gyrsiau pellach i'w cyflwyno ar safleoedd Clase a Portmead, sy'n dechrau yn y Gwanwyn 2026.

Mae Clybiau Plant Cymru Kids' Clubs yn darparu hyfforddiant Gwaith Chwarae wedi'i ariannu'n llawn drwy eu Rhaglen Hyfforddi a Chymorth, sy'n ceisio cefnogi recriwtio a chadw yn y sector Gwaith Chwarae a Gofal Plant. Mae'r Wobr Lefel 2 mewn Ymarfer Gwaith Chwarae yn darparu cyflwyniad i yrfa mewn Gwaith Chwarae, gan ddarparu cymhwyster priodol i unigolion weithio mewn clwb gwyliau neu gynllun chwarae. Pan gaiff ei gwblhau fel ychwanegiad at gymhwyster Lefel 2 presennol mewn Gofal Plant, Ysgolion Coedwig, Gwaith Ieuenctid neu Gymorth Addysgu, mae'r cymhwyster yn bodloni'r gofynion i weithio mewn unrhyw ddarpariaeth gofal plant neu chwarae.

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