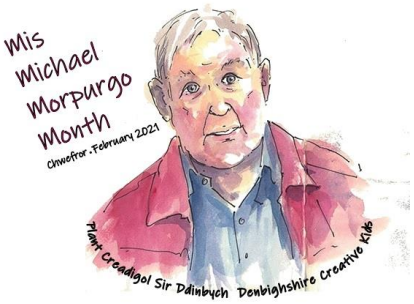

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‘Unwaith efo Stori…’

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Dathlu Mis Michael Morpurgo 2021

Sylw i holl awduron ifanc a selogion stori!
Allech chi fod y Michael Morpurgo nesaf?

Mae Gwasanaethau Addysg a Phlant Sir Ddinbych yn lansio cystadleuaeth ysgrifennu creadigol newydd i nodi ac annog y genhedlaeth nesaf o ddarpar awduron. Ar gyfer her mis Chwefror, rydym yn ymuno â'n ffrindiau yng Ngwasanaethau Llyfrgell Sir Ddinbych i wahodd plant a phobl ifanc yn ein hysgolion i ddarllen a chymryd ysbrydoliaeth o lyfrau Michael Morpurgo, rhoi sgrifpen ar bapur a rhoi cynnig ar ein her ysgrifennu straeon byrion.

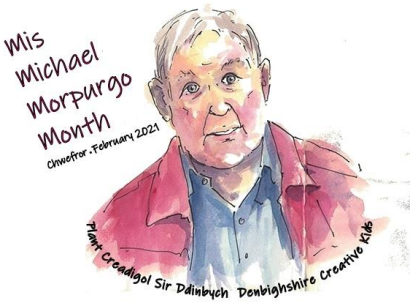
Michael Morpurgo yw un o awduron stori mwyaf poblogaidd Prydain. Mae ganddo rodd adrodd straeon hudolus ac mae ei lyfrau'n cynnwys themâu sy'n seiliedig ar faterion natur ac amgylcheddol, cyd-ddibyniaeth a pherthnasoedd cyd-rhwng yr henoed a'r ifanc. Mae'n aml yn darlunio pobl yn dod at ei gilydd ac yn helpu ei gilydd ar adegau o argyfwng, fel rhyfel a thrychinebau naturiol. Cred Michael Morpurgo yn angerddol yng ngallu straeon i wella, i gysuro ac ysbrydoli. Mae rhai o'i straeon mwyaf symudol wedi'u gosod yn ystod y rhyfel: War Horse (Ceffyl Rhyfel), An Eagle in the Snow, A Medal for Leroy a Private Peaceful (Caeau Fflandris), a ysbrydolwyd gan straeon bywyd go iawn, digwyddiadau a phobl.

Sut i ddechrau arni

1. **Darllenwch lyfr Michael Morpurgo neu ddau**
   Peidiwch â phoeni, does dim rhaid i chi eu prynu - gellir archebu llyfrau gan Michael Morpurgo a'u benthyg o'ch llyfrgell leol yn Sir Ddinbych, naill ai ar-lein neu dros y ffôn. Mae'r manylion llawn i'w gweld yma:
   https://www.denbighshire.gov.uk/cy/hamdden-a-thwristiaeth/llyfrgelloedd/archebu-a-chasglu-llyfrau-llyfrgell-yn-ystod-covid-19.aspx

2. **Ewch i wefan ragorol Michael Morpurgo** https://www.michaelmorpurgo.com/ i ddysgu mwy amdano, darganfod heriau eraill ac ymateb i'w lyfrau. Mae ‘na hefyd **‘Amser Stori’** hefyd ar gyfer darllenwyr iau, felly gall mwy o blant ymuno yn yr hwyl!

3. Darllenwch y canllaw **‘Dechreuwyr Stori’** byr defnyddiol, a baratowyd gan ein ffrindiau da yn ‘Teacher’s Pet’ sydd wedi'i atodi i chi.



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Eich Her ‘Michael Morpurgo’

Yn syml, ar ôl astudio’n gyflym sut mae Michael Morpurgo yn dechrau ac yn ysgrifennu ei straeon, gan ddefnyddio'r amser presennol, ffeithiau, gwrthrychau neu bersonau pwysig, cymeriadau a lleferydd, hoffem i chi roi sgrifpen neu bensil ar bapur, gyda lluniadau os hoffech, ac ysgrifennu stori fer ffuglennol ar thema o'ch dewis (dim mwy na 500 o eiriau).

Bydd y ceisiadau mewn tri chategori oedran - **Hyd at 7 oed**, **7 i 11 oed** a **12 i 14 oed**.

Gellir cyflwyno pob stori naill ai yn Gymraeg neu yn Saesneg.

Rhai Dyddiadau Pwysig

Bydd y gystadleuaeth yn agor **Ddydd Llun 1af Chwefror 2021** a bydd yn cau am **hanner dydd Ddydd Gwener 26ain Chwefror 2021**.

Cyhoeddir enillwyr **Ddydd Iau 4ydd Mawrth 2021** i nodi **Diwrnod Llyfrau Byd-eang.**

Gwobrau: Bydd eich cais yn cael ei feirniadu gan ein panel o bobl greadigol brofiadol. Dyfernir copi o un o lyfrau diweddaraf Michael Morpurgo i'r ceisiadau buddugol cyffredinol ym mhob categori oedran, ynghyd â thystysgrif unigryw. Yn amodol ar ganiatâd priodol, bydd pob un o'r tair stori fer fuddugol yn cael ei gyhoeddi drwy blatfform ar-lein Gwasanaethau Llyfrgell Sir Ddinbych, fel eu bod ar gael i'w lawrlwytho gan blant, teuluoedd ac ysgolion i'w mwynhau.

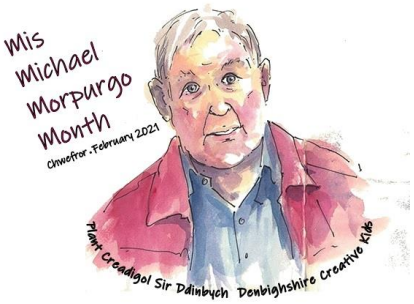
Sut i gyflwyno eich cais

Anfonwch ceisiadau drwy e-bost i **sarah.dixon@sirddinbych.gov.uk** **erbyn hanner dydd Ddydd Gwener 26ain Chwefror 2021**.

Cofiwch gynnwys

EICH ENW
EICH OEDRAN
EICH YSGOL
TEITL AR GYFER EICH STORI

Daliwch ati i edrych ar ein tudalennau cyfryngau cymdeithasol - **www.denbighshireenrichment.com** a **@cyfoeth_enrich** am ddiweddariadau cyffrous drwy gydol Mis Chwefror



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'Once Upon A Story….'

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Celebrating Michael Morpurgo Month 2021

Attention budding writers and story enthusiasts! Could you be the next Michael Morpurgo?

Denbighshire Education and Children's Services is launching a new creative writing competition to identify and encourage the next generation of budding writers. For February's challenge, we are teaming up with our friends in Denbighshire Library Services to invite children and young people in our schools to read and take inspiration from Michael Morpurgo's books, put pen to paper and enter our short story writing challenge.

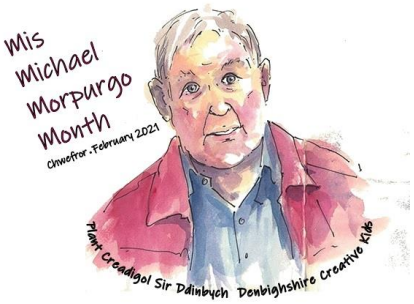
Michael Morpurgo is one of Britain's best-loved story makers. He has a gift for magical storytelling and his books include themes based on nature and environmental issues, community and interdependence and relationships between the old and the young. He often depicts people coming together and helping each other in times of crisis, such as war and natural disasters. Michael Morpurgo believes passionately in the power of stories to heal, to comfort and to inspire. Some of his most moving stories are set in war time: War Horse, An Eagle in the Snow, A Medal for Leroy and Private Peaceful, which were inspired by real life stories, events and people.

How to get started

1. **Read a Michael Morpurgo book or two**
   Don't worry, you don't have to buy them - books by Michael Morpurgo can be ordered and borrowed from your local Denbighshire library, either online or by phone. Full details can be found here:
   https://www.denbighshire.gov.uk/en/leisure-and-tourism/libraries/order-and-collect-library-books-during-covid-19.aspx

2. **Visit Michael Morpurgo's excellent website** https://www.michaelmorpurgo.com/ to learn more about him, discover other challenges and respond to his books. There's also **'Storytime'** for younger readers, so more children can join in the fun!

3. Read the useful short **'Story Starter'** guide, prepared by our good friends at Teacher's Pet, which we've attached for you.



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Your 'Michael Morpurgo-style' Challenge

Put simply, having checked out how Michael Morpurgo starts and writes his stories, using present tense, facts, important objects or persons, characters and speech, we would like you to put pen or pencil to paper, with drawings if you like, and write a fictional short story on a theme of your choice (no longer than 500 words).

Entries will be in three age categories - **Up to 7 years**, **7 to 11 years** and **12 to 14 years**.

All stories can be submitted in either Welsh or English.

Some Important Dates

The competition opens on **Monday 1st February 2021** and will close at **12 noon** on **Friday 26th February 2021**.

Winners will be announced on **Thursday 4th March 2021** to mark **World Book Day.**

Prizes: Your entry will be judged by our panel of experienced creatives. The overall winning entries in each age category will be awarded a copy of one of Michael Morpurgo's latest books, together with a unique certificate. Subject to appropriate permission/consent, all three winning short stories will be published via Denbighshire Library Services' online platform, so that they are available to be downloaded by children, families and schools to enjoy.

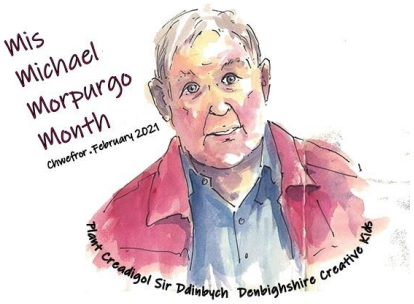
How to submit your entry

Please e-mail your entries to **sarah.dixon@denbighshire.gov.uk** **by 12 noon** on **Friday 26th February 2021**.

Don't forget to include

YOUR NAME
YOUR AGE
YOUR SCHOOL
A TITLE FOR YOUR STORY

Keep checking our social media pages -
www.denbighshireenrichment.com & @cyfoeth_enrich
for exciting updates throughout February



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Cystadleuaeth Ysgrifennu Creadigol / Creative Writing Competition

Telerau ac Amodau / Terms and Conditions

Trefnir y gystadleuaeth ysgrifennu creadigol gan Wasanaethau Addysg a Phlant Sir Ddinbych mewn partneriaeth â Gwasanaethau Llyfrgell Sir Ddinbych

Mae pob ymgeisydd yn cytuno i gadw at y telerau ac amodau canlynol
All entrants agree to abide by the following terms and conditions

- Mae'r gystadleuaeth yn rhad ac am ddim ac mae'n agored i unrhyw un sy'n mynychu ysgolion yn Sir Ddinbych.
- Rhaid i'r ceisiadau gael eu cyflwyno gan oedolyn (rhiant/gwarcheidwad neu athro) ar ran y plentyn.
- Mynediad mewn tri chategori oedran - **Hyd at 7 oed**, **7 i 11 oed** a **12 i 14 oed**.
- Y dyddiad cau yw **26ain Chwefror 2021**. Cyhoeddir enillwyr ar **4ydd Mawrth 2021**.
- Gellir cyflwyno pob cais yn Gymraeg neu yn Saesneg.
- Rhaid i'r cais heb fod yn hwy na 500 o eiriau.
- Rhaid i'r holl waith a gyflwynir fod yn wreiddiol.
- Rhaid i’r ceisiadau cael eu cyflwyno'n electronig drwy e-bost i **sarah.dixon@sirddinbych.gov.uk**
- Drwy gyflwyno eu cais, mae pob ymgeisydd yn rhoi'r hawl i Wasanaethau Addysg a Phlant Sir Ddinbych a Gwasanaethau Llyfrgell Sir Ddinbych gyhoeddi eu gwaith ar ein llwyfannau cyfryngau cymdeithasol, gwefan, Trydar a deunyddiau cyhoeddusrwydd eraill.
- Bydd y Beirniaid yn dewis y ceisiadau buddugol i'r gystadleuaeth.
- Bydd penderfyniad y beirniaid yn derfynol.
- Mae Gwasanaethau Addysg a Phlant Sir Ddinbych yn cadw'r hawl i ganslo'r gystadleuaeth hon ar unrhyw adeg pe bai'r angen yn codi.
- Bydd enwau'r enillwyr yn cael eu cyhoeddi ar sianeli cyfryngau cymdeithasol, gwefan, Trydar, oni bai eu bod wedi'u cyfarwyddo fel arall.
- Ni fydd y ceisiadau’n cael eu dychwelyd, felly cadwch gopi ar gyfer eich cofnodion eich hun.

- The competition is free to enter and is open to anyone attending schools in Denbighshire.
- Entries must be submitted by an adult (parent/guardian or teacher) on behalf of the child.
- Entry will be in three age categories - **Up to 7 years**, **7 to 11 years** and **12 to 14 years**.
- The closing date is **26th February 2021**. Winners will be announced on **4th March 2021**.
- All entries can be submitted in either Welsh or English.
- Entries must be no longer than 500 words.
- All work submitted must be original.
- Entries to be submitted electronically via e-mail to **sarah.dixon@denbighshire.gov.uk**
- By submitting their entry, all entrants grant Denbighshire Education and Children’s Services and Denbighshire Library Services the right to publish their work on our social media platforms, website, twitter and other publicity materials.
- Judges will select the winning entries to the competition.
- The decision of judges is final.
- Denbighshire Education and Children’s Services reserve the right to cancel this competition at any time should the need arise.
- The names of the winners will be published on social media channels, website, twitter, unless otherwise instructed.
- Entries will not be returned, so please keep a copy for your own records.