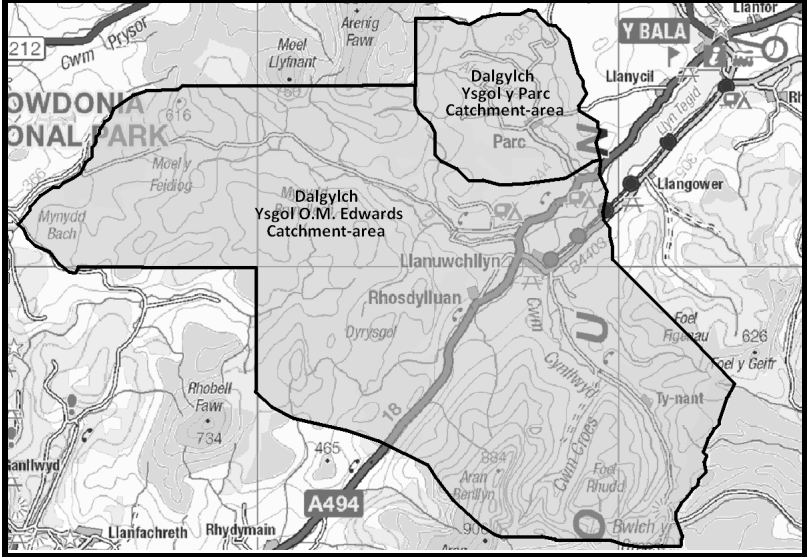
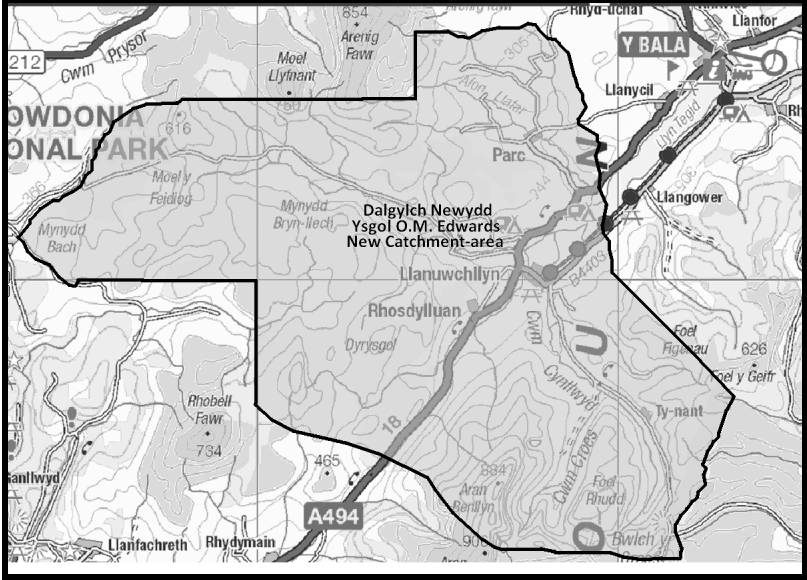


**INFORMATION TO BE PROVIDED WHERE THE PROPOSALS ARE TO DISCONTINUE A SCHOOL
(Schedule 4 Part V)**

	Ysgol Y Parc	Ref
40	<p>Details of proposals for pupils who are currently at the school to transfer to other schools together with any transitional arrangements.</p>	<p>These are the current school catchment areas:</p>  <p>The proposal would mean one catchment area:</p>  <p>One catchment area over the previous catchment areas of Ysgol y Parc and Ysgol OM Edwards. The amalgamation of the two previous catchment areas into one catchment.</p> <p>Transportation will be provided in accordance with the Council's Transport Policy: http://www.gwynedd.gov.uk/gwy_doc.asp?cat=7052&doc=25990&Language=1&p=1&c=1</p>

41	An assessment of the quality of any schools to which it is proposed that such pupils may transfer.	<p>The Authority is of the opinion that the education provided within this proposal would sustain and in some respects improve the quality of education for pupils who would attend Ysgol OM Edwards. Pupils would have the opportunity to be taught with their peers in significantly larger groups, by a larger number of teachers who could give and share their expertise.</p> <p>The Estyn report for the two schools are as follows:</p> <table> <tr> <th></th><th>Ysgol y Parc</th><th>Ysgol O.M. Edwards</th></tr> <tr> <td>Date of the Inspection</td><td>December 2007</td><td>May 2006</td></tr> <tr> <td>Summary of Inspection Reports</td><td>7 x Grade 2</td><td>7 x Grade 1</td></tr> <tr> <td>Inspection Reports</td><td>http://www.estyn.gov.uk/english/provider/6612206/</td><td>http://www.estyn.gov.uk/english/provider/6612199/</td></tr> </table> <p><u>Estyn Results Key:</u> Grade 1 = good with outstanding features Grade 2 = good features and no important shortcomings</p>		Ysgol y Parc	Ysgol O.M. Edwards	Date of the Inspection	December 2007	May 2006	Summary of Inspection Reports	7 x Grade 2	7 x Grade 1	Inspection Reports	http://www.estyn.gov.uk/english/provider/6612206/	http://www.estyn.gov.uk/english/provider/6612199/
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42 N/A	Where the school provides sixth form education the information specified in paragraph 26 in relation to the school	N/A												

**Documentation Requested via E-mail by Abigail Williams on 06-03-12
Regarding Proposal to Discontinue Ysgol y Parc**

Required Information	Evidence
<p>A statement as to how the publication requirements have been met, indicating the locations of the published notice. Also, we would be grateful if you could send a copy of the published notice as it was printed in the newspaper, for evidence of the date the notice was published.</p>	<p>On 05 March 2012 the Statutory Notice was released;</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Doc 16</p> <p>On the date of publication, March 5th 2012, the statutory notice was placed in four places in the village: the school door, the school gate, on a lamp post in proximity to the school gate and the gate of the village playing field.</p> <p>The notice was in the Daily Post on the date of publication, March 5th 2012 and in the Cambrian News on March 8th 2012 (first issue following the publication date).</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Doc 17</p> <p>The statutory notice was also in the local weekly community newspaper Y Cyfnod, that was published on 16 March 2012.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Doc 18</p> <p>Copies of the notice, along with a covering letter, were delivered by officers directly to the school for staff, governors and parents. A copy was sent to Bala library, the Dolgellau, Pwllheli and Caernarfon Area Offices for reference and was placed on the Council's website. Copies were also available on request to the School Organisation Office.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Doc 19</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Doc 20</p> <p>All objections received were sent an acknowledgment letter. Here is the letter sent in response to the first objection:</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Doc 21</p> <p>Closure of the Objection Period following publishing the Statutory Notice is on 05 April 2012. Objections have been received to this notice. Analysing and answering comments/questions within the objections will be completed by 19 April 2012.</p> <p>On 19 April 2011 the proposal will be transferred to the Minister for Education and Skills, Welsh Government.</p>
Evidence of Consultation	

Prior to Statutory Consultation	
Autumn 2009	The Berwyn Catchment Review Panel (CRP) was established to assist the Education Portfolio Leader to draft proposals for school reorganisation in the catchment. The CRP included representatives from the schools in the district, including the head teacher, chair of governors and parent governors of all primary and secondary schools, local area Councillors as well as a representative from the Diocese of St Asaph. An invitation was extended to others at the request of the CRP. There were five CRP meetings.
4 November 2009	CRP Meeting 1 http://www.gwynedd.gov.uk/gwy_doc.asp?cat=7328&doc=24542&Language=1&p=1&c=1
2 December 2009	CRP Meeting 2 http://www.gwynedd.gov.uk/gwy_doc.asp?cat=7328&doc=24542&Language=1&p=1&c=1
4 February 2010	CRP Meeting 3 http://www.gwynedd.gov.uk/gwy_doc.asp?cat=7328&doc=24542&Language=1&p=1&c=1
March 2010	Children Consultation http://www.gwynedd.gov.uk/gwy_doc.asp?cat=7328&doc=24542&Language=1&p=1&c=1
23 March 2010	CRP Meeting 4 http://www.gwynedd.gov.uk/gwy_doc.asp?cat=7328&doc=24542&Language=1&p=1&c=1
12 May 2010	CRP Meeting 5 http://www.gwynedd.gov.uk/gwy_doc.asp?cat=7328&doc=24542&Language=1&p=1&c=1