

GWERS 93

CYFLWYNYDD: CENNARD DAVIES

NOD: Trefnu ymlaen llaw (arranging before hand - discussing future arrangements)

Geirfa

geirfa	-	to arrange, organise	cyrraedd	-	to reach, arrive at
gorffen	-	to finish, end	dechrau	-	to begin, start
galw (am)	-	to call (for)	teithio	-	to travel
talw (am)	-	to pay (for)	cysylltu â	-	to contact
defnyddio	-	to use	ffonio	-	to telephone
cwrdd â	-	to meet	gweld	-	to see
codi	-	to pick up	aros am	-	to wait for
bwyta	-	to eat	dweud	-	to say
diolch am	-	to thank for	yfed	-	to drink
cyfarfod(ydd)	-	meeting(s)	pwyllogor(au)	-	committee(s)
cyngerdd f	-	concert	siec(iau) f	-	cheque(s)
arian parod	-	ready cash	swyddfa f	-	office
cornel f	-	corner	eglwys f	-	church
gorsaf f	-	station	tref f	-	town
cyfaill	-	friend	cyfeillion	-	friends
ffrind(iau)	-	friend(s)			
nesaf	-	next	ymlaen llaw	-	before hand
yma	-	here	yno	-	there
dim byd	-	nothing	o gwbl	-	at all
dim byd	-	nothing	'te	-	then
o gwbl	-	at all	gobeithio	-	I hope
fel arfer	-	as usual	tua	-	about
gyda lwc	-	with luck			
â (ag)	-	with	(h)efo (N.W.)-	-	with
gyda(g)	-	with	ar	-	on
gyferbyn â	-	opposite	yn ymyl	-	near
yng nghanol	-	in the middle of	wrth	-	by, near

Pryd?	-	When?	Am faint o'r -	At what
Sut?	-	How?	time?	gloch?
Ble?	-	Where?	Gyda phwy? -	With whom?

RHAN 1

1. There is **no mutation** after 'Pryd?'

Pryd trefni di gyfarfod? - Y mis nesa'.
- **When** will you arrange a meeting? - Next month.

Pryd gorffenniff y gyngerdd? - Am naw o'r gloch.
- **When** will the concert end? - At nine o'clock.

Pryd gwelan nhw Tom? - Yfory.
- **When** will they see Tom? - Tomorrow.

2. There is **no mutation** after 'Am faint o'r gloch?'

Am faint o'r gloch cyrhaeddiff y bws? - Am ddeng munud i dri.
- **At what time** will bus arrive? - At ten to three.

Am faint o'r gloch gorffennan nhw'r pwyllgor? - Am wyth o'r gloch.
- **At what time** will they finish the committee (meeting)? - At eight o'clock.

3. There is **no mutation** after 'Sut?'

Sut teithi di yno? - Yn y car.
- **How** will you travel there? - By car (in the car).

Sut taliff e am y bwyd? - Â (Gyda / efo) siec.
- **How** will he pay for the food? - By cheque (with a cheque).

Sut cysylltwch chi â'r swyddfa? - Dros y ffôn.
- **How** will you contact the office? - By 'phone (over the 'phone).

Sut cysyllti di â nhw? - Fe ddefnyddia' i'r ffôn.
- **How** will you contact them? - I'll use the 'phone.

4. Remember that the **indefinite** object of a 'short' verb undergoes a Soft Mutation

Pryd trefni di **gy**farfod?

- When will you arrange **a meeting**?

Pryd trefni di'r **cy**farfod?

- When will you arrange **the meeting**?

5. Notice the spelling of the stems of the following verbs

dechrau	-	dech re u-	-	Fe / Mi ddech re uan nhw
gorffen	-	gorff en n-	-	Fe / Mi orff en nwn ni
cyrhaedd	-	cyr ha edd-	-	Fe / Mi gyr ha eddwch chi

6. You know that some preposition's have **personal forms** in Welsh i.e. an ending is added to the preposition to convey a certain person

(a) ar

arnaf i

arnon ni

arnat ti

arnoch chi

arno fe (fo)

arnyn nhw

arni hi

Pryd edrychi di **arni hi**?

- **When** will you look **at it**? (film - feminine)

(a) i

iddo fe (fo)

iddyn nhw

iddi hi

Sut talwn ni **iddi hi**?

- **How** will we pay **her**?

(c) 'am'

amdana(f) i	amdanon ni
amdanat ti	amdanoch chi
amdano fe (fo)	amdanyyn nhw
amdani hi	

Pryd galwch chi **amdana**' i?
- **When** will you call **for me**?

Am faint o'r gloch galwan nhw **amdanat ti**?
- **At what time** will they call **for you**?

Sut talan nhw **amdano fe (fo)**?
- **How** will they pay **for it?** (masculine)

Sut tali di **amdani hi**?
- **How** will you pay **for it?** (feminine).

Pryd galwan nhw **amdanon ni**?
- **When** will they call **for us**?

Am faint o'r gloch galwan nhw **amdanoch chi**?
- **At what time** will they call **for you**?

Sut taliff hi **amdanyyn nhw**?
- **How** will she pay **for them**?

In these lessons 'am' has been used with certain verbs to convey 'for'

galw am	-	to call for
talw am	-	to pay for
aros am	-	to wait for
diolch am	-	to thank for

But be aware of the fact that 'am' can be used with other verbs to convey 'about'

siarad am	-	to talk about
meddwl am	-	to think about
poeni am	-	to worry about

RHAN 2

1. There is **no mutation** after '**Ble?**'

Ble cwrddi di â hi? - Yn ymyl yr eglwys.
- **Where** will you meet her? - Near the church.

Ble gweliff hi darsi? - Yng nghanol y dref.
- **Where** will she see a taxi? - In the middle of the town.

Ble arhosan nhw amdanon ni? - Ar y cornel.
- **Where** will they wait for us? - On the corner.

Ble arhosan i amdanoch chi? - Gyferbyn â'r eglwys.
- **Where** will I wait for you? - Opposite the church.

2. There is **no mutation** after '**Gyda phwy?**'

Gyda phwy arhoswch chi? - Gyda Siân.
- **With whom** will you stay? - With Siân.

Gyda phwy teithian nhw?
- **With whom** will they travel?

Gyda phwy cerddiff hi i'r gwaith? - Gyda chyfaill.
- **With whom** will she walk to work? - With a friend.

3. Unlike all the other question words, there is a **Soft Mutation** after '**Pwy?**' and '**Beth?**'

Pwy weli di yn y dref? - Cyfeillion.
- **Whom** will you see in town? - Friends.

Pwy daliff y bil? - Bob.
- **Who** will pay the bill? - Bob.

Pwy daliff amdanyn nhw? - Fi.
- **Who** will pay for them? - Me (I will).

Pwy ddiolchiff amdanyn nhw?
- **Who** will thank for them?

Beth ddywedan nhw yn y cyfarfod? - Dim byd.
- **What** will they say in the meeting? - Nothing.

Beth bryni di yn y dre'? - Dim byd o gwbl.
- **What** will you buy in town? - Nothing at all.

Beth fwytwn ni yn y parti?
- **What** will we eat in the party?

Beth ddywediff dy fam?
- **What** will you mother say?

Beth ddywediff y plismon amdano fe?
- **What** will the policeman say about him?

4. Notice the root of 'aros' and 'dweud'

aros	-	ar h os-	Fe / Mi ar h oswn ni
dweud	-	dy w ed-	Fe / Mi ddy w edan nhw

5. Notice the Aspirate Mutation after 'gyda / â'

gyda ph wy?	-	with whom?
gyda ch yfaill	-	with a friend
siarad â ph lant	-	talking to children

6. codi

You'll notice that 'codi' can mean a number of different things in Welsh

- (i) to get up
- (ii) to rise
- (iii) to raise (build)
- (iv) to lift
- (v) to pick up

7. Sgwrs

Nigel: Pryd trefni di gyfarfod o'r pwyllgor?
Cennard: Nos Iau nesaf, gobeithio.
Nigel: Am faint o'r gloch?
Cennard: Am chwarter wedi saith, fel arfer.
Nigel: Am faint o'r gloch gorffennwn ni?
Cennard: Tua naw o'r gloch, gyda lwc.
Nigel: Ble cwrddwn ni, 'te?
Cennard: Yn y clwb rygbi, wrth gwrs.
Nigel: Sut cysyllti di â Sam a Dic?
Cennard: Dros y ffôn ac fe gwrdda' i â ti ar y cornel yn ymyl yr eglwys
am chwarter i saith.
Nigel: O'r gorau fe arhosa' i yno amdanat ti.

