



10th anniversary for German teacher scheme

A scheme which allows student teachers in Germany to work in Pembrokeshire classrooms as part of their degree course, has celebrated its 10th anniversary.

Since 2004, the PrimA project has seen over 140 Germans in their mid-twenties teach in the county's primary and secondary schools, giving them first-hand experience of working in a truly bilingual setting.

On return to their homeland after a four-month placement, they often become eloquent ambassadors for Wales - some of them even having learnt a little Welsh.

Schools from all over Wales take part in the scheme with Wuppertal University near Dusseldorf - 20 of them in Pembrokeshire.

Professor Baerbel Diehr from the University said that from the start the County Council had led the way and generously supported the project.

Caption

The German student teachers currently working in Pembrokeshire are pictured with local hosts in County Hall, Haverfordwest



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