Catalogue of the Records of St. John's College Ystrad Meurig

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School History

Ystrad Meurig School was established c.1734 by Edward Richard of Ystrad Meurig, who had begun by teaching local boys in the parish church. Edward Richard was distinguished as a profound scholar and critic, an antiquary, and a Welsh poet, and was the author of some pastorals, which, for elegance of composition and purity of style, are said to be unrivalled by any writings in the Welsh language. He is thought to have been born in the year 1714, but his name does not appear among the baptisms in the register.

By 1759 Edward Richard was teaching over fifty pupils and in 1757, the school was legally established and endowed as a grammar school. In 1774 the school was declared open to boys from Cardiganshire, offering a free education in Latin and the principles of the Church of England. Following the death of Edward Richard in 1777, the Reverend John Williams took over as headmaster. Under Williams, Ystrad Meurig School established and maintained a reputation for classical scholarship. By 1812 a separate school building had been erected in the parish churchyard and between 1803 and 1827 Ystrad Meurig became the main institution for the training of ordinands in the St. David's diocese. At one point during this period the school was attended by 150 pupils and though most pupils went on to become clergy of the Church of England within Wales, distinguished alumni include Dr David Davis, physician to William IV and Queen Victoria, and John Williams, first warden of Llandovery College. Numbers at Ystrad Meurig School fell after the opening of St. David's College at nearby Lampeter in 1827. The curriculum became more like that of a secondary school, and it developed into a preparatory institution for pupils who wished to go on to study at St. David's College, or at the University of Wales. The school continued to provide education for local boys and accepted men whose education had been disrupted by both of the world wars, prior to their advancement to university. From the 1950s the school gradually declined. By this time it was called St. John's College, though the exact date of, and reasons for this change are unknown. Its main role became the provision of O-level and A-level courses for potential students of theology at Lampeter. The last headmaster resigned in 1973. The school library has since been moved to St David's College, Lampeter, and the school itself is now used as a village hall.

The Ystrad Meurig Collection held in the RBLA Special Collections Library comprises about six hundred items from the former parochial and school library of St John's College (1757-1974) founded by Edward Richard (1714-77) of whose library about 320 books survive. The Collection covers a wide range of subjects in the humanities and theology, predominantly in Latin and English, from the 17th to 19th centuries. Highlights of the Collection include Samuel Johnson's Dictionary of the English Language, Pierre Bayle's Dictionary, and Thomas Hobbes Leviathan.

Cover image of the school taken 1961

Archival Material

Scope and content: The archive contains correspondence relating to entry to Ystrad Meurig School, and from Ystrad Meurig School to St. David's College, Lampeter; financial papers; photographs of the college; copies of the college magazine, Library Records, and other miscellaneous items.

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YM/1 Admission Registers

YM/1/1 Admission Register 1859-71. Class Entries, including lists of students, their places of birth and ages. School Report of the Examiner in 1860. Staff vacancy in 1861. Statement of the requirement that candidates must be graduates from Cambridge or Oxford; have Holy Orders; be ready for ordination; and to know both Welsh and English. Board and lodging prices for the headmaster's house and tuition fees for each academic year. Essay entitled 'Things remembered by John Jenkins about the Rev. John Williams

- Former Headmaster'

YM/1/2 Admission Register September 1871 – Lent 1892. Class entries and details of

awarding of scholarships

of the end of WWII. FRAGILE

YM/1/3 Day Book. Admission Register Lent 1896 – Lent 1915. Student lists including details of free scholars attending through the Edward Richard's Foundation.

Ages and counties of students and remarks on their school career.

YM/2 Attendance Registers

YM/2/1 Attendance Register 1910-11. 22- 24 June 1911 the school was shut for the coronation of King George V

YM/2/2 Attendance Register 1945-50. Saturday, 8 June 1946, marked in register as "Victory Celebrations". The school was closed as it was the first anniversary

YM/2/3 Attendance Register 1951-56 YM/2/4 Attendance Register 1956-58

YM/2/5 Attendance Register 1958-69. Important dates are noted. For example:

Monday 8 June 1958 – polio injections at Tregaron; Tuesday 9 June 1958 – holiday for juniors; 19 June 1958 – no school as an "Old Boy" was knighted; 25 February 1960 – "Day's Holiday – Queen's Baby" (Prince Andrew); 6 May 1960 – day off school for the Royal Wedding of Princess Margaret and Anthony Armstrong-Jones; Saturday 21 1960 – Sports Day and Barbeque; November 27 1961 – school shut due to an outbreak of influenza; December 2 1961 – junior school shut due to flu; December 7 1961 – end of term finishes a week early due to high incidence of influenza; 16 May 1968 –

anniversary of the school's Headmasters ordination

YM/2/6 Attendance Register 1968-73 YM/2/7 Attendance Register 1936

YM/3 Financial Records

YM/3/1 Account Book 1892-1907, lists holders of Daniel Williams Scholarship
YM/3/2 Account Book 1939-47. Contains names and addresses of Ystrad Meurig
students and holds records of the fees paid in the Michaelmas Term of 1947
YM/3/3 Account Book 1948-57. List of students 1953-4 by seniors, mature age and
unclassified. Grid of senior and mature students and their chosen subjects.
Available subjects included English Literature & Language, History,
Geography, Scripture, Greek, Latin, Welsh, Arithmetic and Welsh Literature.
List of new students, their fees and their chosen subjects. Notes on the fees
for the Lent term of 1956, divided into seniors and juniors. Indication of

which students were eligible for free tuition

YM/3/4 Appeal from Old Boys to Welsh Churchmen for funds to improve the

building

YM/3/5 'An account of money laid out in repairing of the tower of Llanfihangel-y-Creiddyn Church. Payments to masons, carpenters and blacksmiths. 1842-1846. FRAGILE YM/3/6 Memorandum on the finances and other matters pertinent to the administration of St John's College, Ystrad Meurig. Prepared by C A Harford and H J Archdall, 20 December 1950. Building Surveyor's Report. Account of interview with legal branch of the Ministry of Education. Seven pages Approach to the Representative Body of the Church in Wales for an YM/3/7 Increase in Grant. Typed report. c. 1950 YM/3/8 Grants from the Funds of the Representative Body of the Church in Wales to assist with the Pre-Matriculation Training of Ex-Service Candidates for the Ministry, who desire to serve in Wales. 8 September 1948. List of payments to St John's College YM/3/9 Letter from W M Davies to Bishop St David's asking for financial support for the school from the fund for the benefit of Church Schools. 28 July 1951

YM/4 Trustees' Records

YM/4/1	Ystradmeurig Charities. Names of Committee appointed to the Trustees		
	1906. Committee's Minutes for January 1907. Newspaper cuttings c. 1951.		
	Handwritten list of Trustees 1906. FRAGILE		
YM/4/2	Annual Accounts presented to Trustees, 1957		
YM/4/3	Headmaster's Annual Report to Trustees, 1965-9. Notes from meetings with		
	the Board of Trustees and the Headmaster of St. John's College. Records of		
	students recommended for scholarships and prizes		
YM/4/4	Copy of Scheme for the Administration of the Daniel Williams Trust, 1894		
YM/4/5	Typed report from the Ministry of Education for the Trustees, 24 September		
	1948, outlining the establishment of the various deeds associated with the		
	charitable status and foundations of the school. Copies enclosed.		

YM/5 Correspondence

YM/5/1	Advertisement for Scholarships, 1885
YM/5/2	Letter from John Jones to F. R. Roberts on admission of pupils, 1897
YM/5/3	Correspondence re. examinations, 1915, 4 items
YM/5/4	Headmaster's Report, 1915 (copy) by G Davys Jones, acting headmaster
YM/5/5	Letter from L. J. M. Bebb, Principal of St. David's College Lampeter, re.
	advertisements for new headmaster. Draft of same, 1915
YM/5/6	Particulars of Vacant Headmastership, 27 September 1915
YM/5/7	Letter dated 19 October 1915 written by John Rhys on behalf of a candidate
	for the headmastership, one Rev. David J Jones
YM/5/8	Report on School Building 29 November 1915 with list of repairs required
YM/5/9	Letter to the Lord Bishop regarding provision of a water supply to the
	school. 19 February 1926
YM/5/10	Memorandum on the School financial position, 1929
YM/5/11	21 items of correspondence 1947-8
YM/5/11/1	Handwritten letter from Canon D J Jones, dated 14 February 1947, to the
	principal and discussing the arrival of new pupils. List of pupils, most of
	which had been released from active duty. Three pages

YM/5/11/2 Typed letter from the Governing Body of the Church of Wales, 8 September 1948, to Reverend Davies authorising the payment of funds to Saint John's College Ystrad Meurig YM/5/11/3 Typed letter to the headmaster, 17 February 1947, with list of students who will sit the matriculation exam. Two of whom were in the armed forces. YM/5/11/4 Typed letter to the headmaster, 18 February 1947, asking whether one of the students, G E Beynon, had only one arm (See YM/5/11/5) YM/5/11/5 Handwritten letter and typed letter, 27 and 28 March 1947 respectively, discussing a new applicants to the college. Further discussion of Beynon and his ability to celebrate the Sacrament with only one arm (see YM/5/11/4). Three pages YM/5/11/6 Typed letter, 23 March 1947. Problems put forward to the sub – committee concerning Ystrad Meurig (Financial and examinations) YM/5/11/7 Typed list of men who have passed or failed their examinations. 20 June YM/5/11/8 Typed letter, 19 September 1947 inquiring about men who have failed their examinations YM/5/11/9 MS and Typed letters, 20 and 22 September 1947 respectively re. students postponing their examinations until the next year (i.e. 1948) YM/5/11/10 Typed letter, 30 September 1947 to the headmaster detailing the poor performance of some students in the examinations Typed letter, 30 October 1947 re anticipated extra pressure for places at YM/5/11/11 Saint David's College for 1948 YM/5/11/12 Typed letter, 11 November 1947, the situation concerning servicemen entering the college in 1948 and the names of fourteen prospective candidates Typed letter, 18 November 1947, to the Reverend Canon D.J Jones. YM/5/11/13 Problems raised with men claiming war concessions for the schools YM/5/11/14 Two typed letters, 29 April and 4 May 1948, concerning examinations being taken outside of school and the accommodation provided at the school. Second letter permits men to take the exams outside of school. YM/5/11/15 Typed letter, 31 May 1948, from Archdall, SDC, regarding examination regulations for the Matriculation Examination YM/5/11/16 Two MS letters, 10 April and 26 May1948, regarding the provision of food for an external examiner who will be present at the school YM/5/11/17 Typed letter, 16 June 1948, from the Joint Counties Mental Hospital, Carmarthen, to Principal Archdall (SDC) concerning the condition of Canon D J Jones after he became emotionally erratic. It questions whether he can return to his job at the school YM/5/11/18 Typed letter, 26 August 1948, to the secretary of the Ministry of Education requesting the trust deeds governing St. Johns College be given in time for the Trustees meeting on 16 September 1948 Three typed letters dated 28 May 1948 regarding arrangements for YM/5/11/19 Matriculation Examinations YM/5/11/20 Typed and MS letters, 26 August 1948, between Archdall and Harford discussing the date the Archbishop is arriving at the school for the trustee meeting, that the vicar is receiving electrical shock treatment and the use of the College Field for the Lampeter Agricultural Society Show YM/5/11/21 Typed letter, 28 October 1948, to Mr Davies asking for a list of men who sat their matriculation examinations, and also to make sure that they understand the concessions they get under war time statute

YM/5/12	20 items of correspondence 1949-57
YM/5/12/1	MS and typed letters, dated 14 and 18 February 1949 respectively, between
	Archdall and W M Davies, discussing meeting of the trustees and thirty-two
	applications to the College
YM/5/12/2	MS and Typed letters, 5 and 6 October 1950 respectively, about the
	Matriculation examination results and the subjects in which some students
	had failed
YM/5/12/3	Typed letter, 14 September 1950, list of candidates for September
	Matriculation
YM/5/12/4	One MS and one typed letter dated 10 and 11 May 1950 respectively. Details
	of a student R D Ambrose eligible to sit the Ex-Service Men's Matriculation
	having been engaged in agricultural work during WWII
YM/5/12/5	Typed letter dated 11th May 1950 to Reverend Davies detailing applications
	for exams and the proposed changes to the school concerning GCE's
YM/5/12/6	Typed letter, 16 May 1950, asking for the names of the men sitting the
	matriculation examination, and which subjects they are taking. Closing date
	for application being 29 May
YM/5/12/7	Typed letter, 7 July 1950, discussing changes to Matriculation Requirements
	in light of the newly introduced General Education Certificate
YM/5/12/8	MS letter to Archdall, 1 December 1950, from W M Davies regarding a
	meeting of the School Trustees at the Welsh Library of SCD
YM/5/12/9	Typed letter, 19 December 1950, sent with seven copies of the
	Memorandum re. Saint John's College Ystrad Meurig, drawn up by Sir
	Arthur Harford, to be distributed amongst the Trustees
YM/5/12/10	Typed list of eight men attending Ystrad Meurig 1950-1951
YM/5/12/11	Typed letter and covering letter, 29 January 1951, from The Governing Body
	of the church in Wales to the Lord Bishop and Principal Archdall re. Grants
	for pre matriculation training at Saint John's College Ystrad Meurig
YM/5/12/12	Typed letter, 18 May 1951, confirming dispatch of twenty application forms
	to the Reverend W.M Davies from the secretary of SDC
YM/5/12/13	MS and typed letters, dated 14 and 15 June 1951 respectively concerning
	the timetable and travelling arrangements for the matriculation
	examinations
YM/5/12/14	MS letter, 2 October 1951, to Principal Archdall from W M Davies re.
	Matriculation results, examiners reports, which students failed and a
	reminder about new students joining the college
YM/5/12/15	Typed letter, 10 October 1951, to the headmaster detailing discrepancies
	between Diocesan Grants towards fees given to students at Ystrad Meurig
\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\	(£56) and from Saint David's (£40)
YM/5/12/16	MS and typed letters, 4 and 5 January 1952 respectively re. request to hold
VA 4/5 /4 0 /4 7	Trustees meeting at the Welsh Library at Saint David's College
YM/5/12/17	MS letter (no date) concerning students and exams from J Williams
YM/5/12/18	MS letter, 21 September 1952, from Sam Boardman, an applicant to the
VM/F/10/10	school requesting details of books needed and uniform/kit required
YM/5/12/19	Application form for St. John's College from Jack Andrew Edney Foster
	dated 25 August 1956; typed letter, 10 September 1956, from secretary of the
	Army Ordination Candidates, to Reverend W.M Davies, regarding a request
	for the early release of Sgt J.A.E Foster from the army to join the college; MS
	letter from Foster, 25 September 1956 explaining that his early release was impossible and could he study the subjects at night school
YM/5/12/20	• • • •
1 IVI/ 3/ 1Z/ ZU	MS letter, 11 January 1957 re. course of study at St John's College

YM/5/13	Correspondence relating to finance, and mainly exchanged between the principle of the school and a representative of the Ministry of Education and Finance in London. 1947-1955. Mixture of typewritten and MS
YM/5/14	College Rules and Routine, W M Davies, 4 October 1949. Two copies. Church attendance, attire, lodgings, football (compulsory) and general behaviour
YM/5/15	Two hand-drawn timetables for lessons, 1950
YM/5/16	List of alumni, forty-three names
YM/5/17	School Report for 1955-1956
YM/5/18	Form of Bidding Prayer for the Bicentenary Service, 1957
YM/5/19	Letter from Callingham, Griffith & Bate, Solicitors, dated 21 June 1956 re.
	Deeds of Retirement and Appointment
YM/5/20	Receipt from the Welsh Gazette and copy of advertisement for availability of
	free places at the school
YM/5/21	Two MS prayers in same hand. Undated. Welsh and English
YM/5/22	Headmaster's Report. W M Davies, 1951
YM/5/23	Bundle of MS correspondence. Unsorted

YM/6 Applications and Results

YM/6/1	1880s – 1956. Lists of students, names, births and birth places; applicants; Matriculants; references for Saint John's College Ystrad Meurig and for SDC.
	List of boys in the Edward Richards Foundation in 1896
YM/6/2	Various items of paperwork referring to the academic results of pupils, their
11111 01 2	progression and university results, 1947-1959. MS and typewritten
YM/6/2/1	Hand-drawn chart showing matriculation examination results by pupil
	name, number, subjects, and result, June 1948. Three pages
YM/6/2/2	One typed summer's report and one set of results for the June matriculation
	examination results. Drawn up by the Head of the Department of English at
	St David's College, Lampeter. Candidates on results sheet are all former
	school attendees. Confidential MS letter from representative at St David's
	College, Lampeter to the principal of the school, discussing issues of
	competency in grammar, and a lack of teaching in lower years. June 1950.
YM/6/2/3	Hand-drawn chart with results of seniors and juniors for specific subject
	areas. Summer terminal exam results and MS summer terminal exam
	results for arithmetic and Welsh. Notes for improvement, summer 1952
YM/6/2/4	Handwritten sheet listing, on one side, junior students and results achieved
	in specific subject areas including: arithmetic, algebra, geometry, and
	scripture. On the reverse the same for seniors in the subjects of: arithmetic,
YM/6/2/5	mathematics and Welsh. Notes for improvement. Undated Typed list of GCE exams students were due to sit. List of candidate names
1101/0/2/3	and note of results. Hand drawn chart with student GCE results and the
	subjects passed or failed. Summer 1956
YM/6/2/6	MS list of examination marks divided into junior and senior. 17 March 1957
YM/6/3	List (typed) of June Examinations from St David's College, Lampeter. Shows
	names of candidates and the degree qualifications they achieved, and lists
	examiners at the bottom. Some student names underlined, possibly
	previous students of the school. June 1949
YM/6/4	Typed letter addressed to the headmaster of the school, from the Reverend
	J. Griffith at the Alrewar Vicarage in Burton-on-Trent. Discussing the
	continued existence of the 'Old Boys Fellowship' at the school and his wish
	to re-join. 29 November 1948

YM/7 Library Records

YM/7 Catalogues of the library at Ystrad Meurig School

YM/7/1 A catalogue of the library at Ystrad Meurig. In a small booklet form (smaller

than A4), and handwritten by a student librarian from the school. Numbers are included in the margins, and the names of the volumes kept in the library are listed beside these numbers. There are 550 items listed in total, in addition to the spare notes at the end referring to loose leaves and front pages, from books no longer catalogued at the time. Dated September

1948. Item 2 bundled inside.

YM/7/2 MS Catalogue of the library at Ystrad Meurig to 1957 in school notebook

YM/7/3 A brief report on the Ystrad Meurig collection of books. Overview of the

history of the books that are stored in the collection, the nature of the material covered, and the relationship between the school and St David's College, Lampeter. Some material is listed as having come from teaching staff throughout the years. Document discussing the composition of the pre-

1850 section of the Ystrad Meurig collection and map depicting the arrangement of the collection. Two copies. Annotated. Three pages

YM/7/4 Correspondence between Robin Rider and W H Howells, 19 January 1983.

Catalogue of Ystrad Meurig Collection housed at St. David's University College, Lampeter compiled by Howells in course of production of thesis.

Two Copies.

YM/7/5 List entitled *Arranged in Order of Entries in Accessions Register* and

attributed to Edward Davies. Typed and annotated

YM/7/6 Bundle of correspondence regarding the library of the School now at SDC.

Applications for cataloguing grants. 1969-1992

YM/8 Syllabus

YM/8 School boys exercise book concerning Welsh history. Annotated

YM/9 Society Records

YM/9 St John's College Debating Society Minute Book. Titles of Debates: 'The

colour bar in South Africa', 4 November 1947 Speaker: F G Chamberlain. 'That free speech should be limited' 11 November 1947. Speakers: G D Lewis and W P Johns. 'That Nationalism constitutes a threat to world peace,' November 25th 1947. Speakers: J. Chinerton and G. Whelley. 'That married women should be wage farmers', 2 November 1947. Speakers: J F Young and J Hill. 'That there should be no public entertainment on Sundays', 9 October 1947. Speakers: P L F Davies and Ian Fraser. 'Should a Christian be a Pacifist', 21 November 1952. Speakers: Mr J Jackett and Mr D Williams. Loose sheet containing extra notes on English synonyms. Thanks, number of attendees, complaints, and details of who won or lost each debate.

YM/10 School Magazines

YM/10/1	St John's College Magazine, Midsummer 1930
YM/10/2	St John's College Magazine, Midsummer 1931
YM/10/3	St John's College Magazine, Midsummer 1932
YM/10/4	St John's College Magazine, Autumn 1947

YM/11 **Publications** YM/11 Publications relevant to the history of the college, both originals and copies YM/11/1 Gwaith Prydyddawl Edward Richard o Ystradmeuria, 1856. Pamphlet in Welsh. Given to the Vicar of Abererch by T S Harford-Jones, 1917 YM/11/2 Y Clasuron yng Ngymru, gan D. Emrys Evans, 1952. Pamphlet in Welsh Makes reference to Edward Richard. YM/11/3 Province, a Church in Wales Quarterly. 2:1, Easter 1951. Article on St David's College Lampeter by Principal H K Archdall YM/11/4 Province, a Church in Wales Quarterly. 2:3, Autumn 1951. Article on Trinity College Carmarthen by Principal T Halliwell Province, a Church in Wales Quarterly, 4:1, Easter 1953. Article on St John's YM/11/5 College Ystrad Meurig by Headmaster W M Davies Province, a Church in Wales Quarterly, 4:2, Summer 1953. Article on St YM/11/6 John's College Ystrad Meurig (part II) by Headmaster W M Davies YM/11/7 Province, a Church in Wales Quarterly, 4:3, Autumn 1953. Article on The Building of St David's College Lampeter by Ronald Tree YM/11/8 Yr Haul Welsh version of a Church in Wales Quarterly, 11, Haf 1955. Article on Coleg Dewi Sant a Thy Ddewi, by Ronald Tree Ystrad Meurig Grammar School 1757-1957, outline history of the School. YM/11/9 Pamphlet written by the then headmaster, W M Davies. Illustrated and annotated YM/11/10 Journal of the Cardiganshire Antiquarian Society, 5:3, 1966. Article on Edward Richard of Ystrad Meurig by M C Donaldson YM/11/11 Ceredigion: Journal of Ceredigion Antiquarian Society, 9:3, 1982. Article on the Library of Edward Richard, Ystradmeurig by William H Howells YM/11/12 Ceredigion: Journal of Ceredigion Antiquarian Society, 16:3, 2011. Article on the Un-heralded Heritage of Ystrad Meurig School by E D Evans. Photocopy YM/11/13 Extract from Cymru, 1893. Article on Ein Hathrofeydd a'n Hysgolion: VI. Ystrad Meurig (Our Colleges and Schools) by David Samuel. Three pages. Illustrated. Welsh Heir of the Ages: A Pageant of the story of the Church in Wales and the YM/11/14 Diocese of St. David's in Particular. Festival of Britain 1951. Script prepared by Derrick G. Childs (Principal of Trinity Carmarthen) and personal property of headmaster W. M. Davies YM/11/15 The Reports of the Commissioners [...] to enquire concerting Charities in England and Wales relating to the County of Cardigan, 1819-1837. Includes the Grammar School at Ystrad Meurig (p587) and St David's College (p592 inquiry postponed) "A few reminiscences of Reverend John Jones MA". Written by his son, the YM/11/16 Rector of New Market, 1917, FRAGILE YM/11/17 Extracts for Schools inquiry Commission vol. XX, Monmouthshire and Wales. 1870. Entries for Lampeter Grammar School (pp73-76) and to Ystrad Meurig and Lledrod United Grammar Schools (pp77-82). Photocopy

YM/12 Orders of Service

YM/12/1

Consecration of Edward Richard's Memorial Church, Ystrad Meurig.
Thursday 17 August 1899. Annotated
YM/12/2

Ystrad Meurig Grammar School 1757-1957 Bicentenary Celebrations.
Tuesday 10 September 1957. Three copies
YM/12/3

St. John's Church Ystrad Meurig. Dedication of a Stained Glass Window in Memory of Rev. John Jones, headmaster of St John's College. Wednesday 6 November 1963

YM/12/4 St. John's Church Ystrad Meurig. A Centenary thanksgiving service for the life and work of the late Rev. John Jones, assistant master of St John's College (1865-1870) and headmaster (1870-1915). Thursday 11 November 1965.

YM/13 College Histories

YM/13/1 Bundle of typed and MS 'histories' of the School at Ystrad Meurig. Includes MS copy of Edward Richard's will of 28 February 1777

YM/14 Photographs

YM/14/1	Photograph of the chair of Edward Richard. b/w
YM/14/2	Photographic postcard of the exterior of St John's College. Sepia
YM/14/3	Photograph of the exterior of St John's College. b/w
YM/14/4	Photograph of the interior of St John's Church. b/w
YM/14/5	Photograph of the exterior of St John's College, 1961. b/w. Mounted.
YM/14/6	Photograph of the exterior of St John's Church, 2001
YM/14/7	Portrait photographic postcard of male graduate. Sepia
YM/14/8	Photographic postcard of staff/clergy. Sepia
YM/14/9	Group photograph of clergy outside Ystrad Meurig Church, July 1949. b/w
YM/14/10	Photographic postcard of St John's College Football Club, 1909-10. Sepia
YM/14/11	Group photograph of St John's College Football Club, 1951. b/w
YM/14/12	Group photograph of St John's College Cricket Team, 1952. b/w
YM/14/13	Photographic postcard of St John's College 2™ XI Football Club, 1912-13.
	Sepia. Faded
YM/14/14	Photographic postcard of group of men, women and children. Sepia. Faded
YM/14/15	Group photograph of St John's College staff and students. b/w. 1947-8 Two
	copies
YM/14/16	Group photograph of St John's College staff and students. b/w. 1947-8 Two
	copies. Mounted

YM/15 Newspaper Cuttings

YM/16

YM/15 Selection of newspaper cuttings. Unsorted. Welsh and English. Some collected by former headmaster Rev W M Davies. FRAGILE

YM/16 Canolfan Edward Richard Centre

Minutes, newsletters, reports made by the Friends of Edward Richard Old Grammar School outlining the change of use from school to Community Centre. Exhibition material relating to event to celebrate the bicentenary of the old school, Summer 2012, at which items from the former library were exhibited. inc. dvd. 1996-2012