

# Travelling To and From Rhyl High School

## Location

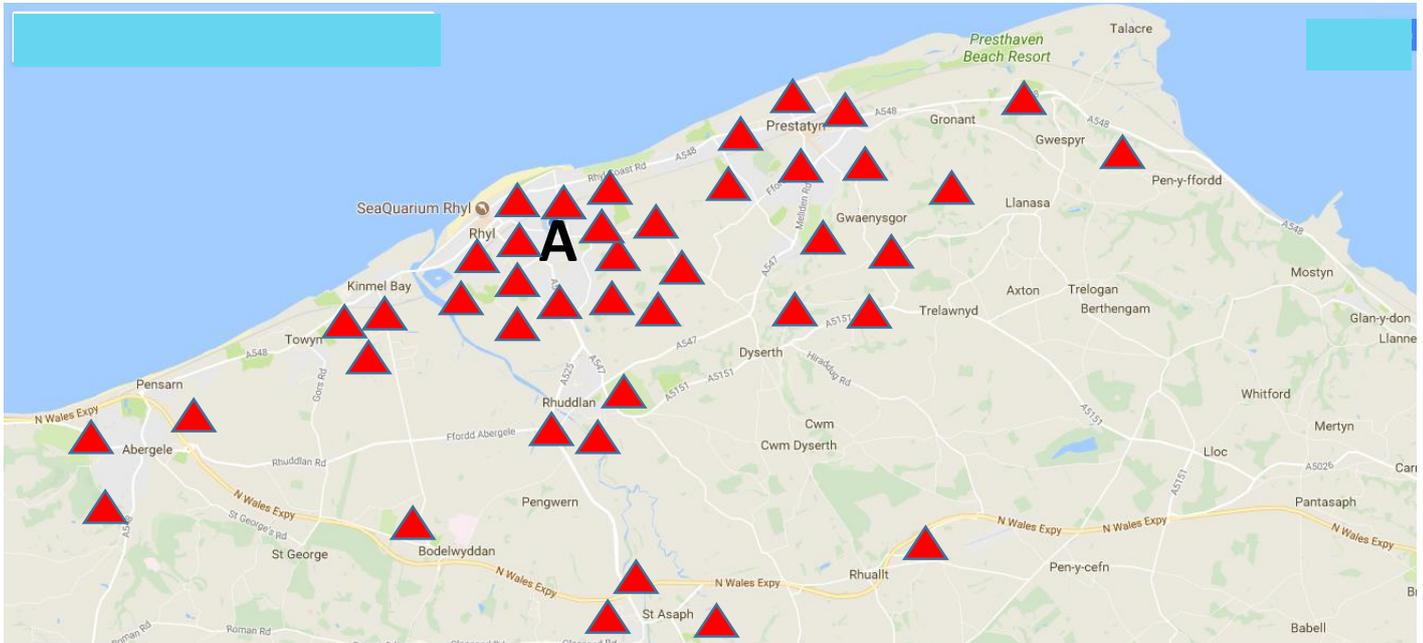
Rhyl High School is located on Grange Road, LL18 4BY, in Rhyl, shared with Rhyl Leisure Centre.

It is situated in a largely residential area and is close to local shops and services. It is in close proximity to the Botanical Gardens Community Recreational Facilities and Rhyl Football Club.

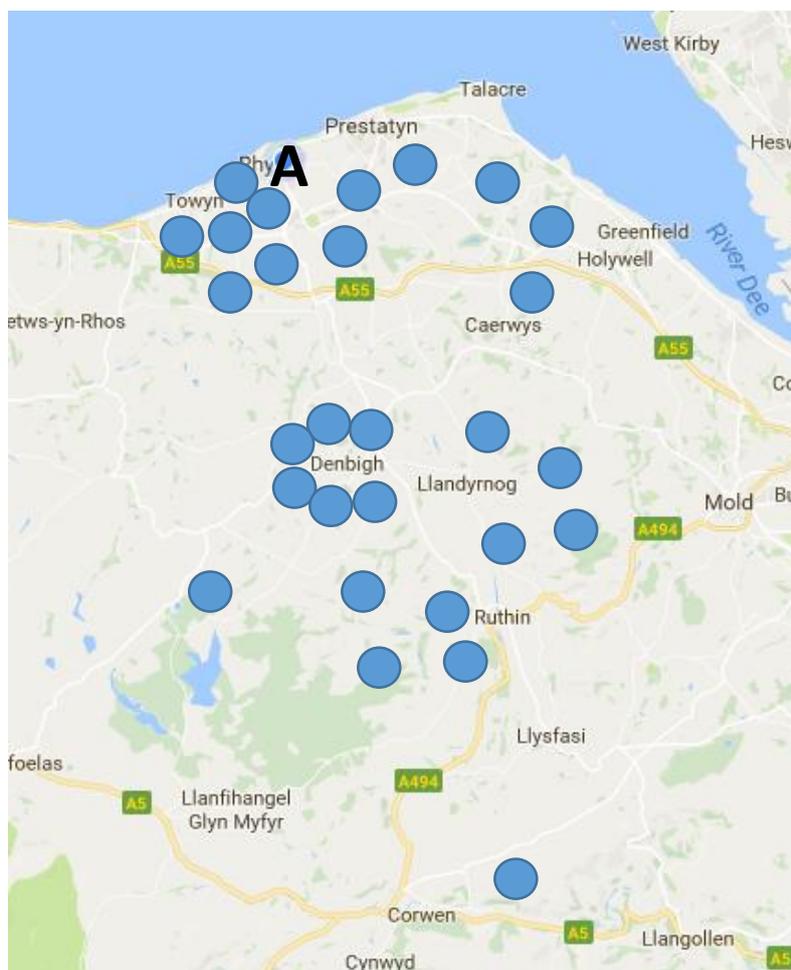
The school is shown on the map below, marked as **A**.



## Rhyl High School Catchment Area



## Ysgol Tir Morfa Catchment Area



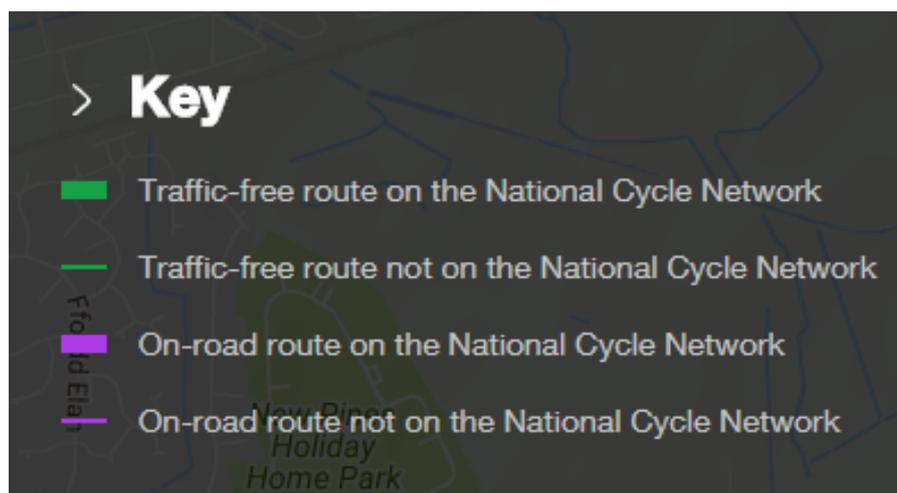
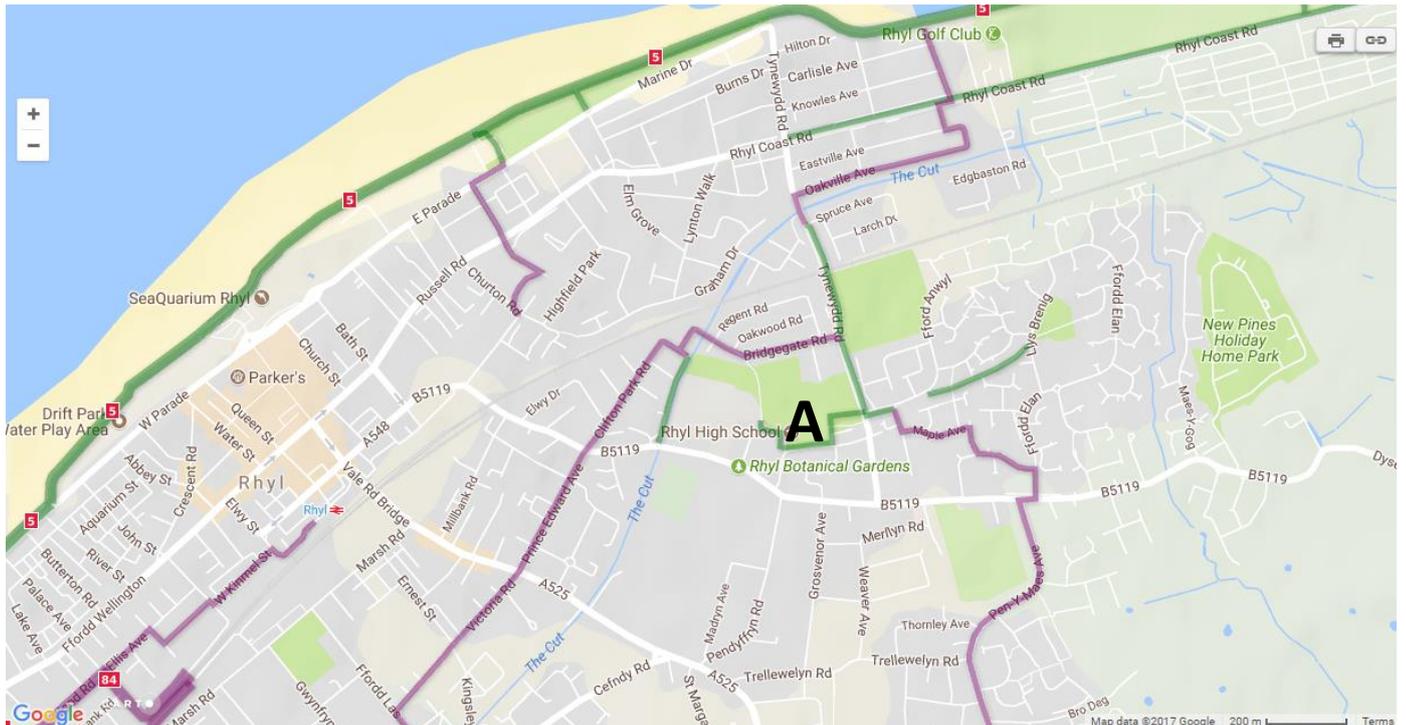
Due to the specialist nature of its provision, Ysgol Tir Morfa has a much larger catchment area across Denbighshire and neighbouring counties.

### Active Travel – Walking & Cycling

Rhyl High School is accessible on foot or by bike. The surrounding area has good pedestrian facilities, with wide pavements and appropriate crossing facilities. There is a periodic 20mph speed limit operational at peak school access/egress times on neighbouring routes.

There is a 5mph speed limit when entering the Rhyl Leisure Centre and Rhyl High School site, from Grange Road.

The site is traversed by a footpath/cycleway – known locally as ‘the cinder path’. The cycleway links into the local and national traffic-free and on-road cycle networks (see map below from sustrans website)



The Cinder Path has been improved with the development of the new school and is now a ‘Plaza’ area in front of the school, with safe rights of way, maintained for pedestrians and cyclists. Further details on the above routes, together with other nearby routes are available on the Sustrans website.

Secure cycle storage for 40 cycles has been installed near to the entrance of the school. The stands are well used. Storage lockers and changing facilities are available for students.

As indicated in the recent Travel survey, a high percentage of students already walk to school, however, there may be opportunities to implement actions to encourage an increase in the number of students and staff cycling to school.

## Bus Travel

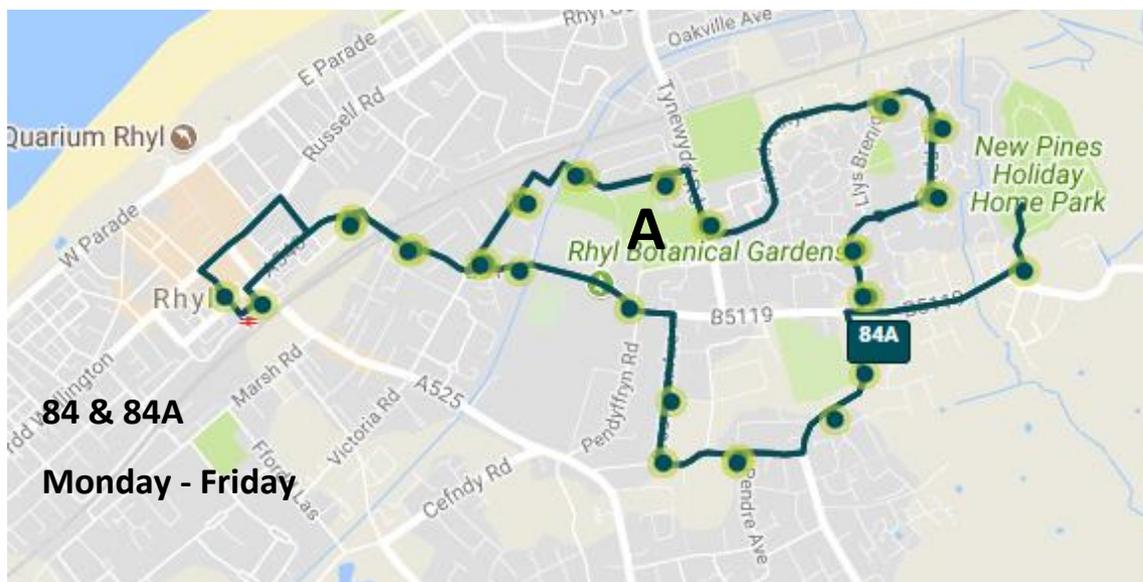
Rhyl has several bus services which link residential areas to each other and to the town centre. The Arriva Wales services, 84, 84A, 83, 83A and 85 run close to the school.

Public transport information, including fares and door to door journey planning, is available from [www.travelinecymru.info](http://www.travelinecymru.info)

### Arriva Rhyl Circular 83, 83A & 85



### Arriva Rhyl Circular 84 & 84A



More information about bus services is available from the Arriva Wales Website.

## **School Minibus**

Rhyl High School provides a minibus service to Rhuddlan, only, at a small cost for the use of the transport. There are currently 26 students who use the school minibus service, which does two pick up and drop off services at 3 locations in Rhuddlan. If you are a resident of Rhuddlan and are interested in your child using the school minibus transport, please contact Mrs Raye Phillips on 01745 343533 ext \*264. Please be aware that due to the high number of students already using the minibus, your child might be placed on a waiting list.

## **Rail Travel**

Rhyl High School is close to Rhyl Station, which is on the North Wales Coastline. This is the main line with regular services linking Rhyl with Holyhead in the West and Chester in the East – the main rail hub for further connections to England and South Wales. There are also direct services to Cardiff, London, Manchester and Holyhead. Other local stations serviced on the North Wales Coastline include Abergele & Pensarn, Colwyn Bay, Llandudno Junction and Bangor to the West and Prestatyn, Mostyn, Flint and Shotton to the East.

## **Driving**

Rhyl High School has a one vehicle entrance from Grange Road. There are 70 parking spaces, 6 of which are Disabled bays. The car park facilities are utilised by school staff, visitors and 'community users' of the school and leisure centre.

There are 79 car parking spaces adjacent to the leisure centre. This is a total of 149 parking spaces.

An internal dedicated drop-off area is provided within the site, in close proximity to the entrance 'Plaza' for Rhyl High School. There is a designated drop-off and parking area for Ysgol Tir Morfa transport.

Parents are requested to avoid entering the school car park at busy times, mainly from 2.30pm to 3.15pm, as the car park can become congested with parents parking inappropriately whilst waiting to collect their child.

We ask that parents:

- Do Not park in the designated Ysgol Tir Morfa bus/taxi zone.
- Do Not park directly behind the designated disabled bays, as access to these bays are required at all times.
- Do Not park on paved areas
- Park only in designated Parking Bays
- Are courteous to our neighbours on Larkmount Road, Pendyffryn Road and Grange Road
- Do Not obstruct driveways