

## WATKIN, EVAN (fl. circa 1801 - circa 1845), schoolmaster and writer

**Name:** Evan Watkin  
**Gender:** Male  
**Occupation:** schoolmaster and writer  
**Area of activity:** Education; Literature and Writing  
**Author:** William Llewelyn Davies

member of the Watkin family of Moelcerni, near Aberystwyth. He was a pupil at Ystradmeurig school, but does not appear to have proceeded to Oxford. In January 1821 he was in London, seeking a post in a school; it is known that he taught at schools in Twickenham, London, Totteridge (Hertfordshire), Cheltenham, Aberystwyth, Worcester, Cheltenham (Charlton), Bath (Belvedere), and again at Cheltenham. He wrote (1) *A new translation of Homer's Iliad, with notes, by Blank Blank, Esq.* (London, published by A. Robertson and Co. Printed by [J. Cox](#), Aberystwyth, 1825); (2) *A Key to the Greek Language* (London, A. Robertson and Co.); (3) *Greek Delectus for the Use of Schools*; (4) *Greek Grammar*. He relinquished teaching in 1840 and edited, for [John Cox](#), Aberystwyth, *The Demetian Mirror, or Aberystwith Reporter*, of which twelve parts appeared.

### Author

Sir William Llewelyn Davies, (1887 - 1952)

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