



Ambition Pride Success

ANGLESEY PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY



- Autumn half term Holiday: **Monday 27 October 2025 to Friday 31 October 2025**
- Y4 @ Brighouse: **3rd/4th/5th November for the day**
- EYFS Open Evening: **Wednesday 12th November 3.30pm-5.00pm**
- **School closed – Teacher Training Day – Friday 14th November**
- Flu Vaccines: **Monday 17th November**
- Autumn term ends: **Friday 19th December 2025**

WEBSITE AND X

<https://www.angleseysch-bham.co.uk>

<https://twitter.com/AngleseyP>

Youtube@anglesey.bham.sch.uk

Gallery photos - <https://anglesey-primary-school.secure-primariesite.net/gallery-2024-2025/>

MESSAGE FROM MR PEMBLETON



Dear Parents and Carers,

As we reach the end of this 8-week half term, it's worth taking a moment to reflect on just how much learning and growth has taken place across our school community.

Over the past eight weeks, our children have completed:

- **40 days of learning,**
- around **220 lessons,**
- and an incredible **220 hours of teaching and learning time.**

That's a lot of learning, curiosity, and creativity — and it's been wonderful to see how much progress the children have made in such a short space of time. Every success, big or small, reflects our shared values of **Ambition, Pride, and Success.**

This half term's achievements are the result of our staff's dedication and the unwavering support of our families. Thank you for everything you do to help your children come to school ready to learn, to encourage them to persevere, and to celebrate their successes along the way. Together, we continue to make Anglesey a place where every child truly **achieves, belongs, and thrives.** We wish all our families a peaceful and enjoyable half-term break — one that's very well deserved.

SAFEGUARDING QUESTION

TRIVIA OF THE WEEK

What is the most commonly known strategy of cybercriminals?



A. Social Engineering

B. Whaling

C. Smishing

D. Man in the Middle

Answer from last week was: A

TRIVIA OF THE WEEK

Why are open public networks dangerous to use?



A. Unstable and cause data loss

B. Heavily Encrypted

C. Anyone can access them

D. Free = bad connection

Answer after the holiday...

SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS

On Wednesday we had the School Photography Company in. Having listened to lots of requests from our parents, we had sibling photographs as well as individuals taken this time.

Your child brought home an order form with a QR code on.

If you lose that form or were not given one, then come and speak to Mrs Green or the IT Team who will be able to help you, as we have access to all of the photographs taken.





**Remember to place your portrait photograph order by
Saturday 01/11/2025
for FREE delivery to
Anglesey Primary School**

Every order generates funds for your school too

www.schoolphotographs.co.uk



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NURSERY

Nursery pupils have been busy taking part in activities to celebrate Black History Month and Diwali.

Here are a few of their photographs...





NURSERY READING WORKSHOP

Parents joined their children in class today to enjoy some reading time with them.



SEND COFFEE MORNING

Come and join us for our SEND coffee morning!

Wednesday 12th November 2025

9.00 -10.30

KS2 Junior Hall

We will be joined by Amanda Turner Specialist teacher from LLSS (Language, Learning and Strategic Support) and Rhiannon Sewell, Speech and Language Therapist. This is an opportunity to ask questions and get further information on how to support your child at home. Come along and enjoy a coffee and a chat!



BELL BOATING

We met at the riverside opposite the RSC to have a brief rundown of the day's events from the organiser Andy Train.

Once the children were kitted out with buoyancy aids and had a bit of a pep talk from Andy, they made their way to the boat for the first race.

Their helmsman was Mark a professional canoeist. The first race didn't quite go to plan.

However, after some more coaching and paddling techniques on dry land, the second race was a distinct difference and they came second, just, so close to winning!

In the finals things got a bit harder and they were up against teams who were evenly matched and they came a creditable fourth place.

No position trophies but they did get awarded a team trophy which was proudly held aloft by the whole team at once during the presentation.

The whole day was a huge success and a fantastic experience for the children not only from the bell boating perspective but also from the regatta environment in the fantastic setting of Stratford Upon Avon. The children learned to work together to achieve more and without exception they all want to do more bell boating and come back next year to win!

A great example of Ambition, Pride, Success!

At the end of the day there was a request for an adults / teachers race across all the schools taking part. In the quickly named Warriors boat were Yasmin and Gulnaz the paddling coaches working with Anglesey, Lisa a teacher from another school, Steve a record holding endurance canoeist, Stuart a member of the Minworth Canoe club and Anglesey's Business Manager Brian. The helmsman was Mark another professional canoeist

This course was longer than the children's and six boats entered. After some very quick times down the river, The Warriors were declared the victors!

The children were not to be left out, however. They all stood on the start line chanting for the Warriors and ran down the path cheering and encouraging all the way. When the Warriors disembarked every crew member thanked the children with a handshake or a high five – their support and noise from the bank was an inspiration!

The children of Anglesey, yet again, were a credit to the school. They conducted themselves in the manner expected and should be rightly proud of their achievements.

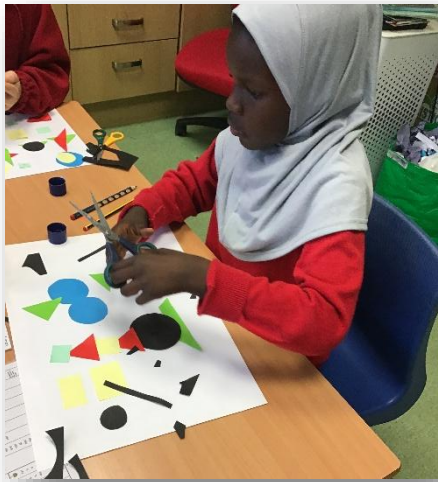
Go Anglesey!





SL1 AND 2

The children in the resource base have been replicating the work of WASSILY KANDISKY.



They have also been writing a holiday advert for Sicily and enjoying some food!

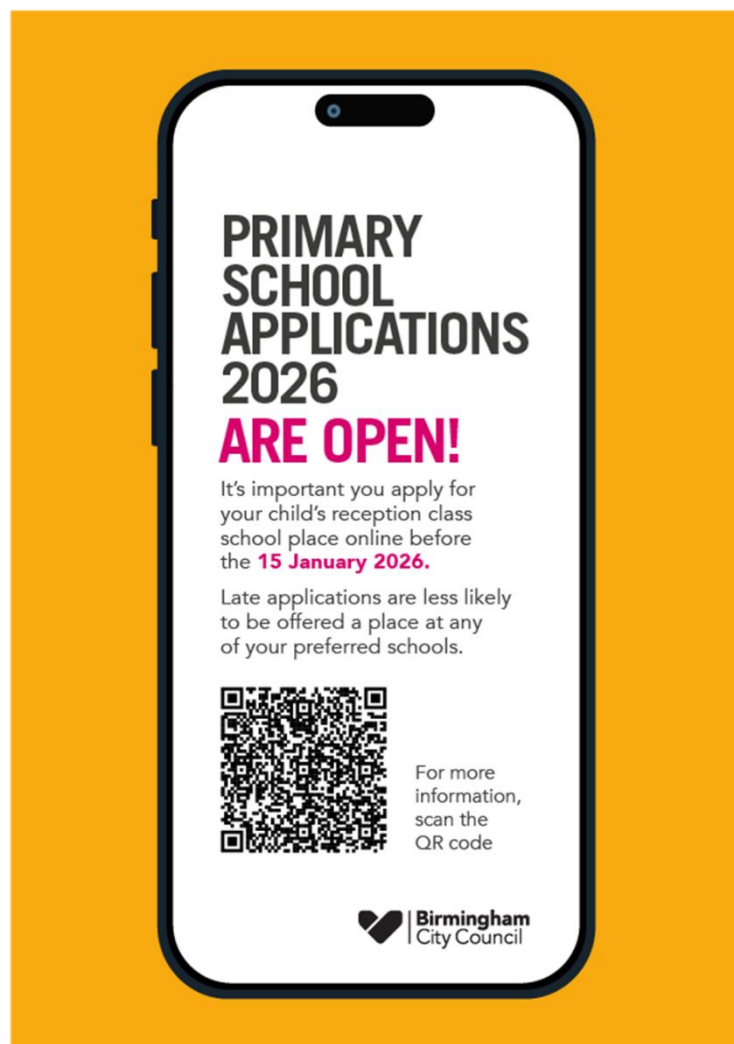


COOMBS

A big thank you to Steven from Coombs for speaking to our parents today. Thank you to the parents who came along, asked questions and tasted and seemed to enjoy the food prepared by Juliet in the kitchen.




PRIMARY SCHOOL APPLICATIONS




**PRIMARY
SCHOOL
APPLICATIONS
2026
ARE OPEN!**

It's important you apply for your child's reception class school place online before the **15 January 2026**.

Late applications are less likely to be offered a place at any of your preferred schools.



For more information, scan the QR code



IR AT THE NATURE CENTRE

Year 1 visited the Nature Centre to find out about animals and what they eat. They found some time to play!





SPOOKY HALLOWEEN ARTS & CRAFTS!

 **CALLING ALL LITTLE WITCHES, WIZARDS, GHOSTS AND GOBLINS! COME ALONG FOR A MAGICAL ARTS AND CRAFTS SESSION PACKED WITH HALLOWEEN FUN AND OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES.**

A FUN & CREATIVE SESSION FOR CHILDREN AT:



BURBURY PARK COMMUNITY CENTRE,

BURBURY PARK

WEDNESDAY 29TH OCTOBER, 2025

11:30AM-14:30PM

 **CREATE YOUR OWN SPOOKY MASKS, DECORATE WOODEN PUMPKINS, AND SO MUCH MORE!** 

 **HAVE SOME FUN MAKING BROOMS AND JOINING IN SOME OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES AND INDOOR GAMES.** 

REFRESHMENTS WILL BE PROVIDED



THINK TANK

Oak visited Thinktank this week. We started with the 'Destination Space' workshop. After that, we visited the Spotlight Gallery, MiniBrum, and the Science Garden. We had a fantastic time! Take a look at our photos from the day.



Y5 DIWALI

Thank you Yr5 for delivering such an enlightening Diwali assembly. A huge thank you to all the parents and carers who came to support us!

