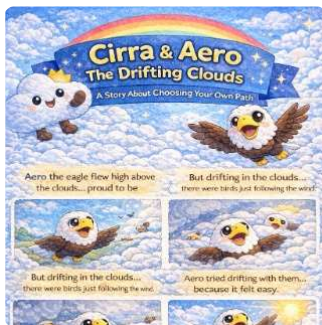




Message from Mr. Pembleton

Dear Parents and Carers,

This week, marked by St George's Day and the birth of William Shakespeare, is less about what we teach and more about how and why we teach it. These moments act as prompts to reflect on how we build cultural understanding, language and curiosity for our pupils—many of whom rely on us to mediate this knowledge carefully. Through our practice, the way we model enthusiasm, scaffold thinking and invite pupils into meaningful discussion is what makes the difference. This is where Ambition, Pride and Success are lived: in high expectations, purposeful delivery, and ensuring learning leaves a lasting impression beyond the lesson.



Assembly Theme

In this week's story, PRIDE is about making your own choices. Not being a follower, not drifting along with others, but making your own decisions, and choosing your own path. When we do this, we can take PRIDE in rising to the challenge, and PRIDE is choosing your own path.



Important Dates

Monday 5th May

May Day Bank Holiday – School Closed

Wednesday 6th May

Reception Height and Weight Checks

Thursday 7th May

Voting Day – School closed to all pupils except Year 6

Week commencing 11th May

Year 6 SATs Week

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Reception Places

We have now received the list of children who have been allocated a Reception place for September 2026 at Anglesey Primary School, and **places are filling up quickly**.

Over the coming weeks, our team will be contacting families with further information and next steps. We are very much looking forward to welcoming our new children as they begin their school journey with us.

If you know of any families still looking for a school place for September, applications must be made online via Birmingham City Council:



https://www.birmingham.gov.uk/info/20119/school_admissions/1786/apply_for_reception_primary_school

Places may still be available at Anglesey, but are limited, so please do encourage anyone you know to apply as soon as possible.



Nursery Places

We currently have places available in our Nursery at Anglesey Primary School and welcome children from **as soon as they turn 3 years old**.

We offer a **flexible range of free Nursery provision**, from 15 hours up to 30 hours for eligible children, giving families greater choice to suit their needs. Our Nursery provides a strong start to early learning in a caring, nurturing and inclusive environment.

If you would like more information, or know a family who may be interested, please speak to the Infant Office.



Nursery - Storytime

Nursery children have had an amazing time learning about the story of Goldilocks and the 3 Bears. This included making porridge, learning about healthy eating and tasting some amazing food!!!





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Willow & Science Lessons

Willow have been learning about plants in Science. This week they planted sunflower seeds and are waiting to see how they grow.



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ClassDojo

Communication - Class Dojo

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6R are trialing a learning platform to help with communication called Class Dojo. the App is free to use, and translates into many different languages. If it is successful we will use it for other classes too. please sure that you if you have a child in 6R, please sign up.



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