

# AYRESOME PRIMARY SCHOOL

Thank you for your continued support over this term and to all parents / carers who attended Parent Consultation evenings on 17<sup>th</sup> / 18<sup>th</sup> February. Your feedback genuinely matters to us and we would like your ideas as to how we could improve.

Currently we share information by:

Social Media – Facebook / X

Letters home

Visibility from Leadership Team and Inclusion team on the yard before / after school

Via text (we also have an email system but are unable to use this reliably as we only have 200+ accurate email addresses where emails deliver accurately)

If you have any further suggestions as to how we could improve our communication, please email [office@ayresome.adastraschools.org](mailto:office@ayresome.adastraschools.org) with your ideas.

## **Why is attending parent evening important?**

- We share updates about your child's attainment and achievement
- We share updates about your child's progress and how you can support with their learning
- We share attendance and punctuality updates
- It is an opportunity for you to ask us any questions

Thank you,

Mrs Haylock

# Support

We look to support children's mental health all year round, but as it's Children's Mental Health Week, here are some resources to support you and your children using some Disney characters they may recognise ✨



🍎🥕🥦 Reception Hub 1 had a fantastic time exploring and preparing some healthy packed lunch snacks with their adults. Thank you everyone who was able to attend and well done to our food hamper winner! 🍌🍌🍌



# Togetherness

Y5AB enjoyed testing out their parachutes as part of their first STEM challenge of the year.

Could eggs survive the plunge from the upstairs classroom window? Which parachute design would be the most successful?

There was amazing teamwork, smiles and laughter. Even a few broken eggs didn't spoil their fun. They learnt so much about air resistance, calculating surface area, gravity, engineering and problem solving.



Y5/6 gymnasts returned back with medals for not only great individual gymnastics but TOGETHERNESS and teamwork to achieve 3rd place overall 🏆



# Achieve

At the end of the Autumn term, we were assessed as a Rights Respecting School and were accredited with our Gold Award.

The assessor commented, 'It was evident that children's rights are embedded across the school and underpin every facet of school life.'

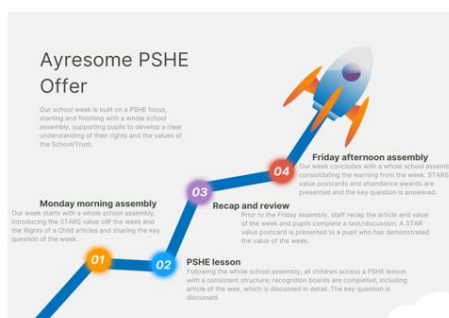
As a Rights Respecting School, the children's rights are at the forefront of everything we do. We begin our week with a whole-school assembly, where the key question for PSHE is shared, along with the rights of the week and how they link together with our STAR values.

Some of the key strengths shared in our Gold Award report are:

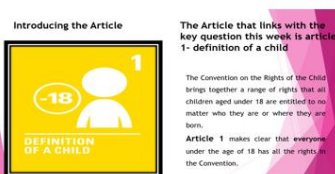
'The use of common language of rights across the school which support pupils to explore and discuss a range of issues through assemblies, PSHE and wider curriculum. Children know they have rights and understand the key concepts that underpin the CRC.'

'The caring and nurturing ethos of the school, where the values of equity and respect are lived and valued by the school community.'

We will continue our journey as a Rights Respecting School, embedding the rights further into the curriculum and hope to be recredited with our Gold Award in 3 years.



We have recently updated our PSHE offer. The children have many opportunities across the week to link back to the article of the week and the PSHE key question for the week. Children are given the opportunity to explore the article in their PSHE lessons following assembly on a Monday morning and this is then interweaved throughout the week in class.

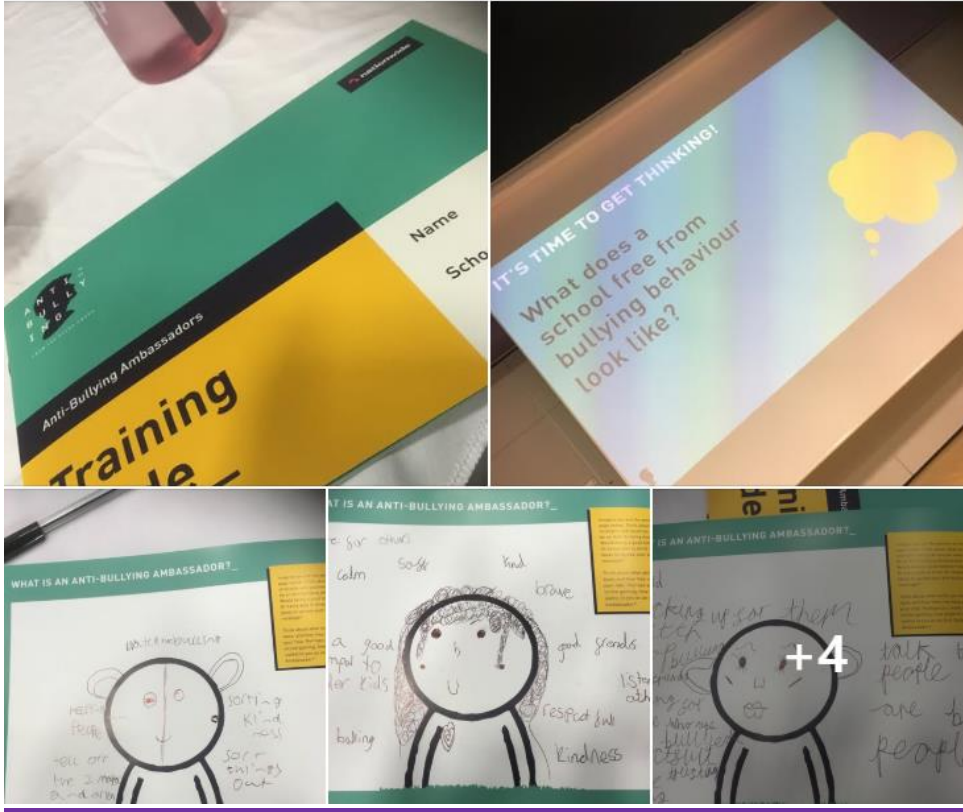


# Respect

🎮🌟 Children across KS1 and KS2 attended assemblies today delivered by [Clennell Education Solutions](#) to share some important reminders and tips about keeping safe online 🌟🎮📱



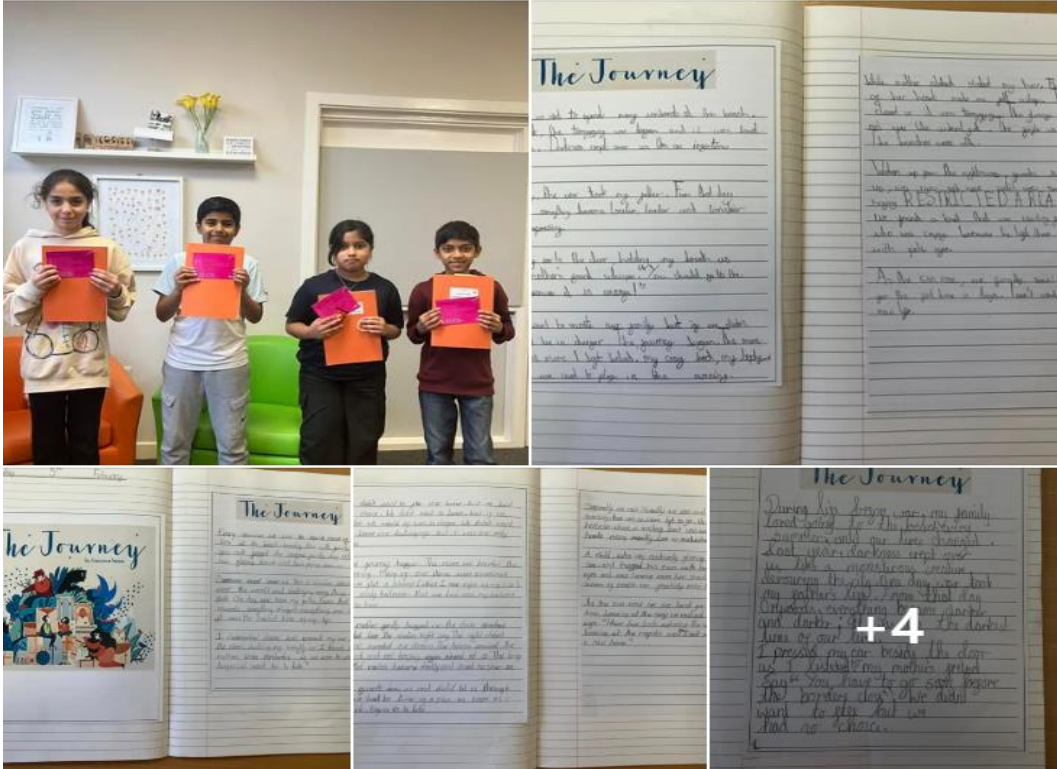
We had a wonderful time at yesterday's Anti-Bullying Ambassador training. Thank you to the facilitators, Tom and Elizabeth from [The Diana Award](#) and [Outwood Academy Acklam](#), for hosting the event.



# Success

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Year 6 have focussed their English work on 'The Journey' - take a look at the language structures and language utilised within these four examples; STUNNING 🌈



Take a look at a snapshot of some of the high quality work your children across KS2 have produced 📷



