



### The Epi Owl:

Our Epi Owl holds special meaning to us and reminds us of the core values and ethos we all display in our school. Did you know that in Greek mythology, owls had very powerful symbolism?

Athena, the Greek goddess, has the owl as her sacred creature.  
Our Epi Owl helps us remember our school motto:

#### Curious

Owls are said to seek out knowledge and are a symbol of wisdom. In our school, we all try to be curious learners. We aim to seek out knowledge, find out more and apply what we know wisely.

#### Kind

Athena's owl was also seen as a symbol of protection. Owls were a sign of strength in battle as they would signal victory and were seen to avert evil. At our school, we focus on being kind to each other. Our kindness protects us and each other and helps us to look out for and support each other.

#### Shine

The Ancient Greeks also believed that owls could see in the dark because they had a magical inner light which shone from inside them. We believe at our school that everyone has a magical and powerful light inside them. If we do our best and are courageous, we can shine in our own unique way and make a difference to ourselves, our community and our world!

#### Robin Resourceful



#### Ruby Responsible



#### Radha Resilience



#### Rene Relationships

#### Ray Reflective

*Curious and kind – have the courage to shine!*