

Akrotiri Schoo

Y2

Italy, South Africa and China Classes Summer 1 2021 - Information Guide



Our learning this term:

Welcome back, we hope you had a lovely Easter holiday! This half term our focus will be to continue developing the children's resilience and building on our core values.

Our learning this half term will encompass a range of skills to support the whole curriculum with a particular focus on developing science, geography and design technology skills.

Writing: We will be focusing on non-chronological reports, descriptive writing and poetry.

Maths: We will be focusing on geometry, statistics and measures (weight and length). Please continue to practise multiplication and division facts with your child.

In other subjects; in science we will be learning about materials, in geography we will study the human and physical features of the local area and in design technology we will be building bridges; looking at how to join and strengthen materials.

VISITS AND ENRICHMENT

We will invite the fire department in to visit and discuss fire safety and flammable materials. We will visit the beach to explore the physical and human features.

USEFUL INFORMATION

Please ensure that a **full PE kit** is in school on a Monday and stays for the week.

Home learning books will be sent home every Friday. The home learning opportunities will be linked to the week's class learning, including handwriting and spellings.

Library Day: we will let you know our library day when books to be returned/renewed.

Forest school days are as follows:

Miss Flynn - Thursday

Miss Cooper and Miss Kirby - Friday

Please send the children into school wearing suitable clothes for forest school on that day.

We shall continue to use SeeSaw as our main method of communication and if you have any technical difficulties please email us.

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How to help your child

Please ensure that reading books and reading records are in school every day. Remember that you are now able to quiz on books at home as well.

Please initial when you have read with your child, we would love children to read at least 3 times a week at home. When reading with your child, don't forget to ask them questions to ensure that they understand what they are reading.

Additional information

Please ensure everything that comes into school has been named. Now that it is warmer, please apply sun cream and mosquito repellent to your child each day before they come to school. After Easter we have a "**no hat no play"** policy. Please send in a hat every day. Also, as it gets warmer, please ensure your child has a refillable water bottle every day.