



Akrotiri School

Friday Feeling

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Friday 6 November

I can only assume that the sudden change of weather had something to do with the alien aircraft which appeared to have crash landed in the Y1 outside area. Fortunately for us, the Y1 children were very keen to become detectives and sought to solve the mystery. A lot of investigative activity has continued over the week and I look forward to receiving the report from Y1 with their theories and explanations.

You will have received information about the forthcoming parent-teacher meetings earlier in the week. In order to access the meetings, you will need to ensure that your device/laptop/tablet has the TEAMS (Microsoft) app downloaded. If you have not already been invited by the class teacher, this should happen early next week.

Although the latest restrictions have given a much more positive picture in terms of continued in-school learning, please rest assured that we have plans in place should we need to switch to remote learning. This could be in the event of full school closure, or partial closure due to COVID cases within bubbles. Seesaw will remain our main platform for communication and learning, although we are also looking into the possibilities of TEAMS for longer term solutions.

Finally, all year groups have creatively assembled very emotive remembrance boards to support the Remembrance Service this Sunday. In a scaled down service, due to COVID, you will be able to watch via the live link on Facebook. Additionally, with regard to Remembrance Day, I was approached yesterday by a couple of very charitable girls from Y5. Recognising that the Royal British Legion may not raise money in the same volumes as previous year, they asked if we could have a mufti day on 11 November to raise much needed funds. I have agreed to their request and have suggested that we go with a red, white and blue theme, and a 1 Euro donation. Thank you if you are able to support the girls' super idea.

Have a wonderful weekend,

Ben Turner
Headmaster

