



# Akrotiri School

## Year 1

Spain (Mrs Cooper), France (Miss Turner)  
and Greece (Mrs Kemble)

Spring Term 2nd half 2021 - Information Guide



### Our learning this term..

**Writing:** We will continue to practise writing correctly punctuated sentences using adjectives, conjunctions, question marks and exclamation marks.

**Reading:** As we continue to learn and apply our phonic knowledge, we will be learning how to read words with more than one syllable as well as consolidating the common exception words.

**Maths:** We will be learning about number and place value up to 50 and measuring length, height, weight and volume.

In **Science**, we will be learning about the seasons linked to our Geography topic.

In **Geography**, we will be comparing the UK to Brazil, and looking at the human and physical features of the rainforest and forests in the UK.

**Visits and enrichment** We are so privileged to have our wonderful Forest School and this will be the setting for enriching learning about forests, investigating species here in Cyprus, in the UK and in the rainforest.

#### **Home learning**

We will continue to send home learning books home each Friday. The home learning opportunities will be linked to the week's class learning, including phonics, handwriting and maths.

#### **Reading**

We are continuing to focus on reading and will be reading with your child 1:1 and in guided reading. Please ensure that reading books and reading records are in school every day for individual reading.

#### **How to help your child**

Regular reading – 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.  
Regular counting forwards and backwards to 50.

#### **Additional information**

Mosquito repellent should be applied before school. Whatever the weather, please ensure children have a coat.

**Please ensure all clothing is named and labelled.**

#### **USEFUL INFORMATION**

**PE:** PE happens throughout the week in Year 1, please ensure that PE kit is in school on a Monday and stays for the week.

**Library Day:** France class will have their library session on Wednesday. Greece and Spain classes have library on Mondays. Please ensure library books are in school on this day to change.

**SeeSaw:** please continue to look at the learning communicated to you and to add your own comments, photos etc.

**Forest School:** children in Greece will need Forest School clothes on a Monday. France and Spain class will have Forest school on Tuesday.

Thank you for all your support.