



Akrotiri School

Friday Feeling

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Friday 16 April

We finished this week with a poignant act of remembrance for HRH Prince Philip, who died last week. We were able to meet outside in our class bubbles and followed on from the work that children had done in class with a minute silence. All of the children showed tremendous respect during our special assembly.

Earlier in the week, we also came together as a socially distanced and bubbled school to talk about one of our core values, 'respect'. We discussed what this looked like and how we could demonstrate this within our environment. The 'Tidy Teddy' award was announced for tidy cloakroom/areas and all classes have responded superbly to the challenge. This week our very first winner was Netherlands Class who have done a fantastic job in maintaining a very neat and tidy outside area – well done!

As we enter the final term of the year, the mercury is already beginning to rise. Please be aware and adhere to our sun safety guidelines; slip (on a top), slop (on some sun cream), slap (on a hat), shade (find some!). We will monitor closely the 'no hat, no play' rule for the safety of all children, particularly when the temperature gets hotter over the next few weeks. It is also extremely important to remain hydrated during this period and all children are advised to bring in a refillable water bottle to ensure quick access to water during the day.

We have planned our sports day for EYFS/KS1 for Tue 4 May and KS1/KS2 for Wed 5 May. Please ensure that children come to school in their house colours on the relevant day. Unfortunately, due to COVID restrictions we are unable to invite parents to spectate as we normally would. Please respect this restriction and keep us all safe by resisting the temptation to come along.

Finally, just a reminder on school uniform; we have a PE kit expectation for all children comprising the navy-blue top (ideally with logo – available in Helena's), blue short and suitable sports footwear. The main uniform of white polo shirt, beige shorts or blue gingham summer dress with black or white footwear should be worn. The school jumper does not need to be worn if deemed too hot.

Have a wonderful weekend,

Ben Turner
Headmaster

Houses	Whole School w/b 12.04.21
Hercules House	598
Typhoon House	657
Griffin House	688
Voyager House	676

