



Akrotiri School



Y2

Anderson, Grimm and Seuss classes
Spring 1 2022 - Information Guide

Our learning this term:

Happy New Year and welcome back Year 2, we hope you had a lovely Christmas. This half term our focus will be to consolidate the work started on learning behaviours. Our learning this half term will encompass a range of skills to support the whole curriculum with a particular focus on developing History and Geography.

Writing: We will be focusing on the story 'Lost and Found' by Oliver Jeffers and writing a non-chronological report on Antarctic animals. We will also be having a focus on spelling.

Maths: We will be focusing on multiplication and division.

In other subjects we will be... In History we will be learning about Scott of the Antarctic and his ill-fated expedition to the North Pole. In Geography we will be finding out where Antarctica is and the human and physical features there.

VISITS AND ENRICHMENT

This half term we will be looking forward to becoming an explorer! Where would you explore? Space, the desert or even under the water? The children can dress up as an explorer and take part in a variety of activities. More information to follow!

USEFUL INFORMATION

PE happens throughout the week in Year 2, please ensure that 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 spellings.

Library Days: Remain the same for Anderson - Thursday
Grimm - Monday and
Seuss- Tuesday

Forest school days are as follows: weeks beginning 10th Jan, 17th Jan and 24th Jan
Seuss Class -Monday
Anderson- Tuesday
Grimm -Wednesday

Please send the children into school wearing suitable clothes for forest school on that day. Please bear in mind it is likely to be cold and wet in Forest school so children will need a spare change of clothes.

We shall continue to use SeeSaw as our main method of communication.

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.