



# Akrotiri School

## Friday Feeling

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Friday 1 April

This has been a busy week with visits and sleepovers. Y2 and Y4 both visited sculpture parks to enhance their art unit, visiting Limassol and Ayia Napa respectively. All children and adults had a super time and created some delightful sketches. Y3 camped overnight in Happy Valley and enjoyed a variety of outdoor activities around the site and on the beach. Thank you to all the staff who worked with the Y3 children, for many of whom this was their first night away from home without parents!

Mrs Robinson had the pleasure of teaching in Y1 this week and was very impressed with their writing based on the Princess and the Pea. There were all busy bees and left Mrs Robinson buzzing. FS2 have also been out and about with Mr Winslade to learn more about the life cycle of the turtle on Buttons Beach and managed a beach clean whilst they were there. They showed tremendous environmental awareness.

Y5/6 footballers had a successful football festival in Dhekalia. There were many wins and only a few losses – as you will expect to hear, their sportsmanship was excellent and they were all incredible ambassadors for Akrotiri School. Next week it is the turn of the Y3/4 footballers, who I am sure will enjoy similar success.

Please could I remind parents and children that the area around the FS building should be kept free of bikes and scooters. Please dismount from the bike or scooter before coming down the ramp and park it neatly on the racks. Also, a reminder that dogs should not be brought onto school premises and that the wearing of masks is still a requirement when dropping off children (I will look to revise this as soon as I can). Thank you for your support and understanding.

We say farewell to Mrs Farrell this week, who returned from maternity leave recently. Mrs Farrell has been a super asset to the school and supported learning brilliantly. We all wish you the very best back in the UK. Similarly, we see Mrs Sinclair leaving us, but she will be at the very beginning of her maternity leave as she embarks on motherhood. We wish her and Iain a restful few weeks before the baby arrives!

Finally, today sees the 'experience auction' go live, organised by the PTA. Visit [auctionofpromises.com](https://auctionofpromises.com) and search for Akrotiri School to view the amazing experiences on offer from a very generous community and put in your bid!!

Have a wonderful weekend,

Ben Turner  
Headmaster

