



Akrotiri School

Year 1

Fox Class (Mrs Bicknell), Heartford (Mr Robinson)
and Dodd (Mrs Kemble)
Summer Term 2nd half 2022 - Information Guide



Our learning this term...

Writing: We will continue to practise writing correctly punctuated sentences using adjectives and conjunctions, applying spelling rules such as prefixes, suffixes and polysyllabic words.

Maths: Our focus next term will be place value to 100, position & geometry, money and time. We continue to apply addition, subtraction and multiplication strategies.

History: We will be learning about the Victorians, comparing life then and now. What was school like in Victorian times? Which toys would children play with? What would it be like in a Victorian home?

Art: We will be investigating and exploring the work of William Morris, a Victorian artist. We will develop our skills in collage, printing and clay.

Science: We will be learning about plants and how they grow.

FOREST SCHOOL

**We will be having one forest school session on the first week back after half term.
Fox Class – 6th June, Dodd Class – 7th June, Heartford Class – 8th June.**

Home learning

We will be sending 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. This term, once children are secure with reading Phase 5 phonics, they will move on to the Accelerated Reading system.

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.

Additional information

As the weather is now hot, please ensure that sun cream is applied before school and that your child has a named hat every day. Mosquito repellent should be applied before school.

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. Class teachers will inform you via Seesaw of the PE days for each class

Library Day: Dodd class will attend the Library on a Tuesday. Fox and Heartford classes will be on a Thursday.

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

It has been lovely seeing your children come back to school with happy faces, they are becoming so grown up; we cannot wait to spend the final half term of Year 1 watching them continue to progress!

Thank you for your continued support.

Visits and enrichment

We will be having a Victorian Day on Thursday 16th June 2022 in which staff and children can dress up.