

Akrotiri School Friday Feeling #021

Friday 10 March

Stunning sports news to 'kick off' this Friday Feeling - the KS2 Boys' football teams came back victorious from Happy Valley earlier in the week having taken all of the trophies on offer. Conceding just one goal in the total 14 games played across all age categories was somewhat of an all island record! The good spirit and gracious response to victory was superb and demonstrated great strength of character to the other teams. A great outcome - thank you to Mr Collins and Mr Ball for coaching the teams to get match ready. It is the turn of the girls next week who have been working equally hard in training. Good luck!

With International Women's Day celebrated earlier in the week, we had a special assembly to mark the occasion – you may have seen on Facebook how some of our pupils were inspired to find out more and brought in books about inspirational women to share. The girls spoke eloquently about what their books meant to them and demonstrated how they are the inspirational young ladies of today and the future.

Y4 time travelled today, back to the post Roman era of the Anglo Saxons. They put their knowledge and skills together to dress up and celebrate their recent learning. The children have engaged in tremendous learning and discovery throughout the unit, including putting their knowledge to the test with some superb pieces of writing too. Their knowledge and enthusiasm within the subject has been staggering.

During a recent visit into Y1, Mrs Robinson and Mrs Ball saw some equally impressive learning in PE, PSHE and DT. Children were skilfully developed and challenged to stretch their application of skills and knowledge. The children's attitudes were positive and they saw themselves as capable learners – great foundations being secured for the future.

Y6 delved into that future as they seized upon the opportunity to attend a special talk given by Prof Stephen Carver. On their return they enthused about the topics of resilience, hope and innovation – looking ahead into a world of mind-blowing developments. Y6 have impressed this year and reflected this with their super engagement and brilliant behaviour in a mixed audience of predominantly adults at the Astra Cinema. Prof Stephen commented on how impressed he was with them. Well done.



Have a wonderful weekend,

Ben Turner Headteacher