



# Akrotiri School

## Friday Feeling

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Friday 19 January

After the wind causing me a rather deranged hairstyle for the majority of last week, there has been a sense of calm this week. Showing around the headteacher from a school in Nicosia, I had great pride in demonstrating the tremendous position that we are in. Pupils and staff gave a very warm welcome and the calm of the weather was mirrored in the atmosphere around the school. As ever, the children's super learning was evident in every area and the environment reflected the high quality we expect.

It was super to see Y4 parents in school this morning to explore timetables and how to support children in their knowledge acquisition. Thank you for supporting. I hope the information was useful and that you enjoyed the visit into school.

Children cycling / scootering into school has been raised by the community again. Children have been seen swerving over the road, not looking before turning into roads and racing down the hill. Please could you reinforce the expectations of road safety – we will continue to do this within school and I will seek to gain further support from CJPU to keep our children safe. Thank you for your co-operation.

Mr Ball has given me some super feedback on the house captain roles in school. I am very much looking forward to the next phase of this development – to be launched by the captains during Monday's assembly. They intend to follow this up with year group specific 'surgeries' to be held at breaktime to gather the thoughts and issues raised by children. This will then feed into resulting actions. Exciting stuff!!

Finally, our own Olympic sports day began to take shape this week. Intended to run the first week after the Easter break, this will be a whole school event, with accents of the Olympic Games, including a very exciting opening ceremony. Sounds like it will be the "greatest show on Akrotiri"!



Have a wonderful weekend,

Ben Turner  
Headteacher