

In Literacy we will:

- Read or listen to a selection of books about space, for example *Whatever Next! Beegu*, *Look Up* and *Aliens in Underpants Save the World*.
- Continue to revise and learn our Phase 2, 3, 4 and 5 Phonics sounds using the Little Wandle programme to improve our reading and spelling.
- Recap on writing full sentences using basic punctuation and continue to learn how to write different types of sentences, questions, commands, statements and exclamation sentences.
- Learn how to write a non-chronological report.
- Retell or write stories about space based on stories that we have read, or listened to, in class.

In our Art and Design, we will be learning:

- How to create space pictures, objects relating to space travel (e.g. rockets) and characters (e.g. aliens) using a variety of materials (collage).
- How to use paint and printing to create artwork about space.
- How to create repeating patterns using shapes.

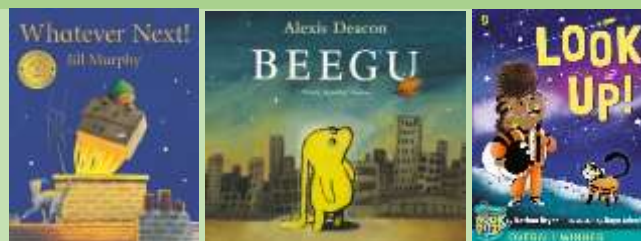
In Science we will be learning about everyday materials and the class will be:

- identifying and naming a variety of everyday materials.
- comparing and grouping together a variety of everyday materials based on their simple physical properties.
- describing why some materials suit certain objects better than others.

In Computing we will:

- Learn about what technology is and be able to give examples of technology in our classrooms.
- Learn how to use a computer keyboard and how to save a document.
- Begin to learn how to use the keyboard to open files, use the arrows to move the cursor and how to delete letters.
- Learn how to use technology responsibly and safely.

Year 1 Spring Half Term Topic: Moon Zoom



In PSHE our topic this term is, 'Celebrating Difference' and we will be:

- Identifying similarities between people in our class.
- Identifying differences between people in our class.
- Learning about what bullying is.
- Learning about how to be kind to people who are bullied.
- Learning how to make new friends.
- Learning that differences make us special and unique.

In our R.E topic 'People of Prayer' we will be:

- Using religious terms to talk about the feast of the Epiphany.
- Learning about the Sermon on the Mount.
- Learning to recognise and or describe the Lord's Prayer.

In our Mathematics learning the class will be looking at:

- Counting forwards up to 20.
- Counting backwards from 20.
- The place value of numbers up to 20.
- Ordering numbers up to 20.
- Comparing numbers up to 20.
- Recognising and naming 2D and 3D shapes.
- Sorting 2D and 3D shapes.
- Making patterns with 2D and 3D shapes.
- Adding by counting on within 20.
- Adding ones using number bonds.
- Find and make number bonds to 20.
- Looking at doubles and near doubles.

In History we will be learning about:

- As Historians we will look at events beyond living memory (moon landing.)
- The lives of significant individuals in the past who have contributed to national and international achievement (e.g. Yuri Gagarin and Neil Armstrong.)

In Geography:

- Our new topic provides an excellent platform to enquire about and explore the world around us. As Geographers we will be flying around the world learning about the seven continents and the five oceans.

In P.E. N.S.A. will be taking classes to develop both hockey and indoor gymnastics skills this half term.