



National Curriculum

As writers we will learn how to write character descriptions by using the story 'Beegu' by Alexis Deacon. We will also write stories using 'The Way Back Home' by Oliver Jeffers for inspiration.

As readers we will read and enjoy space themed stories such as; 'The darkest dark' by Chris Hadfield, 'How to catch a star' by Oliver Jeffers, 'The dinosaur that pooped a planet' by Tom Fletcher and 'Whatever Next!' by Jill Murphy.

As mathematicians we will be looking at multiplication, division, fractions and numbers to 100.

As Scientists we will be focusing on everyday materials by learning the difference between objects and materials. We will also identify and name a variety of everyday materials as well as describe their properties.

As artists we will create a class model of the solar system using paper mache. We will also design and make a model alien spaceship.

Possibilities

As people who have a thirst for learning, we will:

- Create a class model of the solar system using paper mache.
- Explore, investigate and evaluate a range of space-related toys.
- Make mini exploding rockets using film canisters.

Community

As members of a community, we will:

- Find out about Yuri Gagarin (the first person to travel into space) as well as learning about Neil Armstrong and Buzz Aldrin.
- Learn about local space legend Tim Peake.

Adventure

As explorers, we will:

- Investigate an alien crash landing.
- Design and make a model alien spaceship.
- Look at the NASA website and see and discuss images of Earth from outer space.