



Our learning this term...

Our topic is Moon Zoom!

Up, up, up in the sky! What can you see? What is up there? Who has been there?

Writing: We will be writing instructions for how to make a shelter after our engage day, then we will be writing letters.

Maths: We will be learning about Place Value and Shape.

Topic: We will be learning about materials in Science, famous astronauts, the planets and designing rockets, aliens and moon buggies.

VISITS AND ENRICHMENT

We began our learning with a crash! Who was it? What happened?

We are hoping to have a visit from a real astronaut soon and talk about what he does, what he wears and what he eats.

Christmas...just a heads-up that we will be putting on a production for Christmas. More details to follow.

HOME LEARNING

We will be sending home learning books home on Friday with home learning activities for the half term.

READING

We are continuing to focus on reading and will be reading with your child in Whole Class Guided Reading. Please ensure that reading books and reading records are in school every day.

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.

Regular counting 2s, 3s, 5s and 10s.

May we remind you that winter uniform should now be worn. Mosquito repellent should be applied before school. Due to the inclement weather, please ensure children have a coat.

Please ensure all clothing is named and labelled.

USEFUL INFORMATION

PE happens throughout the week in Year 1, please ensure that PE kit is in school on a Monday and stays for the week. PE kit consists of a blue t-shirt, blue shorts and trainers/plim soles.

Earrings should be sleepers, and bracelets and necklaces should not be worn to school. Children should not bring toys/games into school.

Library Day: Thursday for all Year 1 classes. Children will collect new library books on this day.

Class Dojo and SeeSaw – please ensure that you have connected to Class Dojo to receive messages and see pictures of your child's learning. If you haven't yet connected, please speak to your child's teacher for a pass code. Please do share things with us at home too!

Due to the change in teachers, all Year 1 children will have Forest School on a Friday afternoon. Please send appropriate clothes in a bag on this day.