

English

- Focus on letter formation (see our handwriting format)
- Phonics – we are revising Phase 5a and 5b and concentrating on spotting digraphs in words.
- Shared reading – we are focussing on a range of Space stories, poems and non-fiction to develop a love for reading and comprehension skills.
- Learn and retell 'Peter and the Wolf' and a poem
- Write a fact-file about Space and compose a space riddle.

Maths

- Number talk – using our words to explain mathematical thinking.
- Place value within 50 – counting forwards and backwards, understanding the value of 2-digit numbers, ordering and writing numbers in numerals and words
- Addition and subtraction – addition and subtraction symbol, fact families, bonds within 20 and part, whole model
- Problem solving – using our number fact knowledge to solve problems

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What is Space?



Hook Day – will take place on Friday 7th January and will be based around Space. We will investigate Space, bake rock cakes and look at rockets. Our outcome will be a space presentation through Seesaw.

Science and DT

- Forest School – seasonal changes. Learn about deciduous and evergreen trees and draw a winter scene. Create a rain gauge and observe the weather in winter
- Materials and their uses – continue learning about materials and investigate the best material for a sleeping bag in Space.
- Bake rock cakes and make a rocket using joining techniques



History, RE and RHE

- Chinese New Year – learn about the Zodiac Story
- The history of Space Travel – focus on astronauts Neil Armstrong, Mae Jemison and Tim Peake and compare their journeys into space.
- Living in the wider world, looking after each other and our environment
- Focus on mouse skills, retrieving information and saving a file in computing

PE

- Gymnastics – balance, positions, travel and developing a sequence
- Dance – use Holst's 'Planet Suite' as inspiration



Art and Music

- Jackson Pollock – look at a range of techniques including flicking and dripping
- Peter Thorpe – creating space art through shape
- Focus on 'Peter and the Wolf' and the instruments used. Create our own music using percussion.
- Learn songs with rhythm from other cultures

