

English

We will be using Beegu to launch our space topic. Beegu is from another world and somehow gets lost on Earth. Lonely and confused, she wanders off to a nearby city to find some friends. The children will develop their fiction writing skills by describing a character's feelings and appearances, creating speech bubbles and developing their own ideas through drama.

History

The children will learn about the history of space travel and key pioneers, including Neil Armstrong and Tim Peake.



Year 1 Term 1 Overview



Maths

Our initial focus will be on Number, we will be learning about place value to 20, addition and subtraction to 10 and learning the number bonds to 10. These facts will then be used to solve problems. The children will then move on to learning about 2D and 3D shapes.

RE

We will begin by exploring stories Jesus told. The main focus will be the Good Samaritan and Prodigal Son.

PE

We will be learning a Space dance and using our bodies to perform static balances and understanding how to jump & land safely.

Science



We will build on the children's previous work in Reception by exploring different materials. We will begin by identifying which materials different objects are made of (wood, metal, plastic, glass and water). We will then begin to consider why these materials are used in this way, what makes these materials good for that use?

Computing

We will begin the term by reminding ourselves how to keep safe online. The children will consider how to safely search for images, how to safely store and retrieve work and the importance of keeping personal information safe.

We will then begin developing our paint skills and creating moon pictures and animations.

Art

The children will be exploring and creating abstract art using different shapes and medium. We will feature an artist study of Kandinsky.

