

NURSERY NEWSLETTER

Summer Term curriculum

Our topic this term is '**Space**'. We will be looking at the solar system and using the names of some planets within it. The children will be drawing, painting and making rockets, spaceships, aliens and astronauts out of a variety of craft materials. We will be reading stories about space including, 'The way back home', 'Aliens love underpants' and 'Toys in space'.

Towards the end of the topic the children will be invited to participate in an 'alien party' where they will make and prepare 'interesting' 'alien inspired' food and drinks.

In the second half term children will be learning about '**Opposites**'. The children will be exploring everyday opposites such as 'up and down', 'day and night', and 'stop and go'. We will be exploring positional language such as under and on, in front and behind. In Maths the children will look at opposite sizes such as big and small, and empty and full.

The scope of learning will cover the seven areas of development in the Foundation Stage.

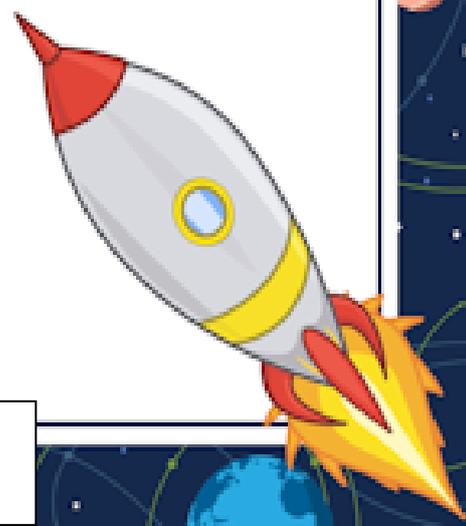
Reminders

- Please provide your child with a water bottle every day.
- A change of clothes is needed in the event of an accident; please ensure that they are clearly labelled.
- Please check all garments (particularly cardigans and jumpers) are marked with your child's name.
- Please dress your child in loose clothing that is easier for them to manage i.e. track suit bottoms or leggings.
- Please ensure that your child brings their book bag every day so that we can put their pictures and school letters in it.
- Children take home a sharing book on Tuesday and Friday. Please read this to your child and write a comment in their reading record.

WOW Cards

We will be using WOW cards in Nursery and these are located by the Nursery notice board. These cards will enable us to celebrate successes at home.

We would like you to record any achievements (big or small) on one of the WOW cards and then return the completed slips so that we can stick them into your child's Learning Journey.



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