

Topic Overview - Year One Term 3

To Infinity and Beyond!

<b>Classroom Environment</b>	✓ Rocket and mission control role play.	<b>Educational Visits</b>	Explorer Dome coming to school 10 <sup>th</sup> January
<b>Wow Factor Launch</b>	✓ Explorer Dome	<b>Key Texts</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Non fiction about space – including information from the internet.</li> <li>✓ Beegu, Alien stories, We're off to Look for Aliens</li> <li>✓ Space Poetry</li> </ul>
<b>Outcomes</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Class non-fiction book</li> <li>✓ Junk modelling of a spacecraft</li> <li>✓ Class recital of 'We're off to look for Aliens'</li> <li>✓ Class version of 'We're off to look for Aliens'</li> </ul>	<b>Homework</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Daily Reading</li> <li>✓ Counting orally in 2s, 5s, 10s.</li> <li>✓ Homework books – for reading and spelling days of the week and months of the year</li> </ul>
<b>English</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Writing non fiction pages</li> <li>✓ Reciting repetitive text – performing a poem.</li> <li>✓ Writing verse for poem</li> </ul>	<b>Maths</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Addition, Subtraction</li> <li>✓ Time</li> <li>✓ Length and distance</li> </ul>
<b>RE</b>	✓ Easter	<b>Art / DT</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Joining materials – making moving parts</li> <li>✓ Exploring chalking techniques</li> <li>✓ Creating own space craft and alien</li> </ul>
<b>Science</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Light and dark – scientific enquiry skills</li> <li>✓ Humans – healthy diet</li> </ul>	<b>Music</b>	✓ Singing and creating alien music
<b>Computing</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Typing and drawing on screen</li> <li>✓ Taking photos using the class tablet</li> </ul>	<b>PE</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Rugby</li> <li>✓ Multi skills</li> </ul>
		<b>Forest School</b>	✓ Speaking and listening games
<b>History</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Events beyond living memory – the space race</li> <li>✓ Famous people – astronauts.</li> </ul>	<b>PSHE + SMSC</b>	✓ Family Links
<b>Geography</b>	✓ None this term		

Vision themes: To infinity and beyond!

Year 1 Term 2

<p><b>Critical thinking and problem solving</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>✓ Having their own ideas in exploring time and creative activities.</li><li>✓ Creating own space model and alien</li></ul>	<p><b>Physical and mental well-being</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>✓ Family Links activities</li><li>✓ New Year's Resolutions</li><li>✓ PE - Rugby / Multi skills</li></ul>	<p><b>Global citizenship</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>✓ Chinese New Year</li><li>✓ Russia / USA (space programs)</li></ul>
<p><b>Communication and social skills</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>✓ Learning to share resources and help and support each other</li><li>✓ Taking turns in conversation and whilst playing games</li><li>✓ Speaking, asking questions and listening to others</li><li>✓ Memorising poetry</li></ul>	<p><b>Creativity and Innovation</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>✓ Having their own ideas</li><li>✓ Creating own Information booklets</li><li>✓ Creating own models using skills taught (cutting, sticking with tape, split pins)</li></ul>	<p><b>Key Academic Skills</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>✓ Telling the time on a clock</li><li>✓ Months of the year, days of week.</li><li>✓ Phonics - knowing both the names of the letters and the sound each one makes.</li><li>✓ Speaking and listening</li><li>✓ Letter and number formation</li></ul>