

# Year 1 – Autumn1 2025

## Astronauts and Aliens

Through our 'Astronauts and Aliens' topic, we aim for children to continue developing their understanding of the world around them. We hook the children in with our 'Space Day' and gradually we introduce explicit teaching of subjects across the wider curriculum.

### ICT

- E-safety
- Understanding technology
- Mouse skills
- Key board skills

### PSHE

- Exploring how families are different
- Considering who beyond my family is important to me
- Keeping myself safe

### Maths

- Positional language
- Regrouping numbers
- Subitising
- 1 more 1 less
- Estimating and ordering numbers to 10
- Adding and subtracting

### English

- Exploring the texts, Ruby's Worry, The Space Tortoise and look at different types of instructions.
- We recap Phase 2, 3 and 4 phonics followed by introducing some phase 5 sounds

### Science

- Parts of the body
- 5 senses and implications that loss of senses can have
- Seasonal change (Autumn)

### Geography

- Exploring Earth through google earth
- Making comparisons between our country and others

### Art/DT

- Observational drawing
- Collage
- Clay aliens and painting
- Junk model rocket

### History

- History of space travel and using the space travelers to create a class timeline in chronological

### R.E

- Exploring who Christians believe God is

### P.E

- Multiskills - balancing

# Year 1 – Autumn 2 2025

## Come and Join the Party

Through our second topic 'Come and Join the Party' we learn about, acknowledge and celebrate a variety of traditions and special occasions that feature across the world. This helps develop our understanding of the diverse world we live in.

### ICT

- To continue learning about e-safety.
- Understanding and selecting different tools appropriately on paint programmes

### P.E

- Gymnastics

### PSHE

- Exploring how to kindly seek permission
- Understanding how different behaviors make me feel
- Exploring respect

### R.E

- Understanding why Christmas matters to Christians

### English

- Writing a Firework Night poem focusing on adjectives
- Using the cbeebies clip 'Poppies' to inspire our writing
- Using 'Everybody Counts' to support us writing our own fact-file about ourselves.

### Geography

- Map work
- Identifying countries around the world and exploring how they celebrate birthdays

### Maths

- Number bonds and subtraction facts to 20
- Estimating and ordering number to 20
- Doubling and halving
- Odd and even numbers

### History

- Explore the significance of Bonfire Night and Remembrance Day.

### Science

- Continuing seasonal change
- Observing the weather

### Art/DT

- Understanding primary and secondary colours
- Selecting colours to represent my mood
- Learning about Frida Khalo and creating a self portrait inspired by her work