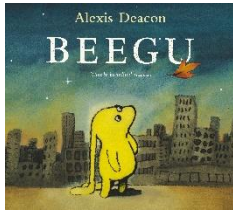


Dear Parents/Guardians,

Welcome back everyone, I hope you had an enjoyable half term break. We have another great topic lined up for you this term and I'm excited to get started.



We are taking a cross-curricular approach to our learning this term as we go on a galactic Moon Zoom adventure!



**English** - We will be focussing on books based around Space character profiles, non-chronological reports, advert and science-fiction.

**Maths** - We will be covering number and Place Value, addition and Subtraction, properties of Shape, multiplication and division, measurement (Mass, Time, Volume and Capacity) fractions.

**Topic** - Moon Zoom, in history we will be learning about significant people e.g. astronauts and changes within living memory. Within geography we will be investigating satellite images. The design technology focus is designing and making space themed vehicles.

**PSHE** - Healthy Me: why I think that my body is amazing and identify ways to keep it healthy and have a greater understanding of how being healthy helps us to be happy.

Everyday Materials



**Science** - We will be looking at every day materials the children will identify, classify and describe the everyday materials around them, such as wood, plastic, metal, glass and fabric, all through a variety of fun activities and experiments.

**PE** - We will be focussing on tennis, badminton and hockey.

**Computing** - Using our digital software programme, 'Purple Mash' we will begin with Lego builders, move on to maze explorers, and finish with animated stories.

**RE** - We will continue our topic 'Meals', where the children will know and understand that families and groups share special meals.

Our next topic is change. Our focus is to know and understand that we change and grow, That Lent is a time to change in preparation for the celebration of Easter.



## Homework

The homework tasks that the children will be expected to complete are as follows:

- Read (daily) - their reading scheme book provide by school
- Practise spellings (daily) testing on Friday
- Mathematics task/activity (1 per week)
- English task/activity (1 per week)



## PE

PE lessons will be on a Monday. Please ensure that your child comes to school dressed in kit appropriate for both indoor and outdoor sessions. Also, as the weather is colder, please ensure that your child has jogging bottoms and a hoodie/sweatshirt to keep them warm. In the interests of safety, children with earrings will be expected to remove them or cover them with tape.