

Initial Hook / Wow:

Alka seltzer rockets

English:

Theme:

We will be linking English with our topic on Space

Writing Outcomes:

- Non-fiction writing based on *Here We Are* by Oliver Jeffers
- Recount—diary entries based on *The Man On The Moon* by Simon Bartram
- Concrete poetry : words in space

Key grammar focus:

Read words with contractions: I'm, I'll etc.

Use the prefix -un Use the suffix -ed

Join sentences with 'and'

Separate words with spaces

Read and use capital letters, full stops, question marks and exclamation marks

Begin to edit by re-reading what we have written and checking it for sense

Name the letters of the alphabet and use letter names to aid spelling

Oak National Academy Link to Year 1 recount writing:
<https://classroom.thenational.academy/units/recount-diary-entry-060a>

Phonics:

Follow the RWI scheme

Vocabulary:

Planet	Explore
Material	Rigid
Flexible	Hard
Soft	Suffix
Noun	Verb
Adjective	Astronaut
Voyage	Timeline

Music:

- Following *Rhythm In The Way We Walk* Charanga unit:
- listen to and appraise the various features of a range of rap and reggae songs .
- Explore the structure of musical pieces in terms of pulse, rhythm, volume and pitch

Charanga linked unit on website

Experience / Opportunity:

Space theatre show with Alibi theatre group

Science: Materials:

- Learn to distinguish between an object and the material from which it is made
- Identify and name a variety of everyday materials, including wood, plastic, glass, metal, water, and rock
- Describe the simple physical properties of a variety of everyday materials
- Compare and group together a variety of everyday materials on the basis of their simple physical properties.

Oak National Academy Link , Year 1 materials: <https://classroom.thenational.academy/units/materials-de3f>

Computing and Technology:

- Learn to give and follow instructions for moving around
- Describe what happens when I press buttons on a robot
- Begin to predict what will happen for a short sequence of instructions
- Use the word debug when I correct mistakes in programming



Why is space super?

School Value: Thankfulness

History:

- Who is Neil Armstrong and why is he significant?
- History of space exploration—including timeline
- Why do we celebrate Remembrance Day?

Oak National academy link, Year 1 Remembrance: <https://classroom.thenational.academy/units/how-and-why-do-we-celebrate-remembrance-sunday-ed46>

Art and Design & Technology:

- Plan, design, make and evaluate a space rocket
- Learn about the artist Van Gogh.
- Create starry night pictures in mixed media

Audience / Purpose / Product:

Space rockets and aliens

Maths:

- Subtract by taking away
- Subtract by finding the difference
- Compare addition and subtraction statements
- Recognise , name and sort 2D shapes
- Recognise, name and sort 3D shapes
- Count forwards and backwards to 20
- Find one more and one less
- Understand tens and ones
- Compare and order groups of objects and numbers

Oak National Academy Links Year 1 addition and subtraction:
<https://classroom.thenational.academy/units/addition-and-subtraction-within-10-77cd>

Year 1 shape:

<https://classroom.thenational.academy/units/shape-and-patterns-8ccf>

Religious Education:

Following the AMV Somerset scheme, we will continue to learn about Jesus this term, looking at special people, exploring what baptism is, learning about some of the stories that Jesus told and some of the miracles that he performed.

Oak National Academy Links Year 1 The nativity : <https://classroom.thenational.academy/units/the-nativity-c64a>

PSHE:

SCARF unit— Valuing difference

[Link on website for valuing difference SCARF unit](#)

Physical Education:

Real PE and gymnastics