

## English

This term we will be writing a recount, a letter and a biography about a famous explorer.

In our writing we will be learning about past tense verbs, using question marks, writing in the first person and extending sentences using conjunctions.

## Science

We are learning about space. Our focus will be about materials. We will name, categorise and sort different types of materials. We will perform experiments to find out which materials are suitable for astronauts.

## Maths

This half term we are learning about money, partitioning and multiplication. We will learn how to use different coins to make amounts, add and subtract amounts of money and partition in different ways.

In multiplication we will recall multiplication facts for 2, 5 and 10 times tables.

## P.E.

This half term we will be astronaut training. We will learn how to move in space using our bodies and take part in different activities to prepare for a space mission.

## Music

.We will be making space music.

## Topic

Our topic focus this half term is history focussed. We will be learning about the life of a significant individual and ordering events on a timeline. As our focus is space we will be finding out about Neil Armstrong and Tim Peakes and their amazing adventures in space.

Space Day: On Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> January we will spend the day exploring space and have a visit from the explorer dome where we will find out about the planets in our solar system and the sky.

## PSHE

Where do we belong?

Theme: Belonging

We will explore ideas of where we belong, where people belong and what brings communities together and help people feel they belong.

We will also be working on our listening skills.

## Art and DT

This half term we will be designing and making alien underpants. Our focus will be on learning simple sewing skills.

