

EYFS Unit

Space



Characteristics of Effective Learning

Playing and Exploring

- Finding out and exploring
- Playing with what they know
- Being willing to have a go

Active Learning

- Being involved and concentrating
- Keeping on trying
- Enjoying achieving what they set out to do

Creating and thinking critically

- Having their own ideas
- Making links
- Choosing ways to do things

Enrichment Wow Day

Stay and Play– date to be confirmed

Literacy

I will be:

- continuing to learn my phonics sounds
- using my phonic knowledge to read and write simple regular words in captions and sentences
- writing instructions to make a rocket
- writing lists
- finding information in non-fiction books
- writing facts about planets
- Writing stories

Mathematics

I will be:

- learning to recognise, name and describe 2D and 3D shapes
- comparing length, weight and height
- comparing and ordering numbers to 20
- comparing and ordering coins according to their value
- finding one more or one less than a given number and writing addition and subtraction sentences to match

Communication & Language

I will be:

- listening to stories, songs and rhymes
- developing vocabulary through role play and small world play
- following instructions
- Retelling stories

Understanding the World

I will be:

- using the paint program on the computer to create pictures of space
- learning to program the Beebots
- recognising changes in materials

Expressive Arts & Design

I will be:

- learning to describe the texture of different materials
- singing songs, making music and dancing
- designing and building space rockets

Religious Education

I will be:

- learning about the Easter story and different Easter traditions

Physical Development

I will be:

- exploring large apparatus
- using small equipment, ie bats, balls, hoops
- experimenting with different ways of moving
- using a range of different mark making materials, eg chalk and sand
- building with a purpose using small and large construction materials, eg rockets, planets, aliens

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

I will be:

- trying new things in my learning
- talking about what I like doing
- talking about what I am good at
- Thinking about the needs and feelings of others
- Sharing my ideas in circle time discussions

Spiritual, Moral, Social and Cultural

I will be:

- learning about similarities in communities and traditions between myself and others