

Moon Zoom!



The countdown has begun. Are you ready for blast off?

Next half term, we'll investigate an alien crash site, write an incident report and try to find the aliens who have landed. Where could they be? We will be designing spaceships to take our visitors home. Books and photographs will help us to learn about the first lunar landing and the astronauts who venture into space. Floor robots will be programmed to move around an alien landscape, and we will compose space dances. We will also explore satellite images, investigate rockets and use ICT to communicate our ideas and present our work.

ILP focus	D&T
English	Posters, character profiles, non-chronological reports, adverts, science-fiction stories
D&T	Design and make space-themed vehicles.
Computing	Drawing software, algorithms, email, presentations
Geography	Satellite images
History	Astronauts
Mathematics	Position and direction
PE (Monday and Tuesday)	Dance
Science	Properties of everyday materials

Help your child prepare for their project.

There's so much to learn about space! Why not stay up late and look at the stars? A stargazing app could help you identify well-known constellations. You could also visit the local library and find some exciting space stories and information books to share. Alternatively, create extraordinary aliens using modelling clay or a drawing app. **Please donate any junk modelling materials you have at home so we can make our wonderful spaceships.**

