



PROJECT

CRASH! What's that in the playground? Let's go outside and take a look. Stand back everyone – it looks like a UFO has crash landed. Find out who might have landed by exploring the craft and investigating scattered scientific specimens. Create a 'Welcome to Earth' box for an alien explorer. What can you put in it to help explain what life is like on our planet? Would you like to be an astronaut? You'll need a pretty sturdy spacecraft if you do. Start off small by making an air-propelled rocket. How far can you make it travel? Find out the names of the planets. There's Mercury, Neptune, Mars and – do you know any others? I've forgotten the rest. Then, an alien is found. Can you help get him home? It's got the experts in a right kerfuffle. Professor Pong doesn't know what to do. Are you ready for take-off Year 1? Hold tight. 5, 4, 3, 2, 1... LIFT OFF!



RE

What makes some places significant? What makes some places sacred to believers?

We will explore how do places of worship connect with Christian and Muslims/Jewish beliefs and practices studied?



MATHS



The areas of focus for this half term will be:

Addition and Subtraction within 20

- Counting on
- Number bonds
- Crossing 10
- Related facts
- Comparing number sentences

Place Value within 50

- Counting
- Place value
- Comparing numbers and objects

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ENGLISH

Skills focus:

Reading and writing

Uses phonic knowledge and skills to decode words, including words with more than one syllable and words with contractions.

Re-read to build fluency and confidence.

Discuss the significance of the title and events.

Make inferences about what is said and done.

Writes a series of sentences, leaving spaces between words and using some punctuation.

Write for a range of purposes.

Makes some choices of appropriate vocabulary

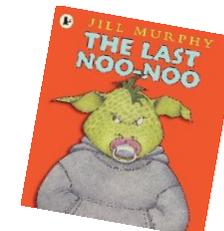
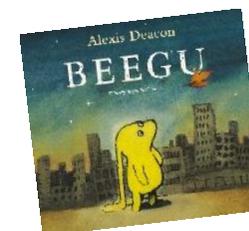
Uses suffixes and plurals (as listed in the Y1 programme of study).

Speaking and Listening:

Uses single clause and multi-clause sentences.

Role play to explore characters and the language they use.

Discuss word meanings.



KEY INFORMATION

Home learning – To be set on Google Classroom

Reading: Please continue to support your child with their reading at home and exploring a wide range of other books.

Spellings: Spellings will be set each week and tested on a Friday.

Maths: A piece of Maths homework will be set each week to develop the children's consolidation of that week's skills.

PE Ready days

Outdoor PE –Monday
Indoor- Thursday



Music

In the Groove: 'In The Groove' is a fun song for us to learn and has been arranged in six different styles; Blues, Baroque, Latin, Bhangra, Folk and Funk. Each week we will listen and learn a different style of 'In The Groove'.

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PSHE

Dreams and Goals: We will explore and learn about our dreams and goals and how to achieve them.



PE

Inside: Gymnastics

The children will perform a variety of basic gymnastics actions showing control, introduce turn, twist, spin, rock and roll and link these. They will perform longer movement phrases and link with confidence.

Outside: Attack and Defend

The children will practise basic movements including running, jumping etc. and begin to engage in competitive activities.