

Understanding the World: We will be learning to:

- Discuss the planets and compare their sizes.
- Understand why Earth is special.
- How astronauts live in space- focussing on what they eat, drink and move
- Create our own space suit for Baby Bear thinking about the properties of the materials needed in space.
- We will gain an understanding about the first journey made into space and the first moon landing. We will then discuss what might have been on the moon and what it would have been like to land on the moon.

PSED: We will be learning to:

- Work together as a team to achieve our goal.
- Build relationships with our new teacher.
- Look after our planet and each other.



Donaldson Class Termly Planning

Communication and Language/Literacy: We will be learning to:

- Retell a story using pictures and props
- Write captions and lists
- Describe an alien
- Read real and alien words and sort them accordingly.

Our focus stories this term will be Whatever Next, Aliens love underpants and how to catch a star.

To infinity and beyond!



This term our topic is Space.

Physical Development: We will be learning to:

- Develop our fine motor skills by making bead asteroids and playdough aliens.
- Develop our larger movements through PE lessons and imaginative play- moving through space, space walking and catching the planets (different sized balls).
- How to stay healthy on Earth and in space.

Maths: We will be learning to:

- Count on and back up to 20
- Recognise numerals up to 20
- Name and identify 2D shapes
- Measure and order objects
- Use 2D shapes to make pictures and patterns.

Expressive Arts : We will be learning to:

- Explore a variety of textures through making planets and begin to compare their size.
- We will also make aliens and rockets to use in our role play area developing our imaginative play.
- Create space pictures, aliens and other space items using a variety of materials and mediums.
- Listen to space sound effects and explore making our own.
- Listen to extracts of the Planets by Holst and deciding which planet each piece represents.