

Spring 1 Medium Term Plan

<u>Class:</u> Navy and Royal

Topic: Space

| Abcd Phonics | Reading | Writing/Mark Making | (2+3=5 Maths | Science | PSHE |
|---|---|--|--|---|---|
| * We will be following the Little Wandle scheme for phonics sessions and will be focusing on phase 3 graphemes. * Week 1 – ae, ee, igh ,oa * Week 2 – oo, oo, ar, or * Week 3 – ur, ow, oi, ear * Week 4 - air, er, words with double letters – dd, mm ,tt ,bb ,rr ,gg ,pp ,ff * Week 5 – Longer words * Week 6 – Review week * Week 7 – Review week New tricky words: Was, you, they, my, by, all, are, sure pure. | * We will be following the Little Wandle scheme for guided reading. In blue pathway we will be using decodable books which are perfectly matched to the Little Wandle programme progression and to children's secure phonic knowledge. * Children read the same book aloud three times a week Each session in this 'three read' model has a clear focus: Read 1: decoding Read 2: prosody – reading with meaning, stress and intonation Read 2: comprehension – understanding the text. | * Each week we will read a key story or poem as a hook for our writing. * Our focus this term will be to write sentences independently. * We will create a story map to help us orally re-tell the story and using role play alongside to secure children's understanding. * We will be discussing the story and answering what, who, why, where, when and how questioning. * We will be using sentence stems and word banks. * We will be writing sentences that have been dictated to us and will be working on our spelling, letter formation and handwriting. | * We will be using the white rose maths scheme to develop our understanding of place value. * Children will be counting to 20 and identifying 1 more and 1 less than a given number. * We will be using the number line to 20. * We will be ordering numbers, estimating and comparing numbers. * Later in spring 1 we will be focusing on addition and subtraction within 20. | *We will explore the following questions: * 1. What is the solar system? - Define the solar system and what it contains - Exploring what the sun is and find out facts about it - Examine objects in the solar system (stars, planets, asteroids, comets, etc.) * 2. Why do we have day, night and seasons? - Explore how the rotation of the earth around the sun creates night and day - Looking at how the tilt of the earth on its axis creates seasons. * 3. What is the moon and why does it change shape? - Define what the moon is - Explore the phases of the moon throughout the lunar month and why the moon appears to change shape at different times. * 4. What planets are there in the solar system? - Find out the names of the planets in the solar system - Explore facts on the planets (size, distance from the sun, composition, number of moons, etc.) * 5. What are stars and constellations? - Define what a star is and examine their different life stages - Exploring the names and shapes of some of the most famous constellations. | * We will be following the Jigsaw scheme for PSHE lessons and our topic focus for spring 1 is 'Dreams and Goals'. * Week 1 - Staying motivated when doing something challenging. * Week 2 - Keep trying even when it is difficult. * Week 3 - Work well with a partner or in a group. * Week 4 - Have a positive attitude. * Week 5 - Help others to achieve their goals. * Week 6 - Working hard to achieve our own dreams and goals. * Week 7 – Reflection time. |



| | | | | | Grange |
|---|--------------|-------------------------|--|--|--|
| Food Technology | Independence | Physical Development | PE | Art | Music |
| * We will be following visual | * | * | *Children will learn how | * In art children will explore the | * For music sessions we will |
| instructions (recipe) to make | * | * | astronauts exercise on the | topic of space further by using | be using charanga and |
| Space rocks (rock cakes) | * | * | International Space Station and | mixed media methods to create | following the English model |
| developing our independence. | | | then take part in a series of | space inspired artwork. | music curriculum scheme. |
| The visual recipe enables us to | | | exercises to train like an | *Children will explore the work of | * Children will learn to |
| develop independence by acting | | | astronaut. | Vincent Van Gogh's Starry Night | understand music by; finding |
| as an; | | | * Children will explore agility | and use painting techniques to | and keeping a steady beat, |
| * aide memoire for the equipment | | | challenges. * Children will develop their | reproduce their own examples. | playing or clapping simple |
| needed *reducing verbal and physical | | | running, jumping and balancing | *Children will create phases of the moon art work using a wax resist | rhythmic patterns long or short, and respond to |
| prompts | | | skills. | method. | different high and low pitches. |
| *an introduction to formal recipes | | | * Children will work as a team | * Children will use paper mâché | * Children will improvise |
| * We will learn basic hygiene rules | | | like astronauts do and will learn | method to create a planet from our | together, keeping a steady |
| * We will be able to collect the | | | to play some team games. | solar system. | beat, clap four beat rhythms, |
| equipment we need by following a | | | Children will learn how it is not | *Children will create a space | and improvise using 1 – 3 |
| visual/written list | | | always about winning but | themed window decoration using | notes. |
| * We will be developing our skills | | | taking part and working | coloured cellophane. | * Children will listen and |
| in washing up, drying, putting | | | together. | *Children will learn about the lunar | respond to a piece of music by |
| away, mixing, rubbing in, cracking | | | * We will play space themed | rover that was created as part of | copying back actions, |
| eggs, measuring. | | | games such as: | the Apollo missions. They will then design their own new Moon buggy | responding to questioning and listening to facts about the |
| | | | *Astronaut dressing up game | and construct it using junk | songs. |
| | | | *Moon rock collecting race | modelling materials. | *Song 1 – 'If your happy and |
| | | | *Solar system race | *Children will recreate star | you know it' (pop) |
| | | | *Space Rangers | constellations using printing | *Song 2 – 'Sing me a song' |
| | | | *Guarding the Galaxy | techniques. | (Waltz) |
| | | | | | *Song 3 – 'Sparkle' (Pop) |
| | | | | | *Song 4 – 'Rhythm In the way |
| | | | | | we walk' (Reggae) |
| | | | | | *Song 5 – 'Big bear funk' (Funk) |
| | | | | | (Funk) *Song 6 – 'Baby Elephant' |
| | | | | | (Lullaby) |
| | | | | | (|
| | | | | | |
| | | | | | |
| | | | | | |

