



Topic: Outer Space



Please see the tasks below that we would like your child to work on this week. If you have any problems, please remember that you can email Connor on connorbrown@wtwschool.co.uk or Chris on cbrown@wtwschool.co.uk during school hours.

Please note that any links to internet sites and YouTube videos need to be supervised by an adult, and they may contain adverts. You do not need to pay for any of the sites we are suggesting.

If you need any additional pencils, paper or other stationery, please contact the school and we can arrange that for you to collect.

Ask it...

One of our lovely parents has put us in touch with a real-life NASA astronaut who has been on 5 space shuttle missions. Her name is Martha Ivins – look her up! She lives in Houston and wants to answer your questions about what it is like in space! Please e-mail your class teacher with one question that your child would like to ask Martha. Chris and Connor will then choose 5 questions that represent what the class want to find out and she will send us her video answers. We will send these out when they arrive from America.

Build it...	Design it....	Play it...
<p>Imagine you have been in your rocket and discovered a new planet! What does it look like? I wonder what shape it is... What does it feel like? Can you use resources around your home to make your very own planet? You could use balloons, cereal boxes, plastic bags etc... Think about what the surface would be like... if it was very sticky you could add some sticky tape.</p>	<p>You are in your spaceship but have forgotten to take any games with you! Using things around your home can you invent a new game? Make sure it has instructions so nobody can cheat!</p> <p>Hint: Imagine a game like snakes and ladders... what obstacles might a spaceship face? What might help it go faster?</p>	<p>Using the rules and instructions for your new game can you and your family play it? Are there any special rules for adults and children? It might help everyone to write the new rules out... perhaps you could help to sound out some words or even write your own instructions. Have a look at some board games that have instruction booklets – could you make your own?</p>
Read it...	Write it....	Count it....

<p>Some words have spellings that seem a little strange. We call them everyday words. Can you practice writing these ones? <i>my, said, you, there, what, all, who.</i></p> <p>You could come up with a sentence for each word – try and make it exciting e.g. <i>My plate has astronaut pasta and space rocks on it.</i> You could frame your sentences and put them somewhere in the room so that you remember these everyday words more easily!</p>	<p>We live on Earth which is a planet in our solar system. I wonder if you can name any of the other planets... You could do your own research in a book or on the internet. Can you find anything out about the other planets in our solar system? Can you write a fact about one other planet?</p> <p>E.g. <i>Jupiter is the biggest planet. It spins faster than any of the other planets.</i></p>	<p>On a clear night if we look out of our windows we can see stars! With an adult see if you can count all the stars you can see. Using a piece of paper and pencil do a tick every time you see a star and then once you have finished count all the ticks and see what the total number of stars was! Do this over a few nights and see if you can find out which night had the most and which night had the least stars. Happy star gazing!</p>
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Please remember to visit <https://www.pinterest.co.uk/> for ideas to help you if you are stuck.

<https://www.twinkl.co.uk/> is also free to use at the moment and has loads of activities and ideas.

Please also remember to log into LGFL using the log in details that were sent home last week.

Please email me if you need help and remember to keep sending me any pictures/photos or messages so we can keep in touch!

Thank you!