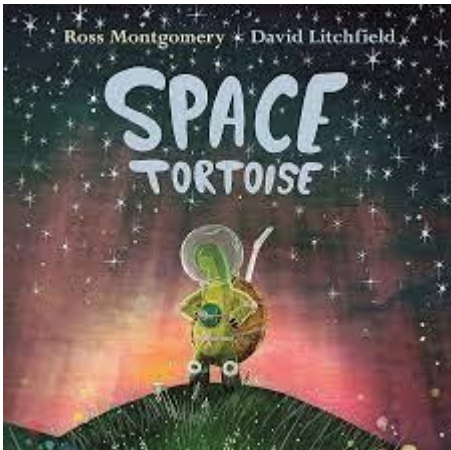


Our starting theme is Space and Travel

This half term in Nursery we will be learning to . . .

<p>COMMUNICATION AND LANGUAGE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Anticipate what might happen next in stories Use different types of questions Listen to their friends' ideas in small group activities Continue to build a wide vocabulary <p>Vocabulary next, before, after</p>	<p>PERSONAL SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pull up their zip when it has been fastened at the bottom Talk about being my best Introduce 'Zoe the Zebra' <p>Vocabulary food, water, sleep, energy, challenge, encourage, keep trying, practise feelings, proud</p>	<p>PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cook using non-standard measure Throw and catch a large ball <p>Vocabulary throw, catch, large, ball measure, make</p>
<p>LITERACY</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Talk about things they draw and write Begin to copy their name Begin to blend and segment words orally Recognise words with the same initial sound Suggest how stories might end Introduce Read Write Inc letters and their rhymes Core book- The train ride, Elmer and the Teddy and Space Tortoise <p>Vocabulary blend, segment, word, letter beginning, end</p>	 <p>Space and Travel</p> <p>Other themes may be developed as we follow the children's interests</p>	<p>MATHEMATICS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recognise some numerals Recite numbers in order Explore more than, less than, one more and one less Talk about different positions <p>Vocabulary more, less, one more, one less order, first, next, then, after, before, finally behind, in front, beside, on, under</p>
<p>UNDERSTANDING THE WORLD</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Explore different types of transport Talk about the different planets and space Explore materials and their properties Find the UK on maps and atlases <p>Vocabulary hard, soft, bendy, stiff, wobbly wood, plastic, paper, card, fabric reflective, non-reflective, shiny</p>	<p>EXPRESSIVE ARTS AND DESIGN</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Explore sewing, weaving and collages Draw space ships Sing songs about space Listen to different types of music and respond to what they hear <p>Vocabulary transport music, listen, respond, thoughts, feelings, like, dislike</p>	<p>RE/CORE VALUE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Core value- Service 'It's good to be helpful.' Special places -Visit Church <p>Vocabulary Service, help, Church, stained glass windows, Church tower, bell</p>

Activities that you can do at home to support learning at school

- Find out about space, the planets and astronauts
- Talk about St Cuthbert's Church as you walk along the Front Street
 - Make up an animal dance using different animal movements
 - Talk about different materials and describe how they feel
- Pull up the zip on your coat, when an adult has fastened it at the bottom'

'Let your Light Shine' -Matthew 5.16