

### Reception, Term 1B

### Topic: Sun, Moon and Stars

#### Summary of learning

The new topic begins in earnest now children have been at school for half a term. 'Sun, Moon and Stars' is introduced through the Topic Teach lessons and is supported by adult led activities during freeflow. Small group directed activities continue; shared and guided reading with the Class Teacher, language support with a Teaching Assistant, and maths directed time. Phonics (letters and Sounds) and P.E. are introduced as children become more independent

#### **Summary of Freeflow Activities**

- Group games
- Suitable activities for autumn and winter weather.
- Introducing new activities that require developed understanding and social skills such as the hikes

#### Stories read in Term 1B:

- Peace at Last, by Jill Murphy
- o While You Were Sleeping, by John Butler
- I Took the Moon for a Walk, Carolyn Curtis
- How to Catch a Star, Oliver Jeffers
- Whatever Next, by Jill Murphy

## Songs introduced in Term 1B:

- Jump to the Stars
- Stars
- Five Little Men in a Flying Saucer
- Twinkle, Twinkle

#### Overview of directed teaching time

- o Children have a 20 minute Topic Teach lesson
- In small groups children receive shared reading time with the class teacher on a weekly basis
- In addition children also receive small group language support with a Teaching Assistant
- Phonics begins, following Phase 2 of 'Letters and Sounds'
- o P.E. is introduced
- Before lunch 15 minute music, ICT and circle time lessons continue and develop skills introduced in Term 1A, and introduce new skills.
- After lunch there is a 15 minute maths lesson followed by small group directed time with both the Class Teacher and Teaching Assistant during the week.



### **Learning Intentions during freeflow**

### **Learning Intentions during teaching** time

#### Communication and Language

- I can pretend to the characters in Peace at Last
- I can retell a familiar book, using the pictures to help
- I can hear the initial sound in a word
- I can begin to blend sounds together
- I can listen carefully to a story
- I can talk about the story I have just listened to
- I can listen to and identify sounds I hear outside
- I can listen to instructions and play a game
- I can collect autumn leaves and talk about them
- I can talk about what is happening
- I can play a parachute game and listen to instructions
- I can name and describe what materials I can see
- I can count a set of objects and say which has more or less
- I can talk about which group has more or less

I can listen to a story

- I can recall and retell a story using story language
- I can listen to and follow instructions
- I can talk about the sun, moon and stars
- I can share what I already know with my friends
- I can play a remembering game with shapes
- I can identify environmental sounds
- I can explain the differences between day and night
- I understand why rhythmical drawing helps my writing
- I understand why heat comes from the sun and not the moon
- I can identify the initial sound in a word
- I understand where shadows come from
- I can describe and sort different textured materials
- I can use correct vocabulary
- I can discuss light and dark
- I understand how we might move in space
- I can use positional language to direct my friends
- I can think of a sentence to write
- I can talk about how we might get into space
- I can talk confidently with my friends
- I can talk about things I can see in space
- I can remember everything in the picture
- I can play Chinese whispers with my friends
- I can tell a story using story language

#### Physical Development

- I can write 's, a, t, p' in a variety of media
- I can draw a pictures of the bears from Peace at Last and label them
- I can make different marks (lines, dots, zigzags etc)
- I can draw shapes related to sun, moon and stars and label them
- I can make a planet with papier mache
- I can make peppermint cream in planet shapes
- I can paint my planet
- I can paint a picture of a sun, moon, or stars
- I can use different materials to make a sun, moon, or
- I can use chalk to draw the night sky
- I can make shapes with my body when I dance
- I can throw ball to my friends and catch a ball that is
- I can ride a bike using the pedals
- I can stop and go carefully so me and other children are safe in the playground
- I can use the mud kitchen to make recipes
- I can build with large and small bricks
- I can make a sun, moon and stars collage using different materials
- I can run, hop, jump, walk and stop
- I can make the role play corner into a rocket/space
- I can make patterns and marks on paper
- I can use cutting tools
- I can print a pictures

- I can respond to instruments with different actions
- I can join in with a song and learn the actions
- I can sing good morning to my friends
- I understand why rhythmical drawing helps my writing



- I can move my body to music
- I can trace letters we have been learning
- I can draw an alien
- I can use scissors and glue to make a picture
- I can mix colours to paint a picture
- I can write and draw about what I will see in space
- I can write a Christmas list for Father Christmas
- I can make a calendar
- I can make a Christmas card
- I can learn how to dance to our Christmas song
- I can count how many and write the number
- I can draw around shapes and cut them out
- I can print a shape pattern
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#### Personal, Social and Emotional Development

- I can throw ball to my friends and catch a ball that is thrown
- I can stop and go carefully so me and other children are safe in the playground
- I can listen to instructions and play a game
- I can work with my friends to make a firework picture
- I can play a parachute game and listen to instructions
- I can share the bikes
- I know where to take the bikes when I have finished
- I understand the rules about how to use the ipod
- I can play a matching game

- I can join in with a song and learn the actions
- I can share what I already know with my friends
- I can use positional language to direct my friends
- I can talk confidently with my friends
- I can play Chinese whispers with my friends
- I can pass a clap around the ring

#### Literacy

- I can pretend to the characters in Peace at Last
- I can write 's, a, t, p' in a variety of media
- I can draw a pictures of the bears from Peace at Last and label them
- I can make different marks (lines, dots, ziazaas etc)
- I can draw shapes related to sun, moon and stars and label them
- I can retell a familiar book, using the pictures to help me
- I can hear the initial sound in a word
- I can begin to blend sounds together
- I can listen carefully to a story
- I can talk about the story I have just listened to
- I can use a keyboard to type my name
- I can make patterns and marks on paper
- I can make marks and give them meaning
- I can trace letters we have been learning
- I can draw a picture of me in space and label it
- I can write and draw about what I will see in space
- I can make words from the letters I have learnt already
- I can write a Christmas list for Father Christmas

- I can listen to a story
- I can recall and retell a story using story language
- I can identify and clap the number of syllables in a word
- I understand why rhythmical drawing helps my writing
- I can identify the initial sound in a word
- I can think of a sentence to write
- I can think of my own rhyming words
- I can remember everything in the picture
- I can tell a story using story language



#### Maths

- I can draw shapes related to sun, moon and stars and label them
- I can make a pattern by threading objects on to string
- I can fit a puzzle together
- I can make shapes in shaving foam
- I can program a 'Beebot' to travel in different directions
- I can make a calendar
- I can count a set of objects and say which has more or less
- I can count spots on a dominoes and match the right number
- I can talk about which group has more or less
- I can count how many and write the number
- I can draw around shapes and cut them out
- I can print a shape pattern
- I can match shapes
- I can play a matching game
- I can make a repeating pattern
- I can count the right amount of coins I need to buy something in the shop

- I can count in order (backwards)
- I can identify and clap the number of syllables in a word
- I can play a remembering game with shapes
- I can identify long and short snakes
- I can explain the differences between day and night
- I can make and remember a pattern
- I can count to 20 and back
- I can use positional language to direct my friends
- I can remember everything in the picture

#### Understanding the World

- I can make a planet with papier mache
- I can make peppermint cream in planet shapes
- I can use a keyboard to type my name
- I can make a small word scene with cars, trains and other resources
- I can use the mud kitchen to make recipes
- I can collect autumn leaves and talk about them
- I can make a picture using found autumn leaves
- I can explore the habitats on our planet earth
- I can talk about what is happening
- I can use the mouse and keyboard to play a game on the computer
- I can talk about what I can see in the environment
- I can imagine what it might be like to be on the moon
- I can draw an alien
- I can explore a moonscape in the builders tray
- I can program a 'Beebot' to travel in different directions
- I can write and draw about what I will see in space
- I can name and describe what materials I can see
- I can take a photo with a camera

- I can talk about the sun, moon and stars
- I can share what I already know with my friends
- I can identify environmental sounds
- I can explain the differences between day and night
- I understand why heat comes from the sun and not the moon
- I understand where shadows come from
- I can describe and sort different textured materials
- I know that there are different planets
- I can use correct vocabulary
- I can discuss light and dark
- I understand how we might move in space
- I understand how we can get into space
- I can talk about things I can see in space
- I can remember everything in the picture
- I can learn about why Christmas is important to some people

#### **Expressive Arts and Design**

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- I can make shapes with my body when I dance
- I can build with large and small bricks
- I can work with my friends to make a firework picture
- I can make a picture using found autumn leaves
- I can make a sun, moon and stars collage using different materials
- I can make the role play corner into a rocket/space station
- I can make patterns and marks on paper
- I can use cutting tools
- I can make a star for the role play corner
- I can move my body to music
- I can print a pictures
- I can use instruments to create sounds
- I can make a rainbow on large paper using different colours
- I can imagine what it might be like to be on the moon
- I can make a moon buggy
- I can draw a picture of me in space and label it
- I can use scissors and glue to make a picture
- I can mix colours to paint a picture
- I can make my own musical instrument
- I can make a rocket fro the role play area
- I can make a calendar
- I can make a Christmas card
- I can learn how to dance to our Christmas song