

Summer Term Overview



Aldersbrook Primary School

Nursery 2026

Summer

Our Learning Journey is:

Space and Beyond;

Some of the questions we will be answering;

- What are the different planets?
- How many planets are there?
- What is the name of our planet?
- What is our world made up of?
- How do you travel to space?
- Are aliens real?

We will also be;

- Making representations of rockets
- Making playdough aliens
- Role playing 'Whatever Next'
- Performing 'Twinkle, Twinkle Little Star'

Europe;

Some of the questions we will be answering;

- Where can you find Europe on a map?
- What transport would you find in London?
- What are the landmarks in London?
- What is the king's name?
- What does the king do?
- Where does the king live?

We will also be;

- Researching about the king.
- Making our own crowns.

In summer 2, we will also be discussing the transition into Reception and celebrating our achievements in Nursery.

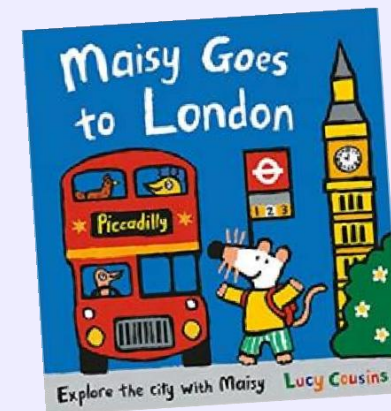
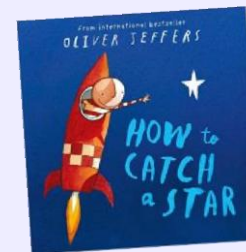
We will also be looking at the following special days;

- Earth Day
- Father's Day
- The King's birthday

In Maths, we will be looking at:

- Numbers 1-5 and representing these numbers in different ways.
- Comparing size
- Positional language
- Spatial awareness
- One more and one less of numbers to 5
- Comparing Amounts/ Composition of numerals
- Comparing size

Our Key texts this term:



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Phonics



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Phonics is the ability to listen to sounds in the environment. This is further developed so the children can develop the ability to listen to sounds in words.

Supersonic Phonic Friends—Firm Foundations in Phonics 1

This Term we will be looking at Aspect 7 of Phase 1 Phonics. This aspect involves oral segmenting and blending.

Segment = Breaking up of words into their sounds e.g. c-a-t.

Blending = Process of combining sounds together e.g. cat.

Here are some CVC (consonant, vowel, consonant) words you can try segmenting and blending at home;

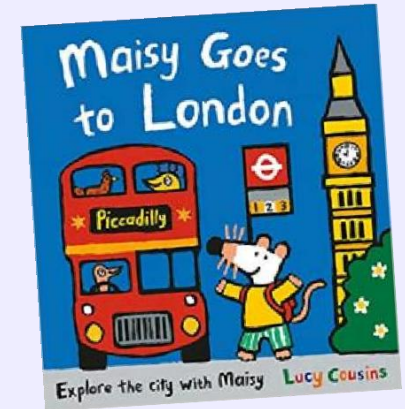
cat, mat, pig, log, bin, sun, ant, mix, dog.

Parental involvement

Do you have any experience or information that will enrich our learning journey? Please come and tell us if you do.

You might like to join in with learning at home by:

Reading:



Visiting:

The Science Museum

<https://www.sciencemuseum.org.uk/learning/exploring-space-school-info>



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Exploring:

<https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/>
<http://www.letters-and-sounds.com/>

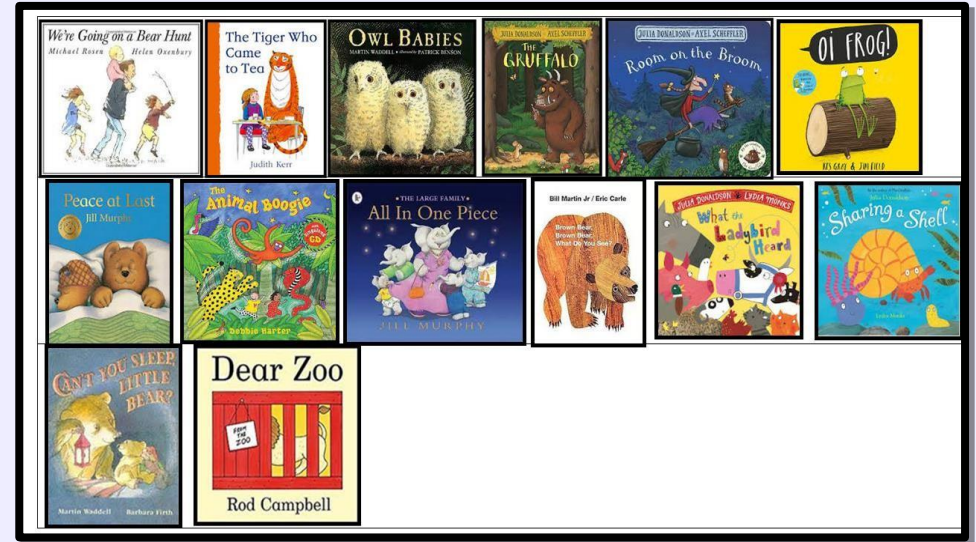


Doing:



EYFS Must Reads

By the end of Reception we would like all children to be confident with the following texts.



To help your child's learning, please go through the below words:

Twinkle
 Nursery rhyme
 Wonder
 Diamond
 Perform
 Land
 Water
 Air
 Alien
 Underpants
 Space
 Earth Moon
 Spaceship
 Rocket
 Owl
 Picnic
 Fly

Pretend
 Spotty
 Stripy
 Planet
 Sun
 Colander
 Cardboard box
 Wellington boots
 Bear
 Queen
 Map
 London
 Guards
 Crown
 Trunk
 Double Decker
 Tube
 Wanstead
 Home

Wanstead Park
 High Street
 Landmarks City
 Transport
 Underground House
 Flat Similar
 Different
 Continent
 River Thames
 Buckingham Palace
 Occasions
 Cable cars
 Palace