

Year 1 Newsletter Autumn 2—2019/2020

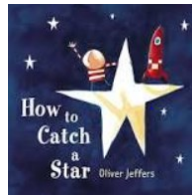
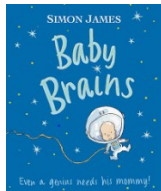
This half term's topic is: Moon Zoom

In **English** we will be:

- Retelling and discussing key features of a recount.
- Writing our own recounts.
- Using adjectives to describe.

Books that we will look at in depth are:

- Baby Brains
- Man on the Moon



In **Maths** we will focus on:

- Number bonds to 10
- Addition and subtraction
- Counting numbers to 20
- Counting, reading and writing numbers

• In **Topic** we will focus on:

• In **History** we will be looking at asking

enquiry based questions.

- Use different types of historical sources to find out more about the past.
- In **Science**, we will be doing some simple experiments.
- We will be Observing and classifying different materials.
- In **D&T**, we will be designing and evaluating how to make our own rocket.
- Explore and use mechanisms.

In **R.E.** The children will be learning about why Christmas matters to Christians and why we have nativity productions.

In **Music** we will be learning about the differences between pulse, rhythm and pitch. Alongside singing for the Christmas production!

In **Art** we will be focusing on sketching and shading techniques. The children will focus on line shape and form in their drawings.

This half term, **P.E.** will be on a **Tuesday**. Please can you ensure your child's P.E kit is in school for these days. Including appropriate footwear.

Key Dates

- Heritage competition deadline Tuesday 12 November
- Planetarium 'Wonder Dome' Visit. Wednesday 20th November.
- Year one Christmas Play. Friday 13th December 9.45 (School Hall)

Advanced notice

- Friday 17th January 2020 Y1 Phonics Screen Check

If you have any queries or concerns please speak to your child's class teacher.