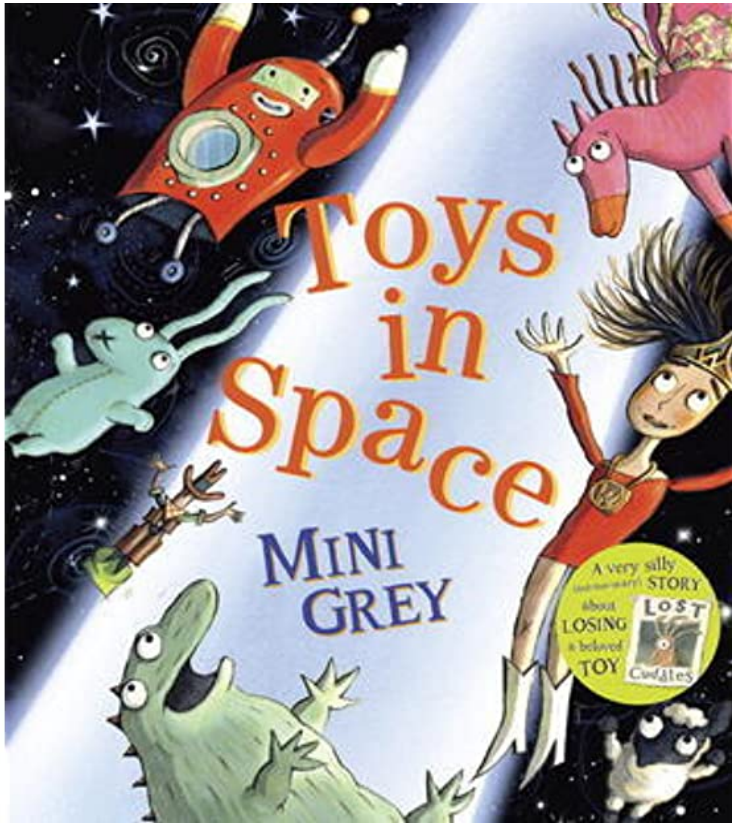


Year 1 – Spring 1 Learning Journey



Reading

Year 1 will be zooming to out of space with the Wonderdoll, the helpful wind-up robot, the thoughtful green dinosaur and the rest of the toy gang. As they lie in the grass, gazing up at the stars. But one star seems brighter than the rest! As it grows bigger and bigger, the toys realize it may not be a star at all! Soon they're venturing into the unknown, traveling by spaceship, where they meet a lonely alien in need of help, and some friends. We will be discussing the front cover and making predictions about the text, we will be asking questions throughout- what is going to happen next? How do we know? We will be fully embracing ourselves in the texts with different experience days, linking to our writing and art work also.

We will also continue to work on our phonics knowledge in Read Write Inc lessons in our specific groups and bringing home our paper copies of the books- remember these are not to keep and cannot be written on.



Maths



Week 1- Measure: time, we will be starting to learn about time. We will be putting our daily routine into chronological order and beginning to understand half past and o'clock times.

Week 2- Number and place value: we will be understanding the term 'fair swap'.

Week 3 & 4- Addition and subtraction: We will be adding using the 'make 10' strategy, we will be understanding number families and solving missing number problems.

Week 5 & 6- Measure: Mass, we will be comparing and order objects and understanding mass and capacity.

Writing

Weeks 1-3 – The Toys go on an intergalactic adventure, we will be joining the toys on their adventure and retelling their story. We will be using drama, story maps and our sentence stacking to tell the story.

Week 3 & 6 - How would you feel if you lost your favourite toys? We are going to imagine we are the little boy and create a lost poster for his favourite toy. We are going to see if we can challenge ourselves to use question marks correctly!

We will be focussing on feelings, noticing, asking and actions.



We will also be focussing on improving our handwriting, ensuring our capital letters and lower case letters are the correct sizes and shapes. We will even start to join our handwriting.

PE

We will be working on our physical skills cog.

Working on our co-ordination through sending and receiving. We will also be learning how to respond and react in activities.



Science



We will be learning about materials and their properties. We will be learning about different types of materials such as: wood, metal, cardboard, fabric and plastic. We will be understanding what the word 'properties' means and discussing and comparing materials by their properties. We will also be testing waterproof materials for Bob The Minions new house in our science experiment.

Art & Design Technology



Lego printing: We will use lego to create prints; painting and stamping the blocks to create patterns, pictures and letters, using a variety of colours and sizes and explaining the choices we make. It combines printing, a great medium for small hands.

Geography



We will be learning to identify and locate the 7 continents and the surrounding oceans onto a world map. We will be gradually building up our class map and individual maps with the continents and oceans.

Computing

We will use our creativity and imagination to plan a mini adventure story and capture it using our photography skills. We will be enhancing these photos with a range of editing tools.



Music



We will again journey into the unknown and explore space through music, movement, chanting and the playing of tuned percussion instruments.

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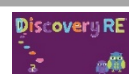
Throughout this term we will be learning to greet and introduce ourselves in French.

PSHE

In PSHE lessons we will be understanding 'respectful relationships' and people and families who care for us.



RE



In our RE lessons, we will be learning about Christianity and understanding Jesus and his 'friends': Zacchaeus, Mary, Martha and Lazarus.

Important Dates

Read Write Inc assessments: Week 4 & 5.