

Every Child, Every Chance, Every Day

Emerald Class w/c 22 February 2016

Here is an overview of some of the activities we will be doing this week, in whole class and small groups.

Topic

We will be preparing for our trip to the Moon to visit the aliens. Please don't forget to send in your passports and 'helmets' with foil to wear on our journey!

Also happening this week: eggs and an incubator will be arriving to be in Emerald Class for 2 weeks. We will be looking after the chicks once they hatch. The chicks link in nicely with the coming of a new season Spring and a focus in RE on New Life and Easter!



Letters and Sounds

This week we will begin to tackle Phase 4 phonics which involves no new sounds but different combinations of consonant blends which can sometimes sound like a digraph as we see and hear them together so often! Our blends this week will be:











The children will be applying their letters and sounds knowledge to design and name an alien using nonsense and rhyming words!

jes wes

vok bok

gop sop



Maths

We will be making pictures of our chicks using 2D (flat) shapes. The children are encouraged to name the shapes they choose and explain HOW they know which shape is which, encouraging mathematical language describing the properties of shape e.g. it has 3 sides, it is round etc.

The children will also be counting and recording how many eggs have hatched!

