



EAST AYTON PRIMARY SCHOOL

Hi Class 2,

I hope you and your families are all staying safe inside and that you have been enjoying the home learning tasks!

This week I've been in school looking after some of the children whose mummy and daddy's need to go to work to help keep us safe. On a personal note, Mrs Dente thought it was time Oreo and I had haircuts, so now we're both looking a bit smarter but with less hair.

Remember, to send pictures of you working to @Eastayton_sch and keep your work in a folder.

Have a great bank holiday and hopefully we'll be able to see each other soon!

Kindest regards,

Mr Dente

English

This week, I'd like you to write a story about going into space! Think about Neil Armstrong's journey to the Moon. The story can be as long as you'd like or you can write a short story with a few sentences.

Before you start writing you'll need to plan your story. You'll need a beginning, a problem that your astronauts will face, how your astronauts solve the problem and then an ending.

You'll need an introduction, so think about who your characters are, why they are going into space, and where are they are going to.

Mr Dente's top-tip! Can you use some expanded noun phrases to describe your rocket? What sounds can you hear as you blast off? Can you use an adverb to describe how you took off into space?

What is the astronaut's problem? What goes wrong for your astronauts? Could the engines break when they're in space, do they meet angry aliens, encounter fireballs or do they crash land on a planet?

Then you'll need to think of how they can solve their problem so they can get back home to Earth. But can you think of an interesting twist-ending?

- Remember to use your best handwriting, exclamation marks, capital letters and full stops.
- Can you use commas in a list?
- Think about how you can make it as exciting as possible for the person reading it.

Reading

Once you have written your story, I'd like you to call someone you've not seen in a while and read your story to them!

- If your space story was a book, can you create a front cover for your story? Remember to give your story a title and include the author's name!
- Can you draw pictures of the characters in your story?
- Can you draw a picture of your Rocket?

Maths

Money

This week, we're going to think about Money, so I'd like you to gather some items from around the house or you could even make things, and set up a little shop. Give the items different prices, then you could pretend to sell them to your family. Remember that you'll have to work out how much change they need.

- If you don't have any coins, you could make some or just pretend.
- Remember you can only use 2p, 5p, 10p, 20p, 50p, £1 and £2 coins or £5, £10 and £20 notes.
- Can you think of all different ways that you could make £2.75 using the coins above?

Also this week, I'd like you to continue to practise your 2, 5, and 10 times tables. How quickly can you write your times tables down?

Science

My habitat investigation

- Living, dead or never alive. Your home is your habitat. Think about the things in your habitat that are living, dead or have never been alive. Draw at least five things in each category.

Art

Can you create a minibeast? You could make:

- A butterfly handprint painting
- Minibeast pebbles
- Paper plate Butterfly
- Paper plate Spider web
- Paper plate Ladybird or Bee
- The Very Hungry Caterpillar handprint painting

