



## The Heights Primary School

### Year One Parent Planner: Spring 1 Week 2

Dear Parents/Carers

This term our theme is: **Spectacular Space**

Over the following week we will be:

English	This week we will be looking at the different features of Non-Fiction books about our Solar System to help us create our own Space Booklet. The children will learn facts about the Solar System, Sun, Mercury and Venus and create a page in their booklet for each.
Mathematics	We will be learning about mass and weight. We will be using the vocabulary heavier, lighter, heaviest, lightest, more, less, grams and kilograms. We will also be using different scales to weigh different objects.
Topic	Continuing our Space topic we will be exploring and recreating Vincent Van Gogh's <i>Starry Night</i> in Art and finding out about Neil Armstrong and Buzz Aldrin's voyage to the Moon in Science. In Computing we will be using the program Scratch Jr to create our own moving spaceman.

**PE Kit** - We hope that your children have all of the items they need in their PE kit this term.

- Long warm jogging bottoms
- PE socks
- PE T-shirt
- PE jumper
- Trainers (That have as much of the mud removed as possible)

**Wellies** - If your child took their wellies home for Christmas please could you make sure they are brought back asap.

**Maths at home** - Practise what we have learnt about Place Value last week by playing the game 'Shark numbers' on ICT Games.

<http://www.ictgames.com/sharkNumbers/mobile/index.html>

**Kitchen rolls** - This term we will be collecting kitchen rolls for an Art lesson. If you have any we would really appreciate you collecting some for us.

Best wishes,

The Year 1 Team