

Year 1 Learning Update: 7/10/21

It has been great to meet lots of you at parents' evening this week.

You should be receiving a QR code this afternoon in book bags that will enable you to access Seesaw and see the learning your child has been doing so far. These updates will then be sent out via seesaw rather than Parentmail.

English:

As part of Book Talk, we have started reading 'The Big Beyond' by James Carter. Please do not share this book with your child at home as we will be developing prediction skills, which is tricky when they already know the book! However, the children were particularly taken with the picture of the International Space Station and star constellations so you might like to research these a little at home...

- You could watch the programme that Maddie (from Maddie Do you know?) has made about the space station:
<https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episode/m000rjsf/maddie-space-and-you-series-1-3-international-space-station>
- Look at the stars - there is a good guide [here](#) for what you might see.

Maths:

We are going to be measuring objects using cubes and learning to recognise coins up to 10p which we will be using in our class shops.

At home...

- Can you find things that are longer, shorter or the same length as your foot?
- Use some coins to make rubbings - can you guess which coin is under the paper by looking carefully at the picture?

Wider Curriculum:

Science: we will be investigating our sense of touch and finding out which parts of our body are best at identifying different textures.

At home...

- You could describe different textures (e.g. soft, hard, smooth, rough, bumpy, etc.)

History: we are learning about the ways in which the moon landing has been commemorated.

At home...

- Think about your life - what would you commemorate and why? How would you commemorate the event?