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**Primary 3 Newsletter
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I can't believe we're starting our final term in Primary 3 and what a busy term we have planned!

The children discussed and voted on our class topic for this term and decided to learn about.....Space!

They have thought very hard about what they want to learn and have some exciting learning planned.



The opportunity has now arisen for us to attend 'Astronaut Training School' this term and we will be working very hard to become fully trained astronauts and space scientists.

Numeracy and Maths

As Space Scientists work very closely with maths we will be very busy learning all about data handling, symmetry and time as well as our usual numeracy and basic facts lessons each day.

We are working hard to develop our quick recall in basic numeracy facts and enjoy playing the games to help increase our knowledge and understanding.

Literacy

We continue with our daily RWI and reading lessons, exploring our sounds and developing our understanding of different texts.

We will be basing our writing on our Space topic and aim to incorporate lots of our learning from all curricular areas into our writing—sharing our astronaut and space scientist learning has to be recorded after all!

Health and Wellbeing

This term we are completing our astronaut fitness training to ensure we have the physical stamina and strength to work in space.

We are also working hard on identifying our feelings and emotions, discussing and discovering how to recognise them, how they make us feel and what they might look like to someone else.

We are using learning partners this term where the children work in pairs. The children are very keen to develop their learning and giving and receiving constructive feedback to each other,

Housekeeping

Just a gentle reminder that, due to COVID restrictions, children should not be bringing toys into school from home. There has been an increase in toys in the classroom, some of which get broken or lost causing distress and upset but also distracting the children. There are items provided within the classroom for times when the children are able to play without the need to bring precious toys from home. Your support is appreciated with this.

Finally, if you have any questions or would like to speak with me for any reason, please either catch me in the playground, contact me through seesaw or through the school office.