

Year 5

Literacy Overview: Stargazers

Summer 1 2021



	Week beginning	Text	Reading	Writing	Grammar and Punctuation	Spelling	Handwriting
1	19.04.21 Collins' 'Solar Systeem' NON-FICTION	Vocabulary 	 How can we use keywords from vocabulary questions to help us? ('Find and copy', the difference between a 'word' and a 'phrase' Can we create a glossary of specific terms?)	Knowledge Organiser and Mnemonics Effective ways of learning The Solar System	RECAP - Words classes and sentence structure	Week 1 Words containing the letter string 'ough'	Pupils should be taught to: write legibly, fluently and with increasing speed by: ✓ choosing which shape of a letter to use when given choices and deciding whether or not to join specific letters ✓ choosing the writing implement that is best suited for a task.
2	26.04.21 Collins' 'Solar Systeem' NON-FICTION	Summarise 	 Can we summarise main events in order? What has happened, when? Can we summarise key events?	Newspaper Report Imagine that they are a junior journalist, writing an article for the new youth magazine, 'Space Race', on the day of the historic Moon landing.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Formal tone and language ✓ Relative clauses ✓ To a comma to clarify relative clauses ✓ Brackets, dashes and commas to indicate parenthesis ✓ Direct and reported speech – reporting clauses and commas 	Week 2 Words containing the letter string 'ough'	
3	03.05.21 'Cosmic' by Frank Cottrell-Boyce FICTION	Inference 	 How can we PREDICT/infer what this book will be about by looking at the cover and blurb of the book? How can we use inference to aid us with prediction? Infer and predict using cover, blurb and first chapter of the novel	Myths and Legends Retell a Moon-inspired myth and legend	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Dialogue and reporting clauses ✓ Speech with action to advance the story ✓ Use a wide range of conjunctions to create compound and complex sentences ✓ Use apostrophes correctly - possession and omission ✓ Use adverbials of time. 	Week 3 Adverbials of time	Using continuous cursive linked with spelling
4	10.05.21 'Cosmic' by Frank Cottrell-Boyce FICTION	Inference and Vocabulary for A, P, E 	 Looking at the structure of APE questions – how can we use our inference and prediction skills to answer the A and the P (2 mark question types) part of the APE questions?			Week 4 Adverbials of place	
5	17.05.21 'Cosmic' by Frank Cottrell-Boyce FICTION	Explain 	 How can we use APE to answer Explain questions? Building on skills used in the previous week – model and teach the answering of APE questions using correct sentence stems	Free Verse poetry Experiencing zero gravity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Alliteration ✓ Simile ✓ Metaphor ✓ Assonance ✓ Onomatopoeia ✓ Synonyms and antonyms 	Week 5 Words with an /ear/ sound spelt 'ere'	
6	24.05.21 'Cosmic' by Frank Cottrell-Boyce FICTION	All VIPERS skills 	 Assessment Week – children to be given written reading assessment based on all VIPERS skills covered this half term	End of Topic Assessment Narrative Use John Lewis 'Man on the Moon' advert	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Writing, editing, reviewing and publishing 	Week 6 Statutory Spelling Challenge Words	