

**English:**

- Alien description
- Explanation texts on how to look after an alien.
- Non-Chronological report on a planet.
- Y5 SPAG knowledge taught and embedding it in writing. Introduce modal verbs, brackets, expanded noun phrases.
- Reading: How to answer questions effectively.
- Spelling – Double consonants
- - individual zappers

**Maths:**

Multiples, factors, prime, square and cube numbers.

Multiples of 10, 100 and 1,000.

Recognising equivalent fractions.

Converting fractions from mixed numbers to improper.

Comparing and ordering fractions.

Adding and subtracting fractions, including mixed numbers.

**Topic:**

**Science**

Space. The planets and the solar system.

Day and Night

The Seasons

Phases of the moon.

**PSHE:**

- Zones of Regulation
- Understanding prejudice
- Making choices/Taking risks
- Circle time: The true meaning of Christmas.

**Computing:**

Typing skills  
 Research a planet online.  
 Use copy and paste to transfer pictures, re-size etc.

**Music:**

- Singing
- Planet compositions.
- Looking at 'The Planets Suite' by Gustav Holst

**French:**

- Describing appearance
- Describing members of our family
- Little Red Riding Hood
- The Christmas Snowman

**Dates:**

The Starman Visit (Dennis Ashton)  
 – Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> November

**PE:**

Outdoors: Football  
 Indoors: Athletic skills

**Art & DT:**

- Self-portraits
- Christmas cards
- Christmas robins

**Key Texts:**

'The Switch' by  
 Anthony Horowitz

