**Autumn Term 2021-2022- Year 2**

**History**

**Literacy**

* The children will be learning about explorers such as Christopher Columbus and Neil Armstrong.
* They will be looking at timelines of Neil Armstrong’s life and why he wanted to become an astronaut.
* The children will discuss why this job is important.
* The children will be reading a variety of fiction and non- fiction books.
* The class stories called ‘Beegu’ and ‘Aliens love underpants’ will be linked to space and planets.



**Music**

* The children will be learning about different materials
* They will be able to discuss what material would be best for a space suit and using scientific reasoning.
* They will need to work out what material is best to use for their rocket.
* They will be able to discuss how things float in space, linking to scientific knowledge.
* The children will be given the opportunity to make a class composition of what space might sound like to them.
* The children will be making their own rockets and aliens using different materials/ junk modelling.

**Science**

**D&T**

**Art**

* The children can research different planets and write stories using touch type/ word process.

**ICT**

* The topic is called ‘The Starry night’ where the children will be recreating the famous painting of Van Goth.