

Barleyhurst Park Primary School

Crocodiles Newsletter

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Crocodiles snap into action ready to learn!

Happy New Year Crocodiles! We hope you and your child have enjoyed the Christmas holidays and stayed safe. I am looking forward to hearing all about it and getting going with our new learning for the term!



This term, we will be studying 'Moon Zoom'. This will include an investigation at the beginning of our topic around a special visitor as well as using Beebots to create and debug simple programs. We will also be looking at key astronauts from history and the different planets in our solar system.

In maths, we will be focusing on addition and subtraction with numbers up to twenty, as being able to count to and write numbers to 40.

'Beegu' is our initial focus for English which we will explore through drama, character description and story writing. Additionally, we will have a go at writing a non-chronological report about Space.

How you can help your child:

Reading:

- Try to share a story as often as you can.
- Ask your child questions about the book they are reading to develop their comprehension.
- Remember to fill in their reading record (it doesn't need to be much, just the name of the book, the date and who they read with).

Maths:

- Help them practise their counting (forwards and backwards to 100) as well as recognising and drawing their numbers.

I hope this gives you an insight into what we will be doing over the half term. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to come and speak to myself or any adult from the Year 1 team.

Kind regards,

Ms Ferrett and the Year 1 team.