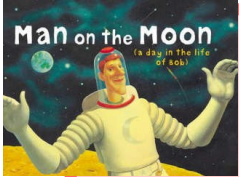




## Dear Y2 Parents and Carers

### 04.02.19

We had a great visit from Blast Science last week!



#### English

In English we will be writing up our alien stories. We will be learning to extend our sentences using because, and, when and if to make our sentences better. We will also be revising contractions such as don't, hasn't and can't. Finally we will be editing our work and then publishing our stories in our nicest handwriting.

#### Destination Reader

In reading we are learning to engage with and discuss the text. We are learning to sequence events in our book by telling people the main ideas in order. This week we will be reading 'Stone Sculptures to Frozen Figures.'

#### Maths

In Maths we are learning to use arrays, repeated addition and equal groups to support our understanding of multiplication. We will also be learning to identify corresponding division statements to multiplication problems. For example, if you know  $4 \times 5 = 20$  you also know  $5 \times 4 = 20$ ,  $20 \div 4 = 5$  and  $20 \div 5 = 4$ .

Mathletics

#### Assigned Mathletics Activities

Multiplication arrays, Arrays 1, Arrays 2

#### Weekly Reminders

Both classes will be undertaking mock SATs over the course of this week and next. We will be completing them in small groups to provide additional support and reassurance for all pupils.

#### Letters and Sounds

The sounds we are learning this week are: wh (what), ph (dolphin), ew (chew) and oe (goes).

In spelling we are learning to use have a go sheets, revising homophones and making sure we use capital letters and full stops.

We will also be revising using and, or, but, because and when to extend our sentences.