

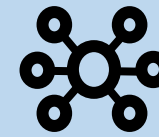
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Where in the universe would you like to travel?



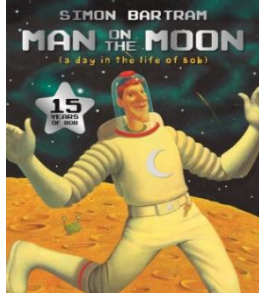
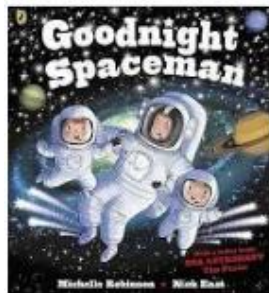
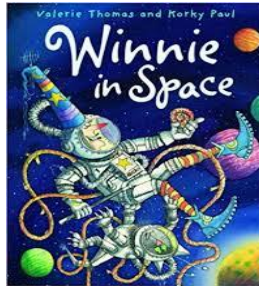
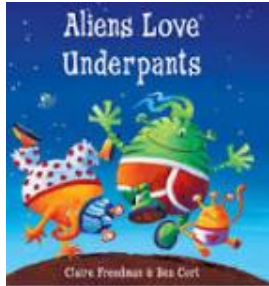
Alien
visitors –
spotted on
CCTV!

Resource Hub



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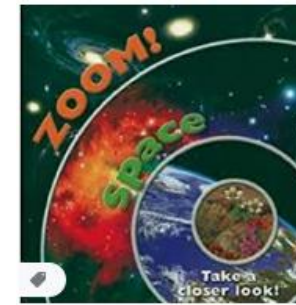
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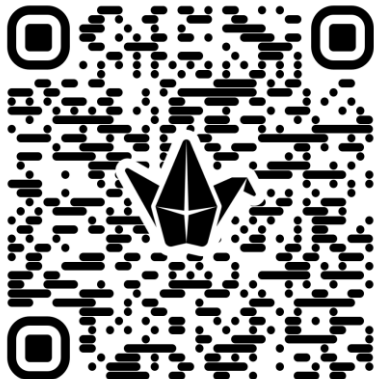
Core Texts



Non-Fiction



Year 1 Padlet



Visit the Year 1 – Summer 1 Padlet page to access resources to share at home via the link or QR code:

<https://padlet.com/year1cavclosei/where-in-the-universe-would-you-like-to-travel-6mszyxn8ogzcgghh>

I know the names of some astronauts.

I know about space including the solar system, planets, stars, and the moon.

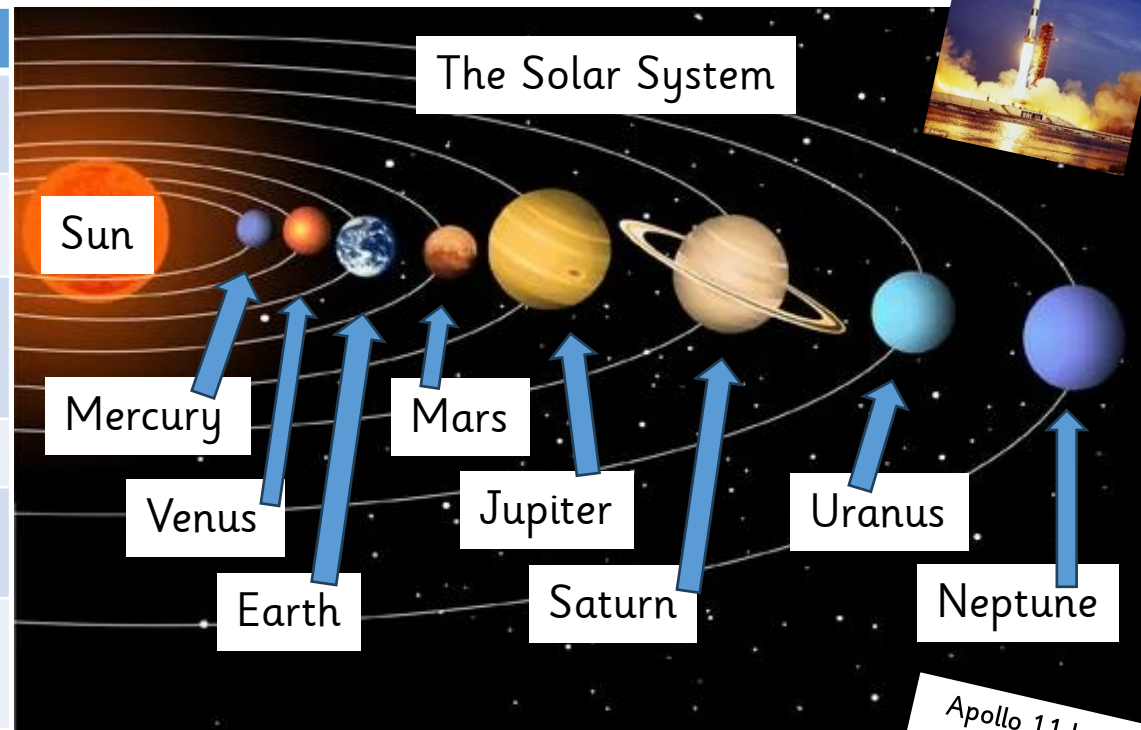
I can talk about landmarks.

I know about the lunar landings.

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Vocabulary

astronaut	The name of the people who go into space, they have to train for a long time before they are ready.
rocket	A form of transport astronauts use to travel to the moon.
space suit	The special clothing astronauts wear to protect themselves in space. There is no air on the moon so it helps them to breath.
gravity	Is the force that keeps everything on the ground.
Solar System	The collection of planets that circle around the sun.
alien	A living being from another planet. Sometimes called extraterrestrials. There is no evidence that aliens exist, but many people believe there is life on other planets.



Where do we live?

Chaddesden

Derby

England

United Kingdom

Europe

Landmarks: Derby



Derby Cathedral



St. Marys Church

Landmarks: London



Windsor castle

Buckingham Palace



Tim Peake



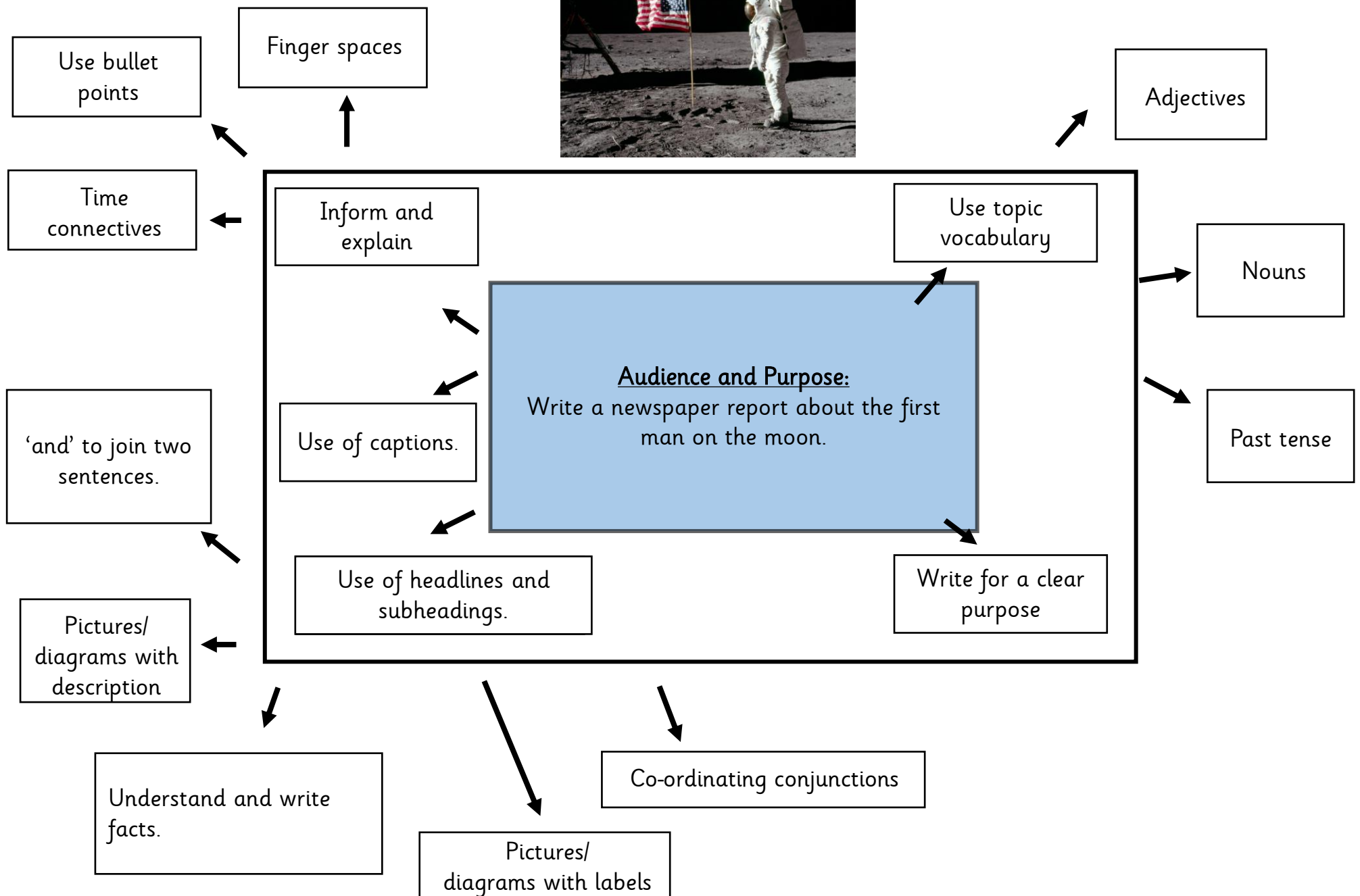
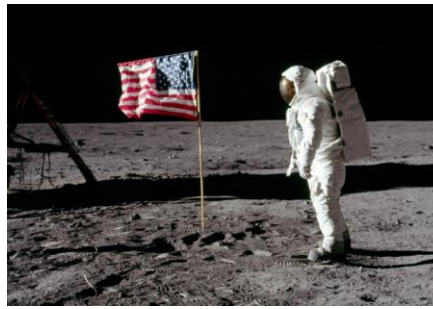
Helen Sharman



Neil Armstrong, Michael Collins and Buzz Aldrin

Famous people

Writing Features – Non- Fiction



1. ST Georges Day- shared reading.
Hook: Watch the CCTV of aliens visiting school.

- Alien crash landing – find some alien passports. Generate adjectives to describe the alien's pictures.
- Shared reading of the story up to the page with our alien friend.
- Receive a letter from Nogel the alien – write a description of him using your human words.
- Write questions to ask Nogel about alien school.
- Handwriting – i, l

2.

- Modelled reading of the story up to the page with the canteen. Using adjectives think of food starting with same first letter- alliteration.
- Write your own alien menu.
- Add speech bubbles for the characters.
- Handwriting – j, t

Year 1 Summer Term 1 In English, we will be writing...

3. Talk for writing.

Modelled reading of the end of the story.

Create whole class text map innovating the story and model write how to use it.

Plan and write a story all about Nogel coming to visit our school to learn about Chaddesden.

What landmarks did he see?

What did he learn?

Handwriting – c, o, a

4/5.

- Watch lunar landing video clip – Create class word bank of space words
- Look at lunar landing newspaper articles. Explore basic features of a newspaper. Create own simple newspaper article.
- Handwriting – d, g, q, e
- Revisit Shared reading- Alien poems. Write your own Alien inspired poem.

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Let's quiz



'Let's quiz' is an exciting game for the children.

At the end of every topic they will take part in a fun quiz all about what they have learnt. You can help your child to succeed and remember what they have learnt by talking about the questions together at home.

Research says that when children repeatedly return to previously learnt information, they are more likely to 'Know and Remember More' in the long term.

- Who landed on the moon on the Apollo 11 mission?
- Can you name a planet?
- Can you say a fact about a planet?
- What is the solar system?
- Can you name a local landmark in Derby?
- Can you name a landmark in London?
- Are aliens real?
- Where do we live?
- What is alliteration? Can you give an example.
- How can we be sun safety superstars?

