



Aliens in Arbury

On the menu this term...

Starters

DT: In DT at school we are going to plan and make our own alien hand puppets! At home, make a space ship for an alien to fly in. Use a variety of materials and aim to make a door that opens and windows that we can see through. You could decorate it with paints, crayons or collage and give your space ship a name.

Geography

Draw a map of your bedroom. This could include a key with symbols to represent different objects. Make sure you find a way to show the door and window. It should be in areal view.

Art: Using natural things like stones, twigs, leaves and seeds make a piece of temporary artwork of your choice. Take a photograph of it and send it to school. Here are some ideas.
<https://www.pinterest.co.uk/pin/114982596717133356/>

Main Course

English:

Practise writing in full sentences by writing a record of an activity you have enjoyed doing out of school. It could be a club, a visit or something you have enjoyed doing with family or friends. Tell me why you enjoyed it so much.!

Maths

We are looking at fractions in maths. Look for things around the house which are divided into equal parts e.g. bar of chocolate, Family pack of yogurts, or can be shared into equal parts beads, jigsaw pieces, marbles. Talk to your children about finding half, sharing equally. Then move onto quarters.

Science: We are finding out about growth and change. Ask someone you know to show you a photo of them when they were younger. Ask them what were they like then and what are they like now. How have they changed? What is the same? Make a list of the same and different.

Computing: Practise writing your name on a keyboard (both your first and surname.) Can you put capital letters at the front of each part? Press Shift and the letter to make a capital. If you don't have a computer at home remember you can access then at your local library.

Dessert

Speaking and Listening: To help the children gain confidence to speak in front of an audience, you could rehearse some sentences with your child to learn from memory that they could tell the class. It could be about one of their home work tasks!

SMSC: We are looking for photo's or written examples of when your child has displayed characteristics of effective learning. Please do send these in!

- Showing curiosity
- Taking risks
- Making links
- Solving problems

Support

Please come and speak to us if you have any questions!