

## Drama

- Talk for Writing
- Play scripts
- Performance Poetry
- Class assemblies

## Poetry

- Similes and Metaphors
- Personification
- Nonsense Poems

## Non-Fiction

- Autobiographies and biographies
- Newspaper reports
- Recounts
- Diary entries
- Science experiments
- Information leaflets
- Instructions
- John Couch Adams - the cornishman who discovered Neptune.

## Literacy

## Fiction:

- Character profiles
- Descriptive opening/closing for a scene
- Story Genres especially adventure and Science Fiction
- Defeating the monster stories

## Maths

- Place value including decimals and money
- Addition and Subtraction efficient written methods
- Rapid recall of multiplication facts
- Fractions, decimals and percentages
- Data handling including line graphs and bar charts
- Using and Applying maths
- Money and budgeting
- Daily mental maths meeting
- Calculator use
- Positive and negative numbers related to temperature
- Properties of 3d shapes

## Music - creating & developing musical instruments; Christmas songs.

- SAMBA with Andy Bilham
- Camborne Lantern Parade
- Christmas songs

## RE - Christianity

- The effect of Jesus
- Characteristics of the church

## How you can help your child:

Visit and explore together the following websites:

[www.wechoosethemoon.com](http://www.wechoosethemoon.com)  
[www.nasa.com](http://www.nasa.com)  
[www.bbc.co.uk/science/space/](http://www.bbc.co.uk/science/space/)

Discuss any news items about our topic  
Celebrate your child's effort with their homework.

Planned visits:

- Space Odyssey Planetarium - 28th Sept
- Flash bang wallop at CSIA - 25th Sept
- Falmouth Maritime Museum, Moon and Tides workshop, date tbc
- Mission to Mars Space ship day
- Coastal cliff formation research at Portreath, date tbc

**Texts (Geog/Science links):** Mars Evacuees, Zathura, The Water Tower

**Holly Class - KS2 Y5/6**  
**Space: The Final Frontier**

## - We are Architects (linked to Mars)

- Google 3D visual software
- Developing ideas and sharing
- Understanding computer networks
- Using Web 2.0 tools

## Physical Geography - water cycle and coasts

- Coastal influences
- Erosion
- Types of coast in the UK
- The water cycle
- Human and physical features

## Science - Earth and Beyond / Materials

- Rocket science linked to Apollo and the Moon landings
- Orbits and timings
- The Solar System
- Phases of the Moon
- Seasons of the Earth
- Grouping and Classifying Materials
- Compare everyday materials by properties
- Thermal insulators
- Electrical conductors
- Rocks and soils

## D&T and Art - resistant materials: Mars Rover

- Design briefs
- Current Rover designs
- Mantle of the expert
- Types of materials
- Construction skills
- Test and Evaluate

## School Values: Aspiration.

How can small steps lead to us achieving our dreams?

## PHSE - New Beginnings

Getting on and falling out  
Anti-bullying Week

## PE - Net Games / Gymnastics

- Tennis
- Gymnastic sequences
- Football/Tag Rugby club
- Surfing club