

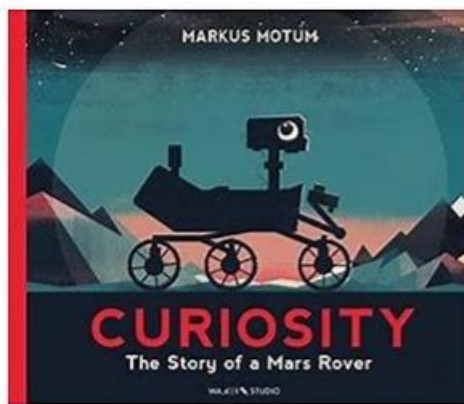
12th February 2021

Dear Parents and Carers,

We have made it to half term! We wanted to say a huge well done to everyone at home and in school. Everyone has worked so hard and all of the adults at home have provided the children with so much support over these challenging weeks.

We hope you have been enjoying our topic, themed around Space. So far we have made it to the Moon, but next half term our imaginations will have the chance to run wild, as we will be looking at the Solar System and other wonderful worlds.

We will begin our next Space adventure by reading a book called, 'Curiosity - The Story of a Mars Rover,' by Markus Motum.



This will help fuel our creativity and design skills to invent our own 'Discovery Rover.'

For all of the children working at home, a pack of resources will be available to collect at the beginning of next half term and we will show you how to use these items to create the base for your rover. This will be Blue Peter style on Tapestry! Your pack will include wheels, doweling rods and card.

To help create the unique features of your own rover, over half term, please can you collect some resources that you might find useful. For example, lids and small boxes, (such as toothpaste, Oxo, cereal bars, moisturiser boxes), Actimal or yogurt lolly sticks or straws might be helpful too. Anything really that you might be able to use to represent your gadgets and gizmos!

Here is an example of how they may end up looking!

Above all, have a really lovely half term and a well-deserved break. Thank you again for all your support.

From The Year 2 Team. xx

