



'Whatever next'

Jill Murphy's story 'Whatever Next' will be our core text. We will also be learning about bears around the world and space.



Questions:

Where do Bears live?

What do Bears eat?

What and where is the moon?

What are the names of the eight planets?



Home learning opportunities:

Can you go on a Bear hunt? You could go on several different local walks over the next few weeks and look for signs of life. You could walk by Shoreham river, the river Adur, go to the beach, go up onto the downs, into some woods, maybe at Stanmer Park and look for insects, blossom, buds, animal footprints and more! Let us know what you find.



Fun facts:

- Bears have excellent memories and very large brains!
- Bears care deeply about family members
- The Giant Panda is in fact a bear
- Space is completely silent
- The sun is 400 times larger than the moon

Key Vocabulary:

Cub - A baby Bear

Mammal - a warm-blooded animal with fur or hair on its skin and a skeleton inside its body

Hibernate - to sleep through the winter

Habitat - the natural environment of an animal or plant.

Diet - the food and drink usually eaten and drunk by a person or animal.

Omnivore - They may eat plants, honey, insects, fish and small mammals

Space - the area that contains the entire universe beyond the earth; outer space.

Planet - a large body in outer space that circles around the sun or another star.

Moon - The moon joins Earth in its orbit round the sun

Neil Armstrong - The first person to walk on the moon

Space! Did you know...

There are eight planets in our solar system. These are Mercury, Venus, Earth, Mars, Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus and Neptune.