

**Year 5 Blog: Week commencing 30.01.23 - Trip to the National Space Centre!**

Year 5 had the most amazing day on Monday when we visited the National Space Centre in Leicester. We all had to get up very early and after a 3-hour coach journey, everyone was excited to start their day! Year 5 experienced a Mars Explorer Workshop during which they used their coding skills to program a robot to navigate moon rocks and aliens! We also explored the Space Centre, finding out lots of fascinating information and seeing a real rocket. Finally, everyone experienced an amazing trip through the solar system in the huge planetarium, many of us agreed that this was the highlight of the trip!



In maths this week, we have continued working with fractions and learnt how to multiply a fraction by a mixed number and how to find a fraction of an amount.

In writing, we have concluded our narrative science fiction stories. The children have written amazing, descriptive, action packed stories, which we have all enjoyed reading and sharing!

Finally, our parents came in to school to see our fabulous artwork in the whole school art gallery. They also joined in with a child led parent workshop where the children taught their parents the art skills they learnt on our Art Day. We have had a very busy week!