

Text Message for Whole School Parents/Carers

World Space Week 2025

Dear Parents/Carers,

From the 6th October – 24th October our school, along with some other primary schools in Kirkby are celebrating World Space Week 2025. World Space Week is an international celebration of science and technology and its contribution to the betterment of the human race. This year's theme is 'Living in Space'.

As part of the Kirkby Collaborative we will be running an interactive competition and all children from Nursery all the way up to Year 6 are welcome to enter. The competition is called 'Operation: Survive in Space'.

The competition is to **create a 2D piece of art work** or a **create a 3D model** of the solar system with you inside. It will also need to include a list of things you would need to survive in space or the words you would use to describe space itself. This can be underpinned by research or using your imagination. This can be created using any form of medium (pencils, felts, paint, collage, photography etc). It cannot be bigger than A2. If you want to create a 3D model then you can use anything from play dough to plasticine to papier-mache. Please ensure your name, year group and school is on the art work when you bring it into school.

Everyone who enters the competition will be given a certificate for entering. There will also be a special prize for the top four entries which will be judged within school.

Entries must be completed and in school by **Friday 24th October with your name, year group and school on**. The winners will be announced on **Wednesday 5th November**.

We hope you enjoy creating your pieces of work to celebrate World Space 2025 and we cannot wait to see the fantastic creations you bring in to share with us.

Best Wishes,

Miss Tomlinson

