





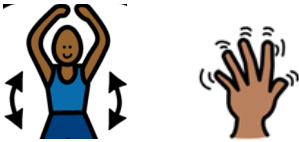




## Curriculum information for Parents and Carers



At Valley, your child's curriculum is made up of 2 parts:

- 1) Unique Child's Curriculum - Very personal learning that comes from their EHCP, annual review and IEPs.
- 2) School Designed Curriculum - [Termly overview in this document](#). It is topic based and provides a breadth of learning opportunities through play. It develops through the 3 steps and is based on the areas of learning in EYFS.

Class: Giraffes	Step 3	Spring term: January—Easter
<b>Topic Space</b>		
<b>Communication and language</b> 	Your child will be working on their communication IEP targets throughout a range of other curriculum areas	
<b>Literacy</b> 	Reading "Space Song Rocket Ride" sensory story, written by Sunny Scribens. - Choosing and exploring multi-sensory props - Using Positive Looking strategies to work on vision where needed. - Taking part in 'Galaxies' sensory drama in the classroom or the lightroom.	
<b>Mathematics</b> 	- Crossing over to reach for and pass, switching attention during space sessions. - Transforming objects in art sessions and changing the shape of objects when exploring. - learning about space and position by wearing a space helmet, putting things in and out of containers, hiding under space blankets, being close together and spreading out.	
<b>Understanding the world</b> 	- Exploring light throughout the curriculum. Using lights and torches in a musical trip to space.	
<b>Physical development</b> 	- Daily physiotherapy and occupational therapy programmes -- Fine motor, touch grasp and release activities. - Some children will swim on a Monday morning - Some children will do Rebound Therapy on a Wednesday morning.	
<b>Personal, social and emotional development (inc RE)</b> 	- Learning about body parts during massage and body awareness activities. - Tooth brushing. - We will be learning about what Christians believe about Jesus through Easter activities.	
<b>Expressive arts and design</b> 	- Exploring different textures, making planets with Modroc and paper-mache. - Exploring pitch and dynamics with instruments.	
Additional info -		