

Year 5 Home Learning Project (Optional)

Space Guide

Choose a planet (or planets) to research and find out as much as you can about them. You may decide to find out about our own planet (Earth) or one of the others. You may decide to compare two different planets and ask how Earth is the only planet to (knowingly) sustain life.

Locate your planet and then use books, magazines, the internet, information magazines to find out as much as you can about it.

Facts you could research may include:

- What is the planet made of?
- When was it discovered? By whom? How?
- What are its main features?
- What makes the planet unique?
- How does the planet compare to Earth?
- Has man ever sent a satellite to monitor the planet?
- What are the temperatures like on the planet?

Use the information you find out to write a guide, PowerPoint presentation or design a poster for someone who wanted to know more about the planet/s you selected. Be creative!! You will need to organise your information into sections and think about how you will lay out your guide, PowerPoint or poster.

Bring your Home Learning Project to school by **Monday 9th November** to share with everyone.

