



# Dali class NEWSLETTER 3



December 2016

'Together we can achieve more'



Hello Parent/Carers

A big thank you to all the parents and carers that came to the Dali open morning, it was lovely to see so many of you there. The staff really enjoyed chatting to the parents and carers.

## Dali team

Teacher and Specialist TA's



Alice Courtney Dali teacher

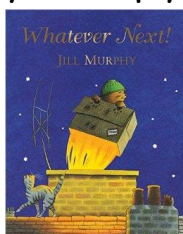


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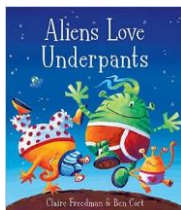
Look out for 'We're going on a bear hunt' on Channel 4 they are showing an animated version of the story on Christmas Eve.



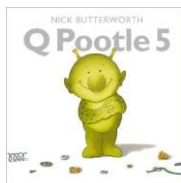
This term we are starting our new school topic 'Earth, Space, Place and Time'. Our focus stories are 'Whatever Next' by Jill Murphy



'Aliens Love Underpants' by Claire Freedman & Ben Cort



and 'Q Pootle 5' by Nick Butterworth.



These classic stories are wonderful for encouraging the children to listen and join in with story phrases and repetitive rhymes. We will be making our own space rockets and having lots of adventure in these.



## How to help at home

Visit the library and find our core stories to share at home.

- Check out Jill Murphy retelling 'Whatever next' on youtube - join in with all the story language
- Make your own home made rocket and then create a story .
- Using playdough to create your alien from the story of 'Aliens Love Underpants'

Maths Practice counting backwards from 10 so the rocket can take off. Look for numbers in the environment on doors etc.

## We need your help!!

If you have old pots and pans we would love them for our mud kitchen.



Could you please send a box of tissues in for your children as many of them have runny noses.



Have a lovely Christmas and a Happy New Year!