When do we see stars?

Key Facts

Through our core story 'Goodnight Mr Panda' we will be learning the following facts:

- We see the Moon at night time
- We see the Sun in the day time
- The Sun is a star
- We sleep during the night
- We wake up in the morning when the sun rises
- We brush our teeth in the morning and at bed time

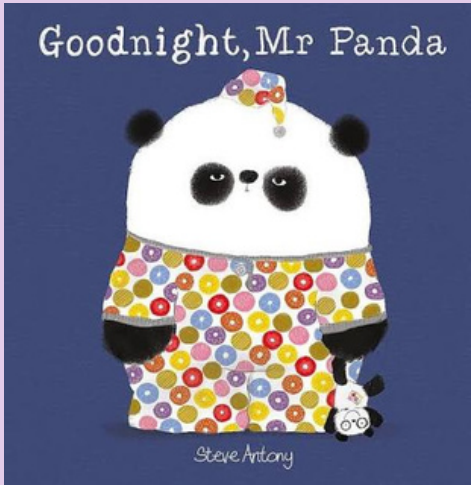
Key Vocabulary

Through our core story and other learning, we will learn and use the following words:

- Morning: The time of day from when we wake up to when we eat lunch
- Afternoon: The time between eating lunch and eating dinner
- Evening: The time between eating dinner and going to bed
- Bedtime: When we get ready for bed
- Sun: A star in the sky that gives us light
- Moon: In the sky at night time

The children will be learning all about bedtime routines and how to build independence and keep themselves healthy through teeth brushing and getting changed independently.
Your child should be getting 10-13 hours sleep per night, make sure they are going to bed no later than 8pm to make sure they are well rested and ready to learn!

This half term we are reading this story!



Home Learning Ideas

Download the 50 Things to do Before You're 5 app for lots of exciting, open ended, screen free ideas for play!

Here are some activities you can try that help support our learning this half term!

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#10- Sharing Books

Sharing stories with your child enhances their language skills, sparks their imagination and helps to strengthen their bond with you. Research shows that children who are read to from an early age do better at school.

Part of a cosy, loving bedtime routine for a 3 / 4 year old is reading a favourite book together. Ask your child to choose a story at bedtime and spend a few minutes reading to them.

#14- See the Stars

Wrap up warm, step outside and point out the moon and the stars!

Even though they might not fully grasp the concepts, talking about the stars and moon can spark a lifelong interest in space and science.

When you talk to your little one about the night sky you are introducing new words such as 'moon', 'stars', 'constellations' and 'planets' which is helping to broaden their vocabulary.



We would love to see any learning you do at home with your child. Please share what you get up to at home on Tapestry so we can talk about it with your child!