



### Lapwing Class

Lapwing have had a great start to Year 4 and have had a lot of fun settling back into school life.

We loved space week and thinking about what satellites do for life on earth, the difference between artificial and natural satellites and learning that the moon is the earth's largest, natural satellite.

We were tasked with the mission to help 2 aliens (giant marshmallows) land on the moon safely by building a successful space lander. There were lots of different designs which were all tested out. It was fantastic to see how amazing the teamwork between partners was and how resilient and determined they were when they had to change their designs. There were some excellent discussions about suspension, padding, aerodynamics and forces.



We have also enjoyed our sound topic in science, learning all about the ear and how we hear. We found making model ears out of playdough great for helping us to learn about each part and the role they play in helping us to hear sound!



Tilly's model ear.

We have generally been enjoying lots of active learning outside in English and maths.

We are loving our Ancient Egyptian topic and have enjoyed using drama to learn about daily life. Recently, we have completed some mummification training and we really enjoyed practising our new found skills!