## Sticky knowledge mat Science-Space Year 5

## Exciting Books



Important facts to know by the end of the Earth and space topic
Know that the moon orbits the Earth every 28 days and the Earth orbits the sun every 365 days
Describe the Earth and Moon and the sun (including their sizes and the word spherical).
Know information about the specific planets.
Be able to use the idea of the Earth's rotation to explain day and night and that a rotation takes 24 hours.
Know about and explain the movement of the Moon relative to the Earth.

## Prior Learning - Year 1

- Observe changes across the 4 seasons
- Observe and describe weather associated with the seasons and how day length varies.

| Subject Specific Vocabulary |  |
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| Orbit | A repeating path that the same celestial <br> body takes around one another. |
| Solar system | Made up of eight planets that orbit the <br> sun. It is also made up of asteroids, moons <br> and comets. |
| Planet | There are 8 planets in the solar system- <br> Mercury, Venus, Earth, Mars, Jupiter, <br> Saturn, Uranus, Neptune, Pluto. |
| Rotation | Rotation is where the shape is turned <br> around the point. |
| Spherical | Shaped like a sphere in being round. |
| Lunar | Lunar means resembling the moon. |
| Crescent moon | Less than half of the moon is lit up. |
| Gibbous moon | Three quarters of the moon is lit up. |
| Eclipse | When a celestial object is temporarily <br> hidden. |
| Celestial <br> bodies | Stars, comets, planets and galaxies. |

