

Imagination Box - Space



What you will need

- White net
- Silver material
- Torch
- Spacemen, space vehicles, aliens
- Rocks
- Stars, planets, space treasure
- Box with a lid

What to do

Set out a scene with the child using the resources in the box – there is no right or wrong way to do this.

Let the child take the lead and follow their ideas.

Help them to develop the story using the props in the box.

- Comment on what your child is doing as they explore – e.g. “The rocket is zooming”, “The alien is hiding.”
- Expand on what your child says, then add in 1 or 2 extra words to their comment – e.g. if your child says “Spaceman jumping!”, you expand the sentence by saying “Yes! The spaceman **is** jumping!”

Sharing and celebrating experiences

Enjoy the Space Imagination Box and share your story with us or tell us some of the comments your child made - Your key person would love to hear about them.

Take photographs to bring in if you would like – these can be added to your child’s learning journey and shared with their friends.