

# Neil Armstrong

**Prior Learning**

*Reception* – know that things happened before they were born and that these were in the past. Use and understand words related to the passing of time - before I was born, long ago and a long time ago. Use pictures, photographs and artefacts to find out about the past.

*Year 1* – Know that things happened in the past, a long time before they were born. Use common words related to the passing of time. Retrieve information from a given source.

*Spring Term 1* – Christopher Columbus as an explorer in 1400s, sailing to the Americas.

**Concepts**

**Significance** – To quality of being worthy; importance.

**Cause and Consequence** – To recognise why people did things, why events happened and what happened as a result.

**Key Vocabulary**

<b>Astronaut</b>	A person specially trained to take part in space flight
<b>Evidence</b>	Something that gives proof
<b>Flight</b>	The act of passing through air or space by flying
<b>Mission</b>	A particular task or duty
<b>Scientist</b>	Somebody who has studied science and whose job it is to teach or do research in science
<b>Space</b>	The area that contains the entire universe beyond Earth.

**Images, icons and maps.**

- Key Facts**
- 1) Neil Armstrong was born on 25<sup>th</sup> August 1930. He died on 25<sup>th</sup> August 2012 aged 82.
  - 2) He received his first pilot's license on his 16<sup>th</sup> birthday.
  - 3) He was accepted to work for NASA in 1952.
  - 4) He is famous for being the first man to walk on the moon as part of the Apollo 11 mission along with Buzz Aldrin and Michael Collins in July 1969.
  - 5) After stepping onto the moon, Neil Armstrong was heard saying: "That's one small step for man, one giant leap for mankind."
  - 6) Neil Armstrong were both explorers, discovering new territory. They happened over 450 years apart.



**Timeline**

<b>5<sup>th</sup> August 1930</b> – Neil Armstrong was born.	<b>5<sup>th</sup> August 1946</b> – On his 16 <sup>th</sup> birthday Neil Armstrong received his pilot's license.	<b>1952</b> – Neil Armstrong joins NASA	<b>March 1966</b> – Neil's first mission into space with David Scott – The Gemini Mission	<b>21<sup>st</sup> July 1966</b> – Apollo 11 went into orbit around the moon. First men walked on the moon.	<b>24<sup>th</sup> July 1966</b> – Return to Earth and landed in the Pacific Ocean	<b>25<sup>th</sup> August 2012</b> – Neil Armstrong died aged 82.
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