English

- Create a glossary of unfamiliar words from the story use a dictionary to find their definitions.
- Imagine you are the Space Tortoise. Write a letter to the other animals introducing yourself and telling them about why you are a great friend.
- Use descriptive vocabulary to describe the different settings in the book.

Art

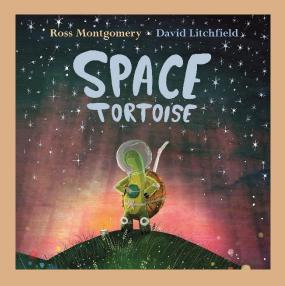
- Can you draw/design a costume for the Space Tortoise if he was to go into space?
- Design a new friend for the Space Tortoise. Think about what kind of character would make a good friend for him.

Design & Technology

- Space Tortoise wants to find some new friends and he thinks he'll get there by travelling up into the sky. Can you research, design, make and test your own paper rocket?
- Can you build your own monument that looks like a rocket that isn't a rocket (like the clock in the story)?

PSHE

- The Space Tortoise really wants to visit space to see if he can find some friends up there. What are your dreams? What do you want to do when you are older? Where do you go to find friends?
- Talk about recycling and the importance of it.



PE

 Can you explore lots of different ways to move around like different animals?



Maths

- Look at the different heights of monuments where you live or around the country. Can you compare their heights?
- Build towers as tall as you can with different kinds of 3D object. Can you describe which objects are the best for building towers? Which ones would not work?

Science

- Learn about the different animals in the story. How are the tortoise and the mouse the same? How are they different? Learn about their characteristics and their habitats.
- The Space Tortoise creates a hot air balloon for himself. Use different materials to create a hot air balloon and explore which ones are best for flying.

Geography

- Learn about recycling and the different uses of recycled materials. Why is it important that we look after the world and recycle materials? What materials can you recycle? Which materials can't?
- The Space Tortoise doesn't really go over deserts and over oceans to get to the 'rocket'. Can you learn about the different places he mentions in the story? What would it be like to visit there or even live there?

History

• The Space Tortoise is a brave explorer going over the whole of the park in search of a friend. Can you learn about other famous explorers?