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## **Eggstronaut Challenge**

Meet Eggster, the astronaut! Eggster has just completed its mission on board the International Space Station and is now ready to return from space - just in time for the Easter holidays!



But Eggster needs a spacecraft to land safely back on Earth. Can you help?

## What you need:

- Raw eggs
- Poster paints or markers
- Bin bags or plastic bags
- Newspapers, leaflets or magazines
- String & Rubber bands
- Tape & scissors
- Packing material such as bubble wrap
- Recycled materials -yoghurt cups, milk cartons, cardboard & bottles

## **Explore:**

- 1. Choose the materials that you want to use.
- 2. Design your landing spacecraft. How will you protect the eggstronaut? Carry out some research for inspiration!
- 3. Build your spacecraft and test it out without the egg inside.
- 4. Design your egg make it look like an astronaut!
- 5. Place your egg astronaut in your spacecraft.
- 6. Drop your spacecraft from a high place. (Adult Supervision is required)
- 7. After you drop it, check to see if your eggstronaut cracked or whether it landed safely!
- 8. Share your photos and videos with us! #EggstronautChallenge







