BC SRC 2020: Explore Our Universe!
Family Storytime, Week 7: Blast Off!
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WELCOME SONG
Bread and Butter and Marmalade Jam
Bread and butter and marmalade jam (Clap out a beat)
Let's say hello as loud as we can!
Extra verses: Let's say hello as quiet/fast/slow/high/low/silly/serious

SONG
If You're Going to the Moon (Tune: If You're Happy and You Know It)
If you're going to the moon, wear your boots
If you're going to the moon, wear your boots
If you're going to the moon, you'll have to do this soon
If you're going to the moon, wear your boots
Extra verses: If you're going to the moon, wear your helmet/gloves/suit

BOOK
Penguinaut! by Marcie Colleen

FLANNEL STORY
Four little rockets winking at me
One shot off and then there were three!
Three little rockets with nothing to do
One shot off, and then there were two!
Two little rockets afraid of the sun
One shot off, and then there was one!
One little rocket alone is no fun
It shot off, and then there were none!
https://storytimekatie.com/2012/08/27/space/

SONG
To the tune of “Tell Me Where Have You Been, Billy Boy?”
Tell me, where have you been, Astronaut, astronaut?
Tell me, where have you been in your rocket?
I have landed on the moon, and I may return there soon
With a space station that will help me dock it!
Tell me, what did you do, astronaut, astronaut?
Tell me, what did you do in your rocket?
I took pictures of the stars and the craters found on Mars,
And I brought home some moon rocks in my pocket!

BOOK
Astro Girl by Ken Wilson-Max

SONG
**Zoom, Zoom, Zoom**

*Intro:* Before we go to the moon, we need to put in some special equipment. On my right hand, I put on my space glove. Left hand – space glove Feet – Space boots. On my head, my helmet. And then I zip up my spacesuit. Ziiiiip!

Zoom, zoom, zoom we’re going to the Moon
Zoom, zoom, zoom we’re going to the Moon
If you want to take a trip, climb aboard my rocket ship
Zoom, zoom, zoom we’re going to the Moon
In 5, 4, 3, 2, 1 BLAST OFF!

“We are going to go approximately 147 km farther to the sun! But before we go to the sun, we need to put on some sunscreen and sunglasses.” Ask the kids where they need to put sunscreen (ears, face, neck, etc).

*Extra verses:* Fun, fun, fun, we’re going to the sun / Far, far, far, we’re going to the stars

**SONG**

*Set to “Five Green and Speckled Frogs”*

Five awesome astronauts
Into the sky they shot
Exploring the most amazing stars
One took a walk and slipped
Right back into his ship
Now there are just four astronauts
4... 3... 2... 1...

**BOOK**

*Chickens in Space* by Adam Lehrhaupt

**SONG**

*The Planet Revolve* (Tune: The Ants Go Marching)

The planets revolve around the sun, hooray, hooray. *(Repeat twice)*
The planets revolve around the sun
And spin on their axis, every one.
And they all go spinning, around and around they go! Boom! Boom! Boom!
Mercury, Venus, Earth, and Mars, hooray, hooray. *(Repeat twice)*
Mercury, Venus, Earth, and Mars,
All whirling and twirling among the stars.
And they all go spinning, around and around they go! Boom! Boom! Boom!
Jupiter and Saturn are next and great, hooray, hooray. *(Repeat twice)*
Jupiter and Saturn are next and great,
Uranus and Neptune make it eight.
And they all go spinning, around and around they go! Boom! Boom! Boom!

**FAREWELL ROUTINE**