



Year 1 & 2

Spring 1 – 2022

Fantastic Transport

As Readers and Writers we will:

Build on our knowledge of writing and explore a variety of narratives that will be based around different modes of transport. First, we will retell the story as a class using story maps to support our understanding. Then, we will transfer our knowledge of story writing and invent our own transport narratives. We will also be reviewing the features of non-fiction texts, where we will gain a further understanding of the different modes of transport. This will allow us to create our own information leaflets based around the different types of transport that we have looked at.

As Mathematicians we will:

In Year 2, we will continue to practise applying the skills and methods that we learnt to help us solve number problems relating to the four operations. This includes exploring division in a range of contexts. In Year 1, we will be building on our place value knowledge with larger numbers. This will include bridging numbers and counting back using a variety of equipment.

As Scientists we will:

Continue to investigate the properties of different materials and understand how this can affect what they can be used for. We will be utilising this knowledge to select the most appropriate materials when designing and creating models.

As Historians we will:

Learn about important historians who have invented or used different modes of transport in their travels. We will be exploring how The Wright Brothers invented, then flew their first successful aeroplane. We will also learn about the adventures of The Wright Brothers and how this impacted the history of flight.

As Musicians we will:

Apply our knowledge of instruments and use tuned and untuned instruments to make music to create noises that represent sounds of different vehicles.

As Designers we will:

Design and create our own vehicles that can move. We will explore how we can make the wheels turn using cogs and axles, whilst considering our knowledge of materials to select ones that are appropriate for the job.

As Citizens we will:

Develop our understanding of the environment around us and how we can make it a better place for all of us. This includes litter picking around the School area and learning about the importance of recycling.

Welcome back! We hope you that you all had a wonderful break. Just to remind you that PE days may need to be changed, so therefore please make sure that your child has their PE kit in school from Monday to Friday. Also, all children are given weekly Spellings, Reading and Maths homework as well as the 'Pick n Mix' sheet - which are to be completed online where possible.

