Expressive Arts & Design

Children will enjoy our new role play home corner which will be transformed into a Chinese restaurant as we approach Chinese New Year. They will learn to use chopsticks and have the opportunity to copy Chinese writing using black paint. Children will use 2D shapes to make a variety of different vehicles and use junk modelling to make their own.



Religious Education

Our RE topics are: Celebrating

This term we will be learning about the different celebrations which are held throughout the year including Chinese New Year. To celebrate Chinese New Year, EYFS will be having a themed celebration day where children can take part in different activities including food tasting and dragon dancing.

Personal, Social & Emotional Development

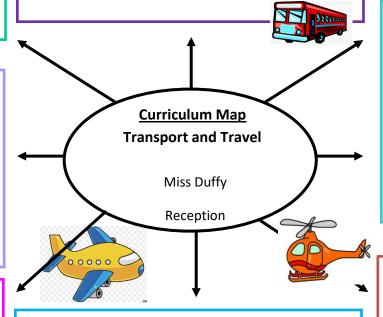
Children will begin to recognise themselves as a valuable individual who is an important member of our class family. We will encourage children to share their likes and interests with others to support them in establishing their role in class. They will continue to develop constructive and respectful relationships through listening to their peers and adults, sharing and cooperating with others and praising children for their kindness and positive behaviour.



Literacy

Children will enjoy a range of focus texts relating to our topic, Transport and Travel, and develop letter formation as they begin to write CVC and CVCC words independently. They will begin to write sounds in sequence using Fred Fingers (RWI Scheme). Children will be assessed in phonics and may move groups depending on their knowledge and retention of sounds.

Key Texts: Naughty Bus, 100 Decker Bus, Runaway Train, Oi get off my train, Mr Gumpy's Motor Car, Who Sank the Boat, The Train Ride.



Mathematics

We will be continuing using the Power Maths scheme of work. This term we will be learning about change within 5 and begin to look at number bonds to 5 before half term. We will be practising counting to 20 and beyond and recognising numbers to 10. We will consolidate knowledge around 2D and 3D shapes.

Physical Development

Children will be continuing to develop their fundamental movement skills through PE Lessons.

This term our PE focus is FMS through Transport.

Alongside weekly PE sessions will be developing our gross motor movements through outdoor play, including climbing and riding bikes. Correct pencil grip and control will also be encouraged.

Communication & Language

We will be reassessing the children using the Wellcomm programme this half term, any children who need additional support with communication and language will receive intervention through continuous provision. Children will be encouraged to use partner talk to develop language and social skills in order to learn the skills of conversation. Children will learn new words through our topic associated with Transport.

Understanding of the World

This term our focus is Transport and Travel. Children will be learning about the different forms of transport used today, and in the past. We will compare transport from past and present and design our own forms of transport we may see in future years. We will also be going on a local walk to learn about road safety and identify transport in the local area. In addition to this, we will be continuing with our Forest School lessons and learning more about our environment.