

## Journeys

### Year R Term 5

**Wow: Local Area Walk looking at different modes of transport**

#### Understanding the World:

- Plant sunflowers and observe them.
- What does a plant need to grow?
- Floating and Sinking – make a boat that can float
- Aerial photographs of the school, make own maps/plans of routes to places
- Use Bee-Bots to follow a map and plan a journey
- What transport can we spot in our local community?

#### Communication and Language

- Directed activities to develop children's communication and language skills
- Rhymes, poems and songs
- Role play opportunities
- Listen to and discuss stories and non fiction
- Questioning, following instructions, describing events, problem solving, organize ideas, introduction to new vocabulary

#### Physical Development:

- Gymnastics

#### Topic/Theme:

- Space
- Naughty Bus
- Maps
- Plant sunflowers and cucumbers

#### Books:

- Astro Girl
- Whatever Next
- Naughty Bus
- Mr Gumpy's Boat Ride
- Aliens Love Underpants
- The Train Ride
- Non fiction books about transport/journeys

#### Literacy: *Reception follow the RWI scheme for Phonics, Reading and Writing*

- Story maps
- Retell stories and anticipate key events
- Role play
- Draw, label and read own map with directions around school

#### PSED: Relationships

- Family
- Responsibilities in a family
- Healthy and safe friendships
- Maintaining friendships
- Knowing unkind words can hurt
- Using Calm Me when feeling angry
- Reasons we get angry

#### Expressive Art and Design:

- Junk modelling something to take us on a journey
- Create rockets, spaceships, aliens, planet

#### Outdoor Woodland Learning

- Create patterns/shapes with natural resources (Andrew Goldsworthy Art)
- Making boats and pirate ships

#### Cooking:

- Rocket Jam Tarts

#### Maths:

- Unit 14 – Securing Addition and Subtraction Facts
- Unit 15 – Number Patterns within 20
- Unit 16 – Number Patterns beyond 20