



Transport

Ladybird Class
Autumn 2015
Miss Longford



Literacy

We will be reading stories about different transport.

We are going to explore giving and following orders and instructions through reading 'Oi! Get Off My Train' and 'Please Don't Chat to the Bus Driver'.

We will listen to stories in familiar settings such as 'The Train Ride' and 'We're Going on a Bear Hunt' to help us use descriptive language when writing sentences.

Our non-fiction text will be 'The Usborne Book of Big Machines'. We will look at the features of non-fiction texts whilst finding out about some interesting vehicles.

Numeracy

In maths we will be continuing work on counting. We will be looking at number formation and writing the numbers above 10 correctly.

We will learn our number bonds to 10 and how to double numbers. We will be finding one more and one less than numbers below 20.

We will investigate shapes and talk about their properties. We will be able to group shapes and explain our grouping.

Science

In science we will be learning about materials. We will be able to name common materials and identify what objects are made from.



We will know some of the properties of these materials and carry out investigations to test whether they are waterproof or whether they float or sink.



Computing

We will be developing our computer skills. We will learn to log on and off with the new Year One log in and practise using the keyboard and mouse control.

P.E.

In PE we will be playing ball games on the playground.

We will work with a partner to develop our throwing and catching skills.

Topic

Our topic this half term is Transport



We are going to design a car of the future and make it from junk modelling. We will share what we know about road safety, including safety on railway tracks, and make a new lollipop stick for Dennis (Our Crossing Patrol). We will carry out a traffic survey of Kingsway to look at how much traffic goes by in 5 minutes and what types of transport go by.

Our visit this half term will be to Crich Tramway Village where we will get to experience a ride on an old tram and look at how trams have developed through time.

We will have a visit from a lorry where we can look around the parts of a lorry and ask the driver questions.

R.E. and P.S.H.E

We will look at the topics 'New Beginnings' and 'Belonging'. We will discuss different feelings and what makes us feel that way.

We will work together to create 'The Ladybird Promise'.

