


Our starting theme is Water and Transport

This half term in Nursery we will be learning to . . .

<p>COMMUNICATION AND LANGUAGE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Anticipate what might happen next in stories Use different types of questions Listen to their friends' ideas in small group activities Continue to build up a wide vocabulary Introduce the action lens <p>Vocabulary next, before, after, action, lens</p>	<p>PERSONAL SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pull up their zip all by themselves Talk about being my best Introduce 'Zoe the Zebra' <p>Vocabulary food, water, sleep, energy, challenge, encourage, keep trying, practise feeling, proud</p>	<p>PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cook using non-standard measure Throw and catch a large ball <p>Vocabulary throw, catch, large, ball measure, make</p>
<p>LITERACY</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Talk about things they draw and write Begin to copy their name Begin to blend and segment words orally Recognise words with the same initial sound Suggest how stories might end Introduce Read Write Inc letters and their rhymes Core book- The train ride, Elmer and the Teddy and Come on Daisy <p>Vocabulary blend, segment, word, letter beginning, end</p>	 <p>Amelia Earhart</p> <p>Other themes may be developed as we follow the children's interests</p>	<p>MATHEMATICS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recognise some numerals Recite numbers in order Explore more than, less than, one more and one less Explore shapes <p>Vocabulary more, less, one more, one less shape, sides, corners, faces order, first, next, then, after, before, finally</p>
<p>UNDERSTANDING THE WORLD</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Talk about objects that float and sink and make Pirate boats Explore materials and their properties Find the UK on maps and atlases Use battery powered toys Celebrate the Coronation of our new King <p>Vocabulary float, sink, boats, Pirates hard, soft, bendy, stiff, wobbly wood, plastic, paper, card, fabric reflective, non-reflective, shiny</p>	<p>EXPRESSIVE ARTS AND DESIGN</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Introduce sewing and weaving Draw cars Sing transport and water songs Listen to different types of music and respond to what they hear, expressing their thoughts and feelings <p>Vocabulary transport water music, listen, respond, thoughts, feelings, like, dislike</p>	<p>RE/CORE VALUE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Core value- Friendship 'Good friends try to help' Special places -Visit Church <p>Vocabulary friends, help, Church, stained glass windows, Church tower, bell</p>

Activities that you can do at home to support learning at school

- Explore floating and sinking when you have a bath
- Make up an animal dance using different animal movements
- Talk about different materials and describe how they feel
- Pull up the zip on your coat, when an adult has fastened it at the bottom