



Foundation Stage weekly planning



Theme of the week: **Cars** beginning: **20.02.17**

The following is a summary of the focused activities we will be carrying out this week *in addition* to child initiated learning.

'Communication and Language'

- ☺ Look at the non-fiction book 'cars'. Read the first page and discuss.
- ☺ Watch the video clip about different forms of transport and discuss what the video is about. Can we write a list of all the different types of transport?
- ☺ Share VIP books and "Wow" sheets.

'Literacy'

- ☺ Teach the phonemes: ar, or. Revisit all other digraphs and trigraphs learnt so far
- ☺ Practise the letters of the alphabet.
- ☺ Practise saying the letter names for each letter of the alphabet.
- ☺ Use the following websites:
<http://www.iboard.co.uk/skill-builders/phonics/digraphs-and-vowel-graphemes-4-7>
- ☺ Choose a library book to take home - Friday PM.
- ☺ Weekly handwriting - focusing on correct letter formation.

Physical Development

- ☺ Outdoor physical activity daily.
- ☺ P.E Thursday pm and Tuesday am.
- ☺ Fine motor skills- drawing our self-portraits.
- ☺ Playground clapping games with TA's.
- ☺ Running to the correct number garage game in playground.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

- ☺ Enjoy a range of activities with our friends.
- ☺ Work as part of a group, taking turns and sharing fairly.
- ☺ Share VIP books and "Wow" sheets.

Mathematics

- ☺ Recognising numbers 10-20.
- ☺ Using cars and other transport toys to answer mathematical questions. E.g. If you have 4 cars and you double the number of cars, how many cars will you have?
- ☺ Put different numbers of cars into 2 hoops. Add them together. Model the correct language of the number sentence.
- ☺ Practical adding and subtracting problems with cars.

Understanding the World

- ☺ Look at pictures of cars/garages. Talk about the signs etc we may need. Make signs etc for role play area
- ☺ Use the classroom computers to develop simple mouse control.
- ☺ Use the Espresso site to explore a range of number games. E.g.
http://172.17.216.4/espresso/primary_uk/subject/module/activity/item470105/grade1/module736870/index.html
- ☺ Use the following website:
http://www.ictgames.com/counting_cars_changecars.html

Expressive Arts and Design

- ☺ Use imagination in role play and stories.
- ☺ Enjoy new role play area - Mechanics garage.
- ☺ Make labels and organise equipment for the Mechanics garage.
- ☺ Music : with Mrs Harrigan Brown

Proud Cloud/ Fine Diner..

Kiyaan is this week's Fine Diner, he always eats all his pack lunch and tries everything in it.

Ailsa and Mary are on the Proud Cloud for being our star helpers this week.

Other information:

Please bring in a book after half term that is special to you, one you can talk about and tell why it is special.