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Area	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6
Communication, Language & Literacy Writing instructions Writing for the kindness chain Writing about our talents	Core Stories: Terrific Trains By Tony Mitton Genre: Non-Fiction	Core Stories: Brilliant Boats by Tony Mitton and Clean up! By Nathan Byron Genre: Non-Fiction & Fiction	Core Stories: Naughty Bus <i>By Jan Oke</i> & Cool Cars <i>By Tony Mitton</i> Genre: Non-Fiction & Fiction	Core Stories: Roaring Rockets by Tony Mitton and Look up! By Nathan Byron Genre: Non-Fiction & Fiction	Core Stories: Flashing fire engines, by Tony Mitton Genre: Non-fiction	Core Stories: Dazzling Diggers By Tony Mitton Dig Dig Digging By Margaret Mayo Genre: Non-Fiction
	Learning Outcomes: Writing New Years Resolutions. Share Holiday News. Listening to different types of transport. Identify the mode of transport. Explore the role of a Train Driver Generate questions for an Interview Labeling diagrams Drawing and labeling maps Rhyme Time: Down at the station	Learning Outcomes: Compare things that go in/on water eg. Surf boats, canoes Explore different occupations that work on sea Describe the features of a boats and how it works Labeling diagrams Create an Environmental Awareness Instructions how to make a boat Rhyme Time: Row row row your boat The big ship	Learning Outcomes: Recording a traffic survey Making road safety posters Act out the story "The Naughty Bus" with small world props. Change parts of the story. Create their version of the 'Naughty Bus' Make maps Explore the role of a Bus Driver Rhyme Time: The Wheels on the Bus	Learning Outcomes: Explore the role of Astronaut Write a letter to NASA; generate questions Write instructions how to make a balloon rocket Write predictions for a Science Experience Rhyme Time: Zoom Zoom Zoom we're going to the moon	Learning Outcomes: Explore different occupations within emergency services Compare different types of emergency vehicles Generate questions for special visitor Create a class graph Rhyme Time: Miss Polly had a Dolly	Learning Outcomes: Draw and label machines Talk about different features and how they operate Compare features of different types of vehicles Design and create a unique mode of transport Write Valentines Day Cards Rhyme Time: Recap on all rhymes learnt so far
Communication & Language Maths	Key Vocabulary: Transport Engine Tracks Carriages Coupled Signals freight Resolutions Unit 6 : Shape and Sorting • To describe and sort 3-D shapes • To explore the characteristics of 3-D shape • To use mathematical language to describe position accurately (2).	Key Vocabulary: Transport Oar Submarine Captain Motor Unit 7: Numbers within 10 • Recognise numbers (within eight) in different representations • Count up to ten objects reliably • Explore one more and one greater within ten • Explore one fewer and one less within ten • Place numbers within ten in order	Key Vocabulary: Vehicles Traffic Tyres Unit 7: Numbers within 10 • Recognise numbers (within eight) in different representations • Count up to ten objects reliably • Explore one more and one greater within ten • Explore one fewer and one less within ten • Place numbers within ten in order	Key Vocabulary: Astronaut Space Gravity Unit 8 : Calendar and Time • Exploring and discussing time and the seasons • Exploring and discussing the days of the week and daily events • Using everyday language to talk about and sequence daily events • Using ordinal language when sequencing events and	Key Vocabulary: Emergency services Ambulance Paramedic Fight fighters Unit 9 : Addition and subraction within 10 • Adding two numbers together by counting on. • Subtracting by taking away. • Describing the direction on a number track when adding and subtracting. • Explaining what	Key Vocabulary: Machinery Bull dozer Cherry picker Crane Unit 10: Grouping and Sharing To practise counting in equal groups and adding them together To explore counting in groups to find a total To explore sharing objects into twos equal groups



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		solve mathematical problems Use key vocabulary associated with ordinal numbers 1st to 10th 	solve mathematical problems Use key vocabulary associated with ordinal numbers 1st to 10th 	measure short periods of time in simple ways.	happens when we add or take a from zero.
Personal Social and Emotional Development Skills Builder Skills Builder School Values Ambition, Creativity, Courage, Empathy, Resilience, and Respect. MindUp! Gratitude Brain Breaks	Sense of self Jigsaw! Dreams and Goals To set goals and learn kind words to encourage people. To talk about the importance of not giving up and resilience.	Understanding emotions Discuss how to get to the green zone. Practice a range of calming techniques and encourage children to choose the ones that they find works best for them. Lost and Found Explore the theme friendship and kindness	Road safety Use a social story to discuss how to keep safe on the road. Role play different scenes and talk about what you do if there is an emergency.	Making relationships Make a kindness chain in the classroom using the story "Be Kind" as a stimulus. Role play scenes of how to be kind eg. Helping someone when they fall.	Emergency Who helps us? What to do whe find yourself in an emergency situation. Children role play, sh discuss what to do.
Understanding of the World	Special EventsShare with one another how they are celebrated through photographs, videos and visitors.• Birthdays • New YearScience skill focus: predicting Friction train. Using ramps test out different materials attached to the ramp (bubbles wrap, tinfoil) mark how far the train travels each time. Record and evaluate your findings.Past and Present Compare old and new trains	Environmental Awareness Rocket Says Clean Up! Through this story discuss the importance of look after our environment. What do the clean up crew do and why? Science skill focus: predicting Investigate things that float and sink. Make predictions and record your findings.	Jobs in the past and now Visit the Docks – Greenland. Local history. Introduction to maps. Jobs in the locality now and long ago.	Important figures: Learn about Amelia Earhart. Science skill focus: testing ideas Will it fly or will it fall?	Chinese New Year Explore customs and traditic associated with Lunar New Y Around the World Plan a pretend holiday? What is it li different parts of the world. Children to share any experiences of travelling. Where did they go? Wha they see? What did they eat? Share pictures and videos from their trip.



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Expressive Art	Painting and colour	3D work	Drawing	Painting and colour	3D work	Children to plan and create art work for
and Design	Experiment with colour mixing.	Children work in small groups to make something that can fly, something that	Observational drawings of cars. Extend to observational drawings of any	Experiment with colour mixing and painting of Space	Children work in small groups to make an emergency vehicle.	their new classroom
	3D work Children work in small groups to make something that can go on tracks.	can travel on water.	object (children's choice) focus on the skill of shading.			
Physical development	Agility Children show good control and coordination in large and small movements. They move confidently in a range of ways, safely negotiating space.	Agility Children show good control and coordination in large and small movements. They move confidently in a range of ways, safely negotiating space.	Agility Children show good control and coordination in large and small movements. They move confidently in a range of ways, safely negotiating space.	Agility Children show good control and coordination in large and small movements. They move confidently in a range of ways, safely negotiating space.	Agility Children show good control and coordination in large and small movements. They move confidently in a range of ways, safely negotiating space.	Health & Self Care Children's Mental Health Week Begin to talk about physical changed in the body when discusses different emotions for the Zones of Regulation Children to explore ways of keeping a healthy brain and mind as well as physical body
Music	The Sound of Music Learn to sing with greater control. Le singing games where I will learn to t	. .	I Sing solo with increasing confidence and co	I ontrol. Learn to follow signs and symbols to s	I sing loud and quiet. Begin to explore n	l ny vocal range – high and low. Participate in

