



Introduction to our topic

Hop on board and prepare for an exciting adventure with this travel and transport topic.

This term Dragonfly Class will explore the world and the people within it. We will go on a class adventure to the Amazon rainforest, find out how people travelled in the past, learn about different countries and sing a South African song.

We will learn about some important people in history and discover how they affected travel all over the world.

In DT we'll use our knowledge of materials, as well as what we discover about things that float and sink, to design and make our own boat.

Finally at the end of our topic we will have the opportunity to share what we have learnt with the rest of the school and our parents in our class assembly.

Our key learning this term

Personal and social development	Our school value this term is respect. In our PSHE lessons we will be learning about the importance of respecting others, even when they are different from ourselves. We will also be thinking about the boundaries appropriate in friendships (including digital context) and that each person's body belongs to them.
Oracy and Literacy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Non -Fiction - Amelia Earhart - Persuasive writing brochure - Story
Maths and problem solving	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Shape (properties) - Fractions
Technology	In computing this term, we will be learning about word processing. We will be finding out about the different keys on a keyboard, begin to type with two hands and format the font. The children will also continue to open and save their own work.
Science	In our science lessons we will experiment with which materials float and sink and use this information to help us construct a boat.
The Arts (Art & Design, Music, Drama)	<p>Music - All of our learning this term will be focused around one song: Hands, Feet, Heart - a song that celebrates South African Music.</p> <p>DT - As a part of our DT lessons, we will design, make and evaluate a boat.</p>

Geography	In our geography lessons we will use world maps, atlases and globes to identify the United Kingdom and its countries, as well as the countries, continents and oceans. We will use simple compass directions and directional language to describe the location of features and routes on a map. We will use aerial photographs to help us make simple maps with a key.
History	In history we will find out about the lives of significant individuals in the past who have contributed to national and international achievements -Isambard Kingdom Brunel, Amelia Earhart and Rosa Parks.
RE	In RE we will be learning about Christianity. We will think about why Jesus is important to Christians important and learn about the Easter story.
P.E.	In PE we will be learning about gym. The children will focus is agility and co- ordination through stretching, landing, rolling, twisting and moving in different directions
Modern Foreign Language this term	In Spanish we will be listening to and responding to rhymes, stories and songs to continue to develop our understanding of Spanish numbers to 31. We will also use single words, phrases and short sentences to ask and answer the question How are you?
Activity Passport Experiences	
<p>This term we will have an opportunity to...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Walk to a local landmark ✓ Make a map for Duckling Class. 	