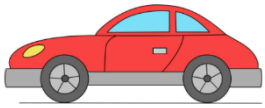
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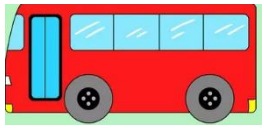


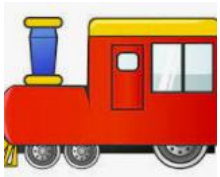
Term 2

Journeys



JOURNEYS





Personal, Social & Emotional Development

Sharing together
Being friends
Getting to know you
Learning from stories
Feelings
Pip the penguin – co operation

Communication and Language

Listening carefully
Talking in a group
Talking about things we like
Singing songs and retelling stories

Physical Development

Getting changed for PE and games
Taking part in group games
Throwing and catching
Handwriting
Developing cutting skills

Literacy

Looking after our books
Sharing books in Gateway Library
Telling and acting out our own stories
Learning the letter sounds and how to blend and segment for phonics and reading.
Learning to write letters and words. Learning High Frequency words.

Mathematics

Counting objects to 10 and beyond
Counting carefully and matching the quantity to the number
Recognizing numerals
Beginning to add one more to a quantity and recognize a written addition
Using a number line to count backwards.
Name and describe shapes

Understanding the World

Using the Interactive white board, beebots and iPads
Autumn – noticing changes to the trees and weather
Investigating how transport works and talking about our favourite transport.

Expressive Arts & Design

Number songs
Singing together and using instruments
Telling a story and acting it out.
Role play in the bus stop/airport/train station
Making puppets.
Exploring paint, spin paintings using thick and thin brushes
Exploring art by Kandinsky
Drawing our transport

Reception News

November 2026

Our planning this term is around the theme of ***Journeys.***
We have made our role play area into a bus stop/train station or airport.
This gives lots of opportunities for the children to begin to mark make and write; filling out order forms, receipts, writing labels and numbers. There is lots of talk as the children pretend to be shopkeepers or customers.



Cold weather



It is starting to get cold and the children need to have a warm coat, hat and gloves so they can enjoy playing outdoors. Please make sure your child's name is on all their clothing. We encourage all children to take off and put on their clothes by themselves. The children are also encouraged to take care of their own belongings.

LAST DAY OF TERM: Friday 18th December 2026
BACK TO SCHOOL: Tuesday 5th January 2027

PE Kit and timetable

All children wear their Games/P.E kits to school on the days that they have Games/P.E





White T. Shirt
Black Track suit bottoms
Plain black trainers
PE zipped hoodie

Red Class

PE: Thursday morning
Games: Friday morning

Blue Class PE

PE: Friday morning
Games: Thursday morning