



# We're Going on a Journey Topic Web: Autumn Term

Year 1 and 2 Busy Bees



## English

Fiction:

Looking at a selection of stories including -  
**Mr Gumpy's Outing, Meerkat Mail, Oi! get off my train, Duck in the Truck and The Snowman**

Class Book: James and the Giant Peach

Adapting Pie Corbett Talk for Writing:

'We're Going on a Bear Hunt.'

Non Fiction:

Recount - School Holidays and about our trip

Instructions - How to make a snowman

Grammar:

capital letters, full stops, exclamation marks, question marks

## P.E.

The children will have P.E. on a Tuesday afternoon.  
This term will focus on Multi-skills and Fitness.

Swimming - Friday Mornings

Year 2 : 1st half of Autumn term

Year 1: 2nd half of Summer term

## Religious Education

Christianity-Talking about God

What do Christians believe about God?

Questions about God

How and why do Christians celebrate Harvest?

The Journey of the Magi (Nativity Story)

Our Nativity Performance

## Topic:

### **We're Going on a Journey**

The children will... **make journey sticks, look at maps and holiday brochures, write letters in a bottle and make paper aeroplanes with a message, create different vehicles including sail boats and cars with moving wheels, design and make 3D hot air balloons, the movement of animal migration and lots more!**

### **Children's Ideas:**

Where can we go around our school?

Where can we go?

**How long does it take to get to ....?**

**How far is it to ....?**

What vehicles do we use to travel?

## PSHE

Exploring our Christian Values:

Generosity and Compassion

Circle time: New Beginnings & Good to be me

Using our class Prayer and Worry Box

Weekly Collective Worship Assemblies

## Science

### Healthy Living

Basic needs for humans

Food Groups and Balanced Diet

Keeping Fit and Hygiene

### Materials

Properties of materials

Uses of Materials

Investigating suitable fabrics

Plastics and Recycling

Simple forces

Investigating changing solids

## Mathematics

Number and Place Value:

Counting, estimating and ordering numbers

forwards and backwards

Read and write numbers in numerals and words

Addition and Subtraction

Read, write and interpret number sentences

using symbols

Balancing an equation

Missing number problems

Multiplication and Division: 2 and 10x tables

Measurement

Compare, describe and solve practical problems

Sequence events in chronological order

Geometry

Identify and describe properties of shapes

## Trips and Visits

A journey to collect blackberries

**A 'Harvest' visit from the Eat Happy Project**

Autumn cookery at Court Farm

A trip to the Weir Gardens

A visit to our local church

Food Miles Assembly - Growing Local