

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

During circle time we will be talking about how we keep trying until we can do something. We will think of things that we are going to try really hard to get better at as we get older.

Communication and Language

We will be encouraging the children to talk about any journeys they have made. We will compare journeys they have made on trains, buses, cars or planes, and talk about whether they have ever been on a train ride to visit someone. We will also learn some train songs and rhymes, please see attached 'Down at the Station' and 'I'm a Little Engine' if you would like to sing them at home.

Physical Development

We have been so impressed by the children's perseverance in recent weeks with their cutting skills! We will continue to practice our cutting whilst making trains using 2D shapes. We will also be drawing our own trains on large paper on the floor.

Literacy

The children will listen to stories such as 'Oi, Get off our Train!' and 'The Train Ride'. We will also read some non-fiction books to learn about trains and travel.

Nursery Learning

26th Feb-1st March
Trains



Understanding the World

We will be looking at old trains and comparing them with trains we have now. We will also look at trains from around the world and think about what it would be like to ride on them.

Mathematics

We will be making trains out of shapes to help children recognise and compare 2D shapes. We will be going to the woodland to make some 2D shapes out of sticks and other materials. Please do point out circles, squares, triangles, oblongs and hexagons that you see.

Expressive Arts and Design

We will be creating a train station in the role play area and we will build a train for the children to 'ride' on. We will also have a variety of building materials in the construction area so the children can build their own trains, tracks and bridges.