



<p>Welcome back!</p> <p>We hope you have had a relaxing break and wish you all a Happy New Year. This half term our topic will be 'we like to move it move it'. We will be learning about the history of transport and some of the famous people who helped make our transport today. Our final outcome for this topic will be to make our own wheeled vehicle to take part in The Great Race.</p> <p><b>Dates for your diary:</b></p> <p>09/01/23 - Birds of Prey</p> <p>w/b 06/01/23 - Big Build Week</p> <p><b>Contacting Us:</b></p> <p>If you need to contact us, please use email or Dojo. If you need to contact us during teaching hours please contact the school office.</p> <p>IS: <a href="mailto:ed.spreckley@norrisbank.stockport.sch.uk">ed.spreckley@norrisbank.stockport.sch.uk</a></p> <p>IADs: <a href="mailto:liz.adshead@norrisbank.stockport.sch.uk">liz.adshead@norrisbank.stockport.sch.uk</a></p> <p>School Office: 0161 432 3944</p>	<p><b>English</b></p> <p>This half term in English we will be looking at a variety of transport stories to develop and inspire our writing and comprehension skills. We will be continuing to focus on accurately writing a sentence using the high five sentence structure. We will also be looking at continuing to improve our sentences by adding adjectives and using proper nouns.</p> 	<p><b>Maths</b></p> <p>This half term in maths we will be looking at place value to twenty. We will be learning how to represent the numbers to twenty in different ways and expanding our addition and subtraction facts up to twenty too.</p> <p><b>PE</b></p> <p>The children will continue to have their weekly outdoor games session on a Tuesday afternoon with the school sports coaches.</p> <p>On Friday mornings we will back on gymnastics with Mrs Buchanan continuing to work on their BAGA awards. We will also be working on dance with Mrs Buchanan linking our dance moves to our work on the seasons.</p> 
<p><b>ICT</b></p> <p>This half term in ICT we are learning about thinking logically in different scenarios. Children will be introduced to the term 'algorithm'. This concept is at the core of coding. We will also be linking logical thought processes to the way that computers are programmed.</p>	<p><b>PSHE</b></p> <p>In PSHE we will be learning about different feelings and how these can be managed. We will think about what activities and actions can help change people's feelings. Finally we will look at what different signs could show how someone is feeling.</p> <p><b>D and T</b></p> <p>In design and technology we are going to be researching and analysing wheeled vehicles. We will use our findings to designing and make our own vehicles with axels and wheels. At the end of the unit we will be racing our wheeled vehicles to see which one is fastest. Our design and technology work will be showcased during the Big Build week.</p>	<p><b>Music</b></p> <p>In music we will look at a variety of transport songs that show the sounds of different types of vehicle. We will also be linking our music to our English lessons and composing pieces of music to go with some of the transport stories we look at.</p> <p><b>RE</b></p> <p>In RE we will be looking at the different symbols that show Christians, Muslims and Jews belong to their faith. We will learn about some of the ways in which different faiths celebrate births and marriages and other occasions.</p>