

Our **English** will be focused around the theme Ticket to Ride. We will be focusing on:

- Space travel and Neil Armstrong.
- Air travel including old planes.
- Chinese New Year.
- Police Vehicles, Medical Vehicles and Rescue Vehicles linked to people who help us.

In our Phonic sessions at 9-9.30 we will be beginning Phase 3 sounds and learning to read and **spell** Phase 2 tricky words.

In Maths we will be:

- **Alive in 5 (2 weeks)**
- **Mass and Capacity (1 week)**
- **Growing 6, 7, 8 (2 weeks)**
- **Length, Height and Time (1 week)**

In **Science** we will be focusing on different materials.

- Identifying wood, plastic, glass and metal.
- Investigating texture.
- Investigate waterproof materials.
- Investigating floating and sinking.

In Geography we will be focusing on:

- China, my community and people who help us.

In History we will be focusing on:

- Comparing vehicles and technology from the past and Neil Armstrong.
- In **RE** we will be looking at Special Stories within different religions.

In **PSHE** our topic will be 'Keeping Myself Safe'.

PE days this term will be **Tuesday** and **Friday (Forest School)**

We will be focusing on keyboard skills in **computing**. In **music** our topic is 'Everyone'.

AcornClass Newsletter

Spring 1 - 'Ticket to Ride'

Uniform Reminders:

Shoulder length hair must be tied back.

No nail varnish.

No shaved or patterned hairstyles or hair gel.

Sensible hair accessories – no big bows.

Wear your own clothes on your birthday!

Homework and Reading:

Reading books will continue to be changed once a week with two books being sent home. Remember, these books can be read more than once - the more practice the better!

Regular phonics practice using the sounds in the front of your child's reading record. Regular high frequency word reading from the cards sent home.

Library day will be **Friday**.