## EARLY YEARS KNOWLEDGE CONTEXTS PLANNER

Topic: Transport

Core text 1:	<ul> <li>Inspiring Contexts: (subject to change)</li> <li>Vehicles visiting the school</li> <li>Story in a box</li> <li>Parent showcase (end of term)</li> </ul>	Value of the month: January: Quality February: Passion	Vocabulary Vehicle, Land, Air, Sea, Transport, Engine, Wheels, Journey
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Communication and language	Personal, social and emotional development	Physical development
<ul> <li>Understand 'why' questions.</li> <li>Be able to express a point of view and to debate when they disagree with an adult or a friend, using words as well as actions.</li> <li>Use talk to organise themselves and their play: "Let's go on a bus you sit there I'll be the driver.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Select and use activities and resources, with help when needed. This helps them to achieve a goal they have chosen, or one which is suggested to them.</li> <li>Develop their sense of responsibility and membership of a community.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>P.E: Games: Unit 1</li> <li>Continue to develop their movement, balancing, riding (scooters, trikes and bikes) and ball skills.</li> <li>Match their developing physical skills to tasks and activities in the setting. For example, they decide whether to crawl, walk or run across a plank, depending on its length and width.</li> </ul>

Literacy	Maths	Understanding the world	Expressive Arts and Design
<ul> <li>Engage in extended conversations about stories, learning new vocabulary</li> <li>Use some of their print and letter knowledge in their early writing. For example: writing a pretend shopping list that starts at the top of the page; writing 'm' for mummy.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Solve real world mathematical problems with numbers up to 5.</li> <li>Say one number for each item in order: 1,2,3,4,5. Know that the last number reached when counting a small set of objects tells you how many there are in total ('cardinal principle').</li> <li>Discuss routes and locations, using words like 'in front of' and 'behind'.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Show interest in different occupations.</li> <li>Explore how things work</li> <li>Talk about what they see, using a wide vocabulary.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Join different materials and explore different textures.</li> <li>Remember and sing entire songs.</li> <li>Develop their own ideas and then decide which materials to use to express them.</li> </ul>