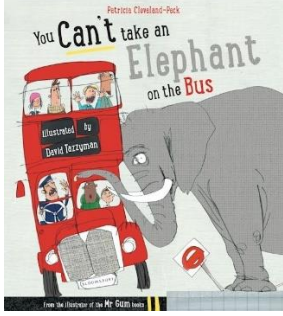
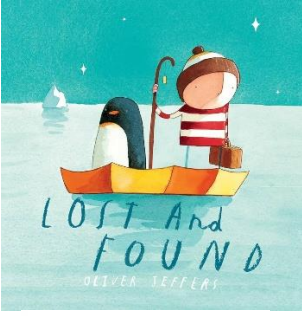
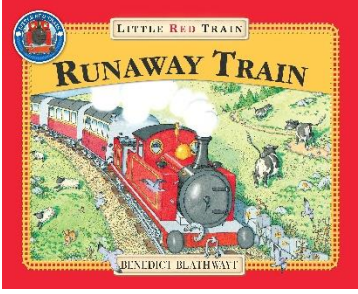
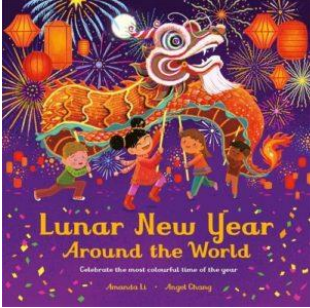
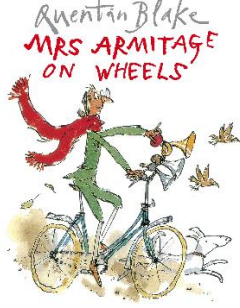
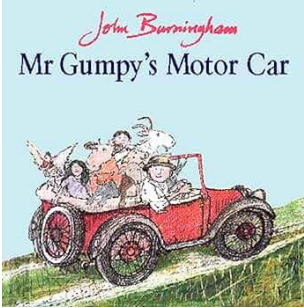


Hummingbird Herald

Spring 1

Topic	Come on a Journey (Transport)		
Books we will read			
			

Maths overview	Week	Objectives
	1	Subitising 3 - Dice Patterns Children will learn to recognise 3 dots, like they see on a die, without counting them.
		Subitising 3 - Different Patterns Children will continue to recognise 3 objects without counting them, this time in different arrangements.
		Subitising 3 Children will learn to recognise when there are 3 dots, even if they are different sizes.
	2	Counting 3 Children focus on counting 3 objects.
		Numerals 3 Children are introduced to what the numeral 3 looks like and learn what it represents.
		Composition of 3 Children are introduced to the idea that numbers are made up of smaller numbers and they will begin to explore what smaller numbers the number 3 is composed of.
		Recognise triangles Children learn that triangles are 2-D shapes that have 3 sides. They are asked to identify triangles by counting their sides.
	3	Counting 4 Children focus on counting 4 objects.
		Numerals 4 Children are introduced to what the numeral 4 looks like and match the numeral 4 to the quantity.
		Recognise squares and rectangles Children learn that squares and rectangles are 2-D shapes that have 4 sides. They are asked to identify them by counting their sides.
	4	Composition of 4 Children will continue to explore how numbers are composed of smaller numbers. In this lesson, they will explore what numbers make up the number 4, by moving frogs between a log and a pond.
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	5	Counting 5 Children focus on counting 5 objects.
		Numerals 5 Children are introduced to what the numeral 5 looks like and match the numeral 5 to the quantity.
		Recognise pentagons Children learn that pentagons are 2-D shapes that have 5 sides. They are asked to identify them by counting their sides.
	6	Composition of 5 Children explore the composition of number 5 using Numicon pieces to make a shell for Sammy the Snail.
		Composition of 5 Children explore fitting pieces of Numicon inside a number 5 'house' shape.
		Composition of 5 Children explore the composition of 5 by arranging red and blue spots on a rocket.
Phonics	Initial sounds - 1 per week: m, a, s, d, t, i Early Reading info: https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/reading/early-reading-skills-age-3-4/	
Key Dates	- Nursery Bike and Scooter Day – Friday 7th Feb (More info to come) - Nursery Class Assembly – Friday 14th Feb	

Show and Tell timetable and themes	<i>Show and Tell provides young children with the chance to stand up in front of their peers and explain a personal topic or item they love. This builds up lots of confidence and helps children develop necessary, useful, and effective communication skills.</i> Here are some ideas of objects/items to bring this half term: - Something you made yourself - A favourite book - Something you celebrate - Something from nature - Show a drawing/writing you have done yourself Show and Tell Timetable: <table><tr><td></td><td>Monday</td><td>Tuesday</td><td>Wednesday</td><td>Thursday</td><td>Friday</td></tr><tr><td>AM</td><td>Alba Dany</td><td>Sophie Malvi</td><td>Noah Cyrus</td><td>Dottie Francis</td><td>Gwendy</td></tr><tr><td>PM</td><td>Asma</td><td>Nefes</td><td>Olivia</td><td>Tommy Margot</td><td>Jenny Harvey</td></tr></table>		Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	AM	Alba Dany	Sophie Malvi	Noah Cyrus	Dottie Francis	Gwendy	PM	Asma	Nefes	Olivia	Tommy Margot	Jenny Harvey
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If you are not on the parent WhatsApp group, please message Heather Dannmayr (Alba's mum) so that she can add you and share information with you. 07801862867

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