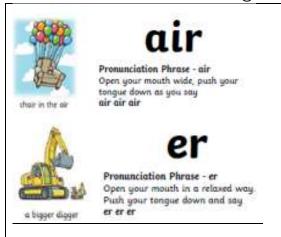
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What we will be doing in school	How you can help at home
Topic – On the Move This week we will learn about boats and other water transport. We will read stories and information books about water transport. We will write messages, make maps and luggage labels.	Look at a map of the world or a globe. Which countries could you travel to by land? Which countries do you have to cross a sea or ocean to travel to? You could explore floating and sinking, perhaps at bath time or when doing washing up!
We will explore how boats have changed through time.	
We have a wonderful workshop happening to learn all about and celebrate the Lunar New Year! A parent has kindly offered to come in to tell the children about her family's experiences.	Lunar New Year
<u>Maths</u>	
We will continue to explore how to make numbers. We will focus on seven and eight.	Explore how to make seven or eight using different objects. What does your child notice?
7 + 0 = 7	
<u>Phonics</u>	
New digraphs:	You could think of nonsense words with your child and take turns to read and write them.

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How many tricky words can your child read on posters and on shop signs?

Double letters: dd, mm, tt, bb, rr, gg, pp, ff,

New Tricky Words: are, sure, pure

Additional Activities

In our water tray, we will explore which objects float or sink.



Independent activities

Here are a few of the independent activities your child could engage in.

Outdoors, we will design and make boats. We will test them to see if they float.





We will develop our fine motor skills as we create our boats using playdough and various resources.