

We have been enjoying reading 'The Extraordinary Gardener' by Sam Boughton. We looked at the features of instruction texts and then we planned and wrote our own set of instructions for 'How to grow a tree'. We thought really hard about what we would need to grow a tree and wrote bossy sentences for the numbered steps. We also completed a poetry unit for Poetry Week and together wrote a poem about a fern plant.



We really enjoyed our P.E lessons where we have been taught by a martial arts instructor. We have been playing games at the same time as learning martial arts.

Reception 'Trains, Planes and Cars'

Summer I Term Summary

As a part of our Understanding of the World this term we have been looking at different types of transport. We have labelled features of transport and designed and made our own car with axles and wheels. We have enjoyed using our bus role play area—dressing up as bus drivers and passengers, making tickets and imagining going on trips. We thought about and sorted old and new modes of transport..





In our PSED lessons we have been taking turns and listening to others. We have also been talking about our preferences and experiences of travel.. We have been very busy in maths:

- Learning the composition of numbers 6-10.
- Learning doubles.
- Counting accurately from 1-10.
- Continuing patterns.
- Measuring length in cubes and string.









We have been enjoying the Rainbow Challenge both in the classroom and outside. We are enjoying the Reading, Writing and Maths areas in outdoor provision now we have the sunnier wetaher!



We have continued to look afer our garden area and vegetables. We have enjoyed watering them daily and they will soon be ready to harvest!

We have also enjoyed using our new mud kitchen even if we do get a bit messy! We have made potions and delicious meals using the mud, leaves, shells and twigs!