

Dear Parents,

Over the next 6 weeks, Year 1 will be following a unit of work called 'From A to B'.

### The Big Idea

**It is hard to imagine life without wheels. With no cars, trains, buses or bikes. Getting from A to B would be much more difficult! It will be fascinating to think about how our lives have changed with the development different of transport options.**

### In Geography and History, we'll be finding out:

- How we travel to school and making maps of our journey
- How we can travel to different countries
- How to create our own activity holiday
- About transport in the past
- How to make a timeline to show when different types of transport were invented

### In Art, we'll be finding out:

- How to create our own futurist painting to capture the speed and movement of transport

### In Science, we'll be finding out:

- How to make our own sail boats or aeroplanes

### In Technology, we'll be finding out:

- How to make plans for vehicles
- How to test our vehicles to see how well they work

All of the work we are going to do has been specially written to help your child reach the learning goals. Children will be reading, researching, writing, illustrating, working on their own and working in groups. We will be checking to see how well your child has learned through particular activities and asking children to explain their work, perhaps to you.

We already know the interest you take in your child's work. If you can, please discuss with your child the work they have done as the term progresses and chat to them about your own experiences. **How have our methods of transport changed over the years? What would be the best way to reach a holiday destination? How will travel change in the future?** To help, a **Knowledge Organiser** can be downloaded from the school website. [www.wrotham-road.kent.sch.uk](http://www.wrotham-road.kent.sch.uk).

Many thanks in advance for your continued support.

The Year 1 Team



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