

Travel & Transport



Key Vocabulary	
travel	Moving one from one place to another.
transport	Carrying people or goods from one place to another.
steam engine	A steam engine uses steam from boiling water to make it move. The steam pushes the moving parts.
petrol/combustion engine	Combustion means burning. A petrol engine burns petrol to make it move.
electric cars	Electric cars use electricity to make the motor turn.

Key learning to research:

- Find out how travel and transport has changed over the years. Write a sentence about this and illustrate with a picture.
- Find out why people have always wanted to travel. Give three ideas and write them in a sentence.
- Find out when the first car was invented. Draw a picture of the first ever model.
- Find out how cars have changed throughout the years. Draw a picture of an old car and a modern car. Write a sentence about how they are the same, and how they are different.
- Find out who the 'Father of the Railways' is. Find 3 interesting facts and write them down.
- The railways changed people's lives. Find out about how and why and write a list of the different ways.
- Find out who invented the first aeroplane. Draw a picture of it and write a sentence to go with it.
- What do you think transport will look like in the future? Design your very own car/aeroplane/train. Draw a picture and label it.

Above are a list of research ideas all about the History of 'Travel and Transport'. With the support of an adult or older sibling, children can produce some work presenting their ideas.

Challenge: Can you make your own model aeroplane/car/other mode of transport, using recycled materials.