



Week 9

Theme: Needs of Man

Transportation

Transportation as a theme has always been extremely popular with the children.

Allow children to notice and describe all the different modes of transport they can observe or name from television, books and magazines.

Highlight the different reasons why we need transport, like getting from point A to B, transportation of goods that we buy in shops. Machines that build things like houses or roads. The equipment that farmers use daily to run a farm and different types of vehicles for essential services.

You may also show them examples of water travel as well as air travel.

Different size boats and charters as well as different aeroplanes, helicopters etc.

This may allow for interesting internet searches, like how does a plane fly and how does a boat float.

MONDAY 15TH:

- **Video on YouTube – Bible Story**
- **Video on YouTube – Montessori Presentation: Sorting Big and small objects**
- **Zoom session with Kim and Augusta at 11:00 & 11:30 –
We are designing food cars and traffic light cookies**
 - Apple
 - Orange
 - Grapes 8-10
 - Knife
 - Cutting board
 - Toothpicks
 - Any biscuit like Marie or Tennis
 - Peanut butter or normal margarine or any spread your child prefers
 - Red, orange and green sweeties/smarties

TUESDAY 16TH:

- **Video op WhatsApp – Storietyd**
- **Video op YouTube – Water aktiwiteit met plastiek proppe en Chinese stokkies**

- ❖ **Aktiwiteit** : Houtpennetjie vliegtuig

Benodighede

- ❖ Houtpennetjies
- ❖ Gom
- ❖ Roomys stokkies
- ❖ Verf of Koki-penne

Die kinders kan hul eie hout vliegtuigies ontwerp en plak. As dit droog is kan hulle dit verf of met koki-penne inkleur.



WEDNESDAY 17TH:

- **Video on YouTube** - Story
- **Video on YouTube** – Sweeping with a pan and a brush
- **Sensorial Activity to do at home** – Making my own frozen chalk paint

Recipe

- ❖ **Different colours chalk**
- ❖ **Maizina**
- ❖ **Water**
- ❖ **Ice cube tray**
- ❖ **Ice cream sticks or twigs from garden**
- ❖ **Grater**
- ❖ **Freezer**



Method

Grate half a chalk into a cup that has a spout

Use 2 Tablespoons of Maizina per half chalk

Add 4 Tablespoons of water

Mix with a fork or whisk

Pour into ice cube tray

Repeat with as many colours as you like.

Add halved popsicle sticks or twigs

Freeze

When using these popsicles paints you can wet a piece of paving outside. Allow children to draw on wet surfaces. Rinse off when done.



THURSDAY 18TH:

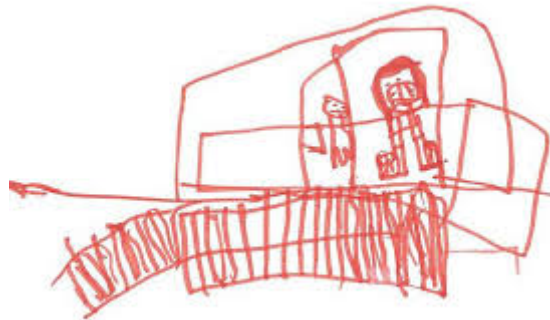
- **Video op YouTube** - Bybelstorie
- **Video op YouTube** – Uitknip aktiwiteite
- **Colouring in activity to be done at home**

Drawing a train track

Early writing exercise

Allow children to design a train track at home. The idea is for them to draw horizontal lines from left to right and to connect the tracks with lines from the top to the bottom.

This activity is great exercise for early writing. Please pay attention to their pencil grip and the direction in which they work. Left to right and top to bottom.



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FRIDAY 19TH:

- **Video on YouTube** – Bible Story
- **Video on YouTube** – Stereognostic Bag
- **Zoom session with Kim and Augusta at 11:00 & 11:30 – chat about the week and show and tell**
- **Craft time to be done at home**

Wine Cork Boats

Wine Corks x3 per boat

Elastic bands or glue gun

Sosatie Stick

Cardboard

Method

Glue corks together or tie together with elastics

Cut out a triangle shape from the cardboard

Stick through the sosatie stick at the bottom and the top.

A great addition to bath times.





Week 10

Theme: Occupations

When we discuss occupations with our children a good starting point might be our own occupation. What do we do at work and why do we do it? Focus on the positives and why we love our jobs. We may highlight life lessons during this discussion in explaining to them that we work to deliver a service. This also means that we earn money and we use the money for our daily living. We also work to create a successful society. We add to our society by spending our money here on goods and services and therefore we create more job opportunities in George.

We have many essential workers who fulfil some of our basic human needs. We have medical staff that heal the sick, we have firemen and women who save our lives. We have a police force that makes sure law and order is kept. Teachers that helps children to learn and grow as well as stay at home parents who work hard to create a safe and healthy living space for us. The discussion for occupations can be extremely varied and it can help our children to respect every person that works hard to better our world.

Ask your child what they would like to do one day, ask them why and open the conversation to some sharing. Tell them about some of the jobs you have done in the past. They enjoy hearing our stories as well.

MONDAY 22TH:

- **Video op YouTube - Bybel**
- **Video op YouTube – Home-made Spindle Box counting**
- **Zoom session with Kim and Augusta at 11:00 & 11:30 – Dress up Fun.**
Dress up as any occupation or dress up like mommy or daddy.

Baking Soda and vinegar experiment.

- ❖ Bicarb of Soda
- ❖ Vinegar
- ❖ Balloon or disposable glove
- ❖ Empty clean 500ml plastic bottle
- ❖ Teaspoon

We are going to do an experiment to see if we can blow up a balloon with Bicarb and Vinegar

Please have ingredients ready on Monday.



TUESDAY 23TH:

- [Video on YouTube](#) - Song time
- [Video on YouTube](#) – Montessori Activity. Polishing Copper

Fun activity at home

Put out the fire

You will need:

Recycled metal tins or plastic cups

White paper, orange and yellow paint or crayons

Glue

Ball or soft toy

Method

Draw a fire or flames on your paper

Wrap the paper around the tins or cups and glue them on

Stack as many as you can on top of each other (10 or less) to form a triangle

Take your ball or soft toy

Move away from the fire, it is HOT

Throw the ball at the fire tins and knock them over. When they are all knocked over you have put out the fire!



WEDNESDAY 24TH:

- [Video op YouTube - Storie](#)
- [Video op YouTube – Klein Drupper](#)

Create my own doctor bag and headdress

You will need:

- ❖ Paper any colour as well as red and white
- ❖ Scissors
- ❖ Glue or stapler
- ❖ Magazines

Method

Glue or staple two A4 pieces of paper together so that it can open like a book.

Cut out a circle and paste a paper cross in the middle

Stick this on the outside of your “bag”

Make two half circle handles for your bag

Look for medical instruments in magazines. Take some flat supplies from your First Aid Kit at home and stick it in your bag.

Remember to name all the instruments as you go along.

Use a paper for the head piece. Make a very basic crown for your child's head. Let them draw a Red Cross on top of their medical head piece.



THURSDAY 25TH:

- [Video on WhatsApp- Morning story](#)
- [Video on You Tube – Montessori Activity- Sweeping big and small objects.](#)

Astronaut Fun

Paper Rockets

You will need:

Printout of attached paper rockets

Colouring Crayons or paints

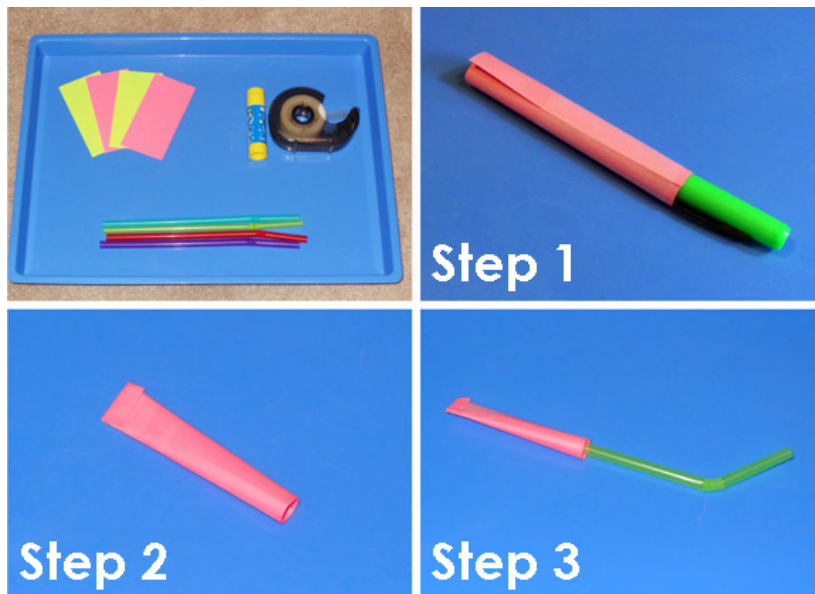
Straws

Papers cut into rectangles

Scotch tape

Glue

Please see attached pictures for method.





Paste your decorated rocket ship onto the rolled rectangle. Keep the rectangle loosely rolled and don't jam the straw to deep into the folded paper.

Blow on the straw to make your rocket launch. This is a fantastic mouth muscle exercise.

Ready, set and blast off!



FRIDAY 26TH:

- **Video op YouTube - Storie**
- **Video on YouTube – Die lui 8 oefening**
- **Zoom session with Kim and Augusta at 11:00 & 11:30 – chat about the week and show and tell**

The dentist floss activity

You will need:

Lego Blocks

Playdough

Floss or wool

Aim: We want to highlight the importance of dental hygiene. Remind children to brush their teeth twice everyday for clean and healthy teeth.

Method:

Place pieces of playdough between the Lego ridges. Explain to the child that we are going to practice flossing. We need to floss between our teeth to get out



bits of food that gets stuck there. Let them floss out the playdough to clean the teeth.



Have a blessed weekend.