

# Easterside Academy EYFS Topic Web

Cornerstones Topics: Which is the biggest dinosaur?  
Can we Explore it?  
Am I the Fastest?

## Communication and language

- Discuss journeys holidays
- Listening games-local environment.
- Sensory walk/minibeasts-descriptive language
- Using my senses- tasting fruits
- Talking about school trip-farm?
- Following instructions-programmable toys.
- Favourite food- I like.....

## Physical Development

- Wheeled toys- crossing a road-stopping
- Push and pull toys
- Traffic light game
- Movement-seed growing/frog jumping
- Obstacle course-outdoor environment- move like a caterpillar.
- Large construction/den making outside.
- Chopping fruits-using tools-fruit salad
- Healthy Eating-hygiene- making fruit salad/healthy milkshakes.
- Threading caterpillar fruits

## Expressive Arts and Design

- Making models-vehicles
- Observational drawing-minibeasts
- Printing with wheels
- Collage pictures-minibeasts, garden, seaside etc.
- Bubble pictures-links to milkshake story.
- Role play-travel agents/airport /local shop/outdoor hut firestation/garden centre.
- Music-songs wheels on the bus, row row etc.
- Fruit prints
- Snail trail glitter
- Water-milkshake factory
- Spider web prints.
- Daffodil pictures.

off we go!  
Summer Term

## Understanding of the World

- Our Local environment-features
- Local shops-what do they sell
- Walk around local environment.
- Floating and sinking
- Where do i live?
- Sequence journey to school
- Past/present-holidays, journeys
- Minibeast hunt
- Features-minibeasts-similarities/differences.
- Traffic survey/fav vehicle/food,-2 count
- Growing seeds- seed diary.
- Sensory walk/spring walk-baby
- Farm animals-feature-linked to trip.
- Life cycle puzzles

## Personal Social and Emotional Development

- Road safety
- Outdoor safety rules.
- Sharing experiences with family-outings,holidays.
- People who help us-our local environment-visit from parents to discuss jobs.
- Safety in the sun
- Caring for animals/minibeasts-snail

## Book stimulus:

BB The Train Ride  
BB Homes  
BB Lets go by Bus  
BB Firefighters  
BB Minibeasts  
BB Whatever next  
BB The very Hungry Caterpillar  
Jaspers Beanstalk  
Olivers Vegetables  
BB Farmer Duck  
Olivers fruit salad  
Oliver's Milkshake  
BB I love animals  
Caterpillar  
Don't forget the bacon  
Pass the Jim Jam  
The Growing Story  
Runway Train

## Mathematics

- Ladybird spots/spiders legs-addition
- Farm animals-counting
- Butterfly patterns
- Vehicles -counting wheels.
- Shapes in the environment.
- Making milkshakes-capacity
- Problem solving-outdoor picnic
- My house shape pictures/door numerals.
- Activities with bags-journeys weight
- Money-buying tickets to go on holiday
- Size-Caterpillars in the playdough
- Counting legs-minibeasts
- Caterpillar numeral sequence
- Number songs '5 little Peas'
- Sorting seeds/colours

## Literacy

- Non-fiction books-homes/vehicles/ minibeast
- Reading-signs in the local environment
- My growing diary
- Descriptive sentences-minibeasts
- Label
- Writing shopping lists-going on a picnic.
- Handwriting practise-snail