

St Thomas More R.C. Primary – Nursery Class
 What I am Learning – Summer 2 Texts: Going On A Plane by Anna Civardi and Bloom by Julia Seal



Area of Learning	Activities	Area of Learning	Activities
Communication & Language	This half term we will focus on our new theme 'Going on Holiday'. We will hear and learn new vocabulary from stories, rhymes and poetry based around the topic. We will take part in group/whole class discussions based around holidays and our own travel experiences. We will explore the themed enhancements within provision such as our very own camp site, giving us the opportunity to use the new language we have learnt! We will also prepare for our transition into Reception by taking part in group discussions.	Mathematics	During Summer 2 we will continue to develop our problem-solving skills. We will continue to use symbols and begin to make marks with mathematical meaning. We will verbally count beyond 10 daily and practice our number recognition. We will continue to compare objects and quantities along with exploring addition and subtraction practically!
Physical Development	This half term we will continue to develop our confidence and skills within the outdoor provision; using the climbing frame, exploring bikes and scooters and playing throwing and catching games. We will take part in obstacle courses giving us the opportunity to build on our balancing skills and travel in different ways. We continue to develop our fine motor skills by taking part in various different creative activities, mark making and writing opportunities.	Understanding the World	This half term we will continue to learn about the seasons and seasonal changes. We will go on a Summer's walk around the school grounds to discuss changes in the environment. We will plant our own sunflower seeds, watch them grow and complete observational drawings of our plants. We will compare different holiday destinations and use the atlas and globe to begin to locate them!
Personal, Social and Emotional Development	During Summer 2 we will look back on our experiences throughout the year and talk about the things we have enjoyed the most. We will continue with our Think Equal sessions to learn more about ourselves and others. We will prepare for our transition to Reception by meeting our teacher and visiting the class. We will have discussions around change, why things change and how it can make us feel.	Expressive Arts & Design	We will explore a variety of different materials and create 'summer themed' craft. We will build upon our learning from last half term around different materials and recycling to create our very own 'recycling project'; a piece of art made from different plastics. We will also take part in outdoor roleplay such as setting up an ice-cream van and having a campsite in our roleplay area!
Literacy	We will continue to progress with our daily RWI phonics sessions. We will also continue to enjoy sharing new stories and putting our new vocabulary into practice! We will have many opportunities to mark make with purpose and continue to develop our letter formation whilst practicing a tripod grip.	RE	This half term we will continue to practice and learn hymns. We will continue to take part in our worship sessions and daily prayer. The focus of our Religious sessions will be to talk about what we love about God's world and how we can take care of it!