

Transport Knowledge Pathway



People who Help Us - Spring 1

An ambulance is a type of vehicle made to carry sick or injured people. Normally, ambulances go to people in emergencies to take people to hospital. A Fire Engine helps people by putting out fires and keeping people safe.



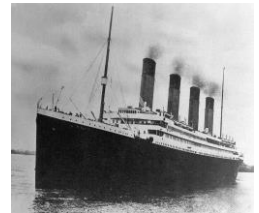
From Field to Fork - Summer 1

A tractor is a strong work vehicle used for farming. It usually has a seat for only the driver, and can be used to pull many different tools or trailers. They can be used in many different types of farms.



What a Disaster! - Spring 1

On its first trip across the Atlantic Ocean, a passenger ship called the *Titanic* struck a huge iceberg. The ship sank on April 15, 1912, killing more than 1,500 people. It was one of the most famous disasters of the 20th century. On April 10, 1912, the *Titanic* set out from Southampton, England. It was bound for New York City. Some of the passengers were rich people on business or pleasure trips. Others were poor European emigrants who were looking for a better life in North America.



Relaxing Rivers - Summer 2

The Worcester & Birmingham Canal takes you from the vibrant centre of Birmingham, through the green hills of Worcestershire, to the cathedral city of Worcester. The canal is 29.5 miles long with 58 locks. The purpose of the canal was to provide a shorter link between Birmingham and the River Severn.



Rainforests- Spring 2

The Amazon River is one of the longest rivers in the world, and because there are few roads, it's like a watery highway through the rainforest. Big ships and small boats carry food, supplies and people to help them get around and connect different parts of the rainforest.



The Vikings - Summer 1

The Vikings were expert ship builders and sailors. Long, sleek and fast, longships were designed to travel up narrow rivers and held up to 120 men. On the prow was the head of a fierce creature to frighten the spirits of the land that the Vikings were raiding. The first landing in Lindisfarne in 793AD.



Plague, Pox and Antibiotics- Summer 2

There have been significant changes in transportation over the centuries. With improved transport links and infrastructure, the world has become much smaller, making it much easier for diseases and infections, like the plague in 1665 and COVID in 2019, to spread throughout the population.

