



Up and Down

A project about journeys by R/Yr1/Yr2

Overview:

This project was aimed at Key Stage 1 to support the Literacy, Geography and Science curriculums in particular. Up was in the air and above the ground, including weather, day and night, seasons and space. Down was all about the Earth, mapping skills, freezing and melting, and pushing and pulling. The class became a company who organised trips and tours on different forms of transportation. We had an important visitor - an alien who left their egg behind for us to return home!

Facilitator Reflection:

The children were fully involved in the idea of journeys through the air and into space. They were fascinated by the alien egg and took a great deal of care of it. We were able to cover a wide range of subjects and they worked so well with our Literacy curriculum, where we were able to include stories, poems, recounts and information texts.

Pupil Reflection:

I liked going on pretend journeys in a hot air balloons and on a flying carpet. But the best bit was when we turned our class into an aeroplane and a real air stewardess showed us how to do a proper job.

