

PREPARATION

THEME: FLYING FUN

MYSTERY BAG

SOMETHING THAT FLIES (PLANE, HELICOPTER, BIRD)



EXPLORATION RESOURCES

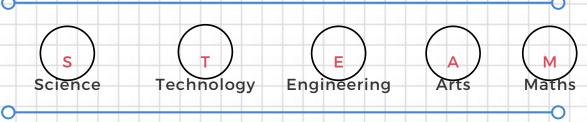
- ITEMS OF SIMILAR SIZE BUT DIFFERENT WEIGHTS E.G. PLASTIC BALL & POTATO
- SHEETS OF A4 PAPER
- WOODEN CLOTHES PEGS OR
 TOILET ROLL TUBE & EGG

 BOX
- CRAFT STICKS
- GLUE/TAPE
- PAINT OR FELT PENS



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Questions/Ideas:

Things That Fly: What can you think of that flies? What makes it fly/gives it thrust? (A: flapping wings, engine and wings, propeller etc.)

Throwing & Weight: Which of these objects is heavier? Which one do you think you can throw the furthest? Let's check.
What's pulling it down?

Paper Planes: Let's fold a plane together (talk about in half etc.). How do you think we should throw it to fly? Let's test.

Measuring Flight: Let's choose a place to throw the plane.

How many steps to where it lands? Can you make it fly further? How else could we measure how far it flies?

Making Planes: What does a plane need? (A: wings, fuselage)

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Learning:

<u>Science</u>: Role of gravity bringing things down; Air resistance;

Investigating, predicting and testing

<u>Technology</u>: Engines making planes fly

<u>Engineering</u>: Thrust as a force; Wing shape; Building planes

Art: Decorating planes

<u>Maths</u>: Measuring and comparing distances; Half/quarter etc; Weig

<u>Fine Motor</u>: Folding paper; making planes

