



Social Studies Virtual Learning

2nd Grade Transportation

April 8, 2020



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Lesson: April 8th

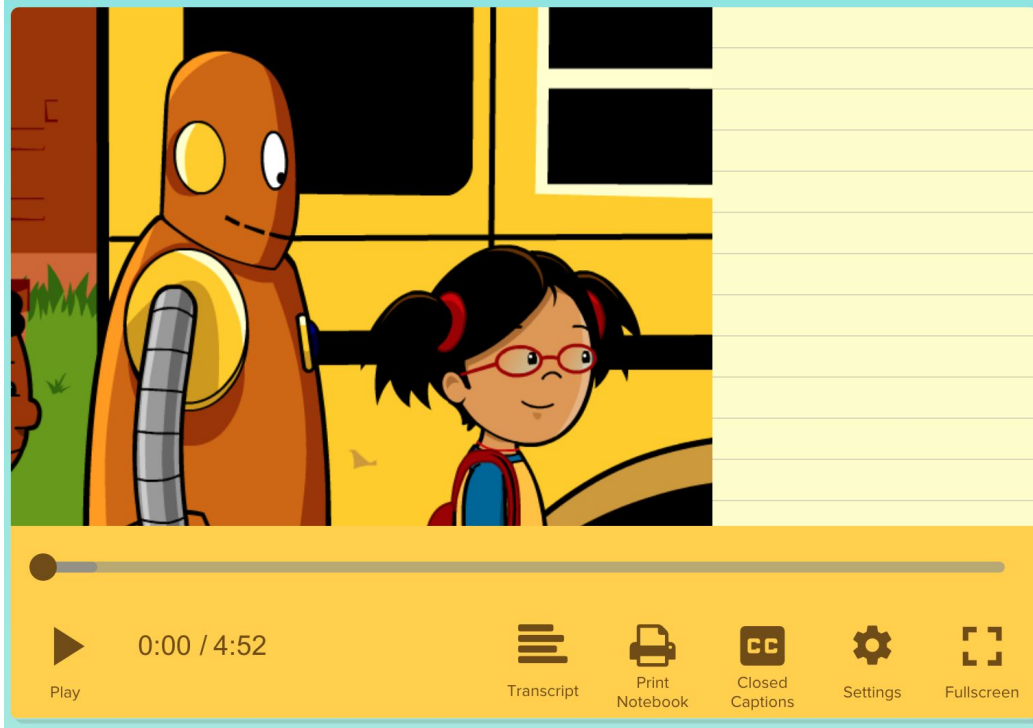
Learning Target:

I can describe different types of transportation, and their advantages and disadvantages.

Background: This is a review lesson from 1st Grade

- Students learned to describe characteristics in their community such as transportation networks

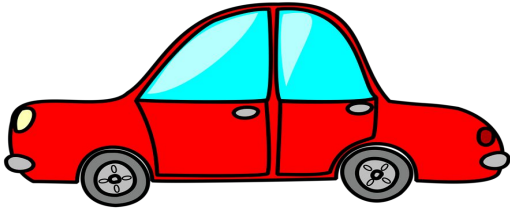
Let's Get Started: Warm Up!

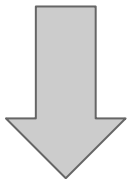


**Click to learn about
transportation!**

Warm Up!

**What forms of
transportation do
you use?**



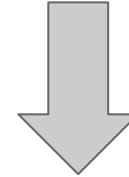
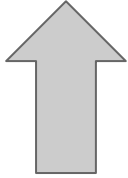


An airplane helps people get to places quickly in the air.

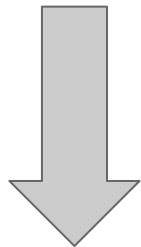
A helicopter helps people get place quickly in the air. It is often used for emergencies.



A bus helps a lot of people
get from one place to
another on the ground.



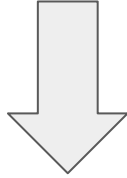
A semi truck helps move
goods from one place to
another.



A car helps
people move from
one place to
another on their
own.

A bicycle has two wheels
and helps people get
places on land.





A boat is another form of transportation. Boats travel on top of water.

Trains can carry goods and people from place to place. Trains travel on railroad tracks.



Match each type of transportation to its purpose:

_____ car
_____ bicycle
_____ semi truck
_____ airplane
_____ boat
_____ train
_____ bus
_____ helicopter

- A. helps people get from one place to another in the air
- B. helps people get to places quickly in the air, usually for emergencies
- C. helps move goods from one place to another
- D. helps a lot of people get from one place to another on the ground
- E. helps people move from one place to another on their own
- F. Has two wheels and helps people get places on land
- G. Can carry goods from place to place. Travels on railroad tracks
- H. Travels above the water

Which statements are advantages of an airplane?

can get to places
quickly

expensive

can travel over oceans

some people are scared
of flying

can't travel in bad
weather



Check the next slide
to see if you are
correct!

Was your thinking correct? Let's see!

Advantages

can get to places
quickly

can travel over the
ocean

Disadvantages

expensive

some people are scared
of flying

can't travel in bad
weather

Which statements are advantages of a bicycle?

you can go to your
friend's house

exercise

get tired riding a long
distance

you can get sweaty

can enjoy the outdoors



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Online Practice



Complete this
worksheet for
more practice

Types of Transportation

Part 1: Match each type of transportation to its purpose.

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|----------------|---|
| ____ trains | a. has two wheels and helps people get places on land |
| ____ boat | b. can carry goods from place to place, travels on railroad tracks. |
| ____ bicycle | c. travels above the water |
| ____ submarine | d. goes deep under water, scientists use this to explore |
| | e. has two wheels and can help people get from place to place, can sometimes be motorized |
| | f. travels through the air and sometimes uses hot air to help it float |

Standard: 2.EG.5.E.a Describe different types of transportation

Part 2: Use the words to complete each sentence:

Train	boat	bicycle	submarine
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1. The scientist traveled in a _____ to explore the deep ocean.
2. The handlebars on my _____ help me steer.
3. The _____ travels on railroad tracks.
4. When we go fishing, we take a _____.

Self Check:

Go tell someone in your home your answers.



1. Was this lesson?

- ☐ easy,
- ☐ just right
- ☐ hard

2. If you could use any form of transportation to get to school, what would it be? Why? Tell an adult in your house.