

<b>Theme</b>	<b>Let's Go Travelling Party</b>
<b>Leading Up To</b>	<p>Ensure that you send out invitations to your 'Travelling Party' with plenty of notice to ensure that everyone invited is able to come.</p> <p>Help the children make their Passports for the day by putting together a small book using blank paper and some staples or a hole punch. Write the child's name on the front and ask them to draw a picture of themselves as their Passport Photo. If you have time, you might take digital photos of the children to stick on the front. Ask the children to help you decided (using a map) where you would like to go. It may be local, or even overseas!</p>
<b>How to Dress</b>	<p>Have the children and adult Passports ready for them to use on the day.</p>
<b>Decorate</b>	<p>Decorate your house or play area with pictures and posters of foreign lands, maps and flags from around the world. You might use items such as hats, tee-shirts, streamers, dolls, Tourist merchandise such as snow globes or spoons. Place some old airline boarding passes on your posters. Travel brochures work really well for decorations.</p>
<b>Food</b>	<p>Create your own airline food! You could place any of the following items in a paper bag or disposable plastic container:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Little sandwiches and a piece of fruit</li> <li>• Muffins and cheese sticks with crackers</li> <li>• Mini quiches or pizzas with a small salad of vegetable sticks</li> </ul> <p>Alternatively, you may wish to serve food from the countries you are visiting. Perhaps you could ask a few parents to help with this if you know families from a variety of cultures to help the children experience some new food tastes!</p>
<b>Games and Activities</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Passports – you may decide to create the Passports as an activity first thing before your Travelling begins. See notes above about creating your Passports.</li> <li>• To being the day, set up chairs in the shape of an aeroplane, with a driver at the front and stewards to host the guests (these people could be adults or children).</li> <li>• Fly your imaginary plane to your chosen destinations, stopping at each one to get off and have a look around. You may wish to set up designated areas for each location. Have a brief talk about the place you are visiting. You may be able to find props for this.</li> <li>• Remember to take photos of your Travelling Party!</li> </ul>