

UNIT - 4**16. LET'S GO TO VILLAGE**

Abdullah left for Mumbai with his father and mother for their

relatives marriage. They went to the railway station by an



The Mumbai



came and stopped at the platform. Abdullah and his parents

got in to the Mumbai



They travelled all night and reached Mumbai in the

morning. They went to their relative's house which is nearby in a



pulled

by a horse. The next morning they went to the airport by a



to receive

their uncle who was coming from America. There, they saw an



. They

met their uncle who got down from the



and reached home in a



. In the evening, they visited Elephenta caves, which is in the middle of

the sea in a



. The next day the marriage was held. They brought the

wedding gifts and articles home in a



. All returned after the marriage.

What do you understand by journey?

Which vehicles Abdullah travelled by?

Which vehicles he had seen?

Which vehicles from the above have you seen? Which vehicles did you travel by?





You know the different vehicles Abdullah saw and travelled. Vehicles are used to go from one place to another. We can reach our destinations by travelling on these vehicles.

You know about the modes of transport. Some of these are used on land, some sail on water and some fly in the air. Observe the picture given below. Name the vehicles and their mode of travelling.



Do you know the names of vehicles which travel on land, water and air? Fill in the table.

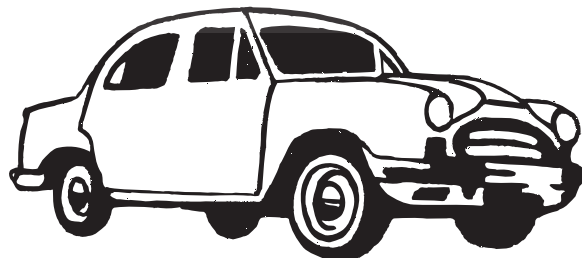
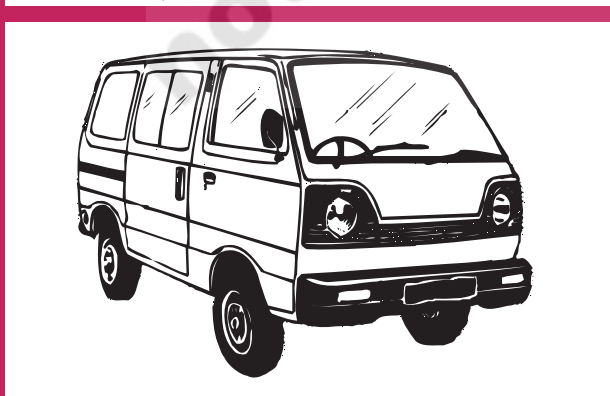
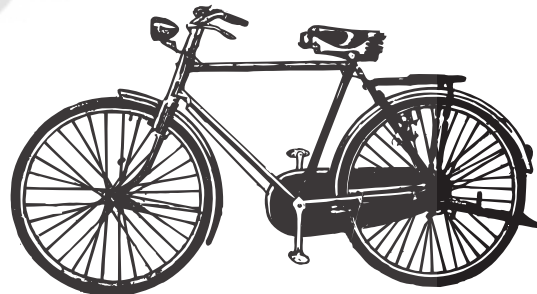
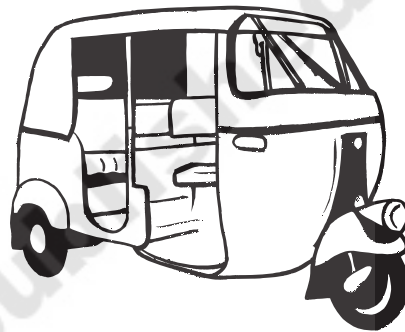
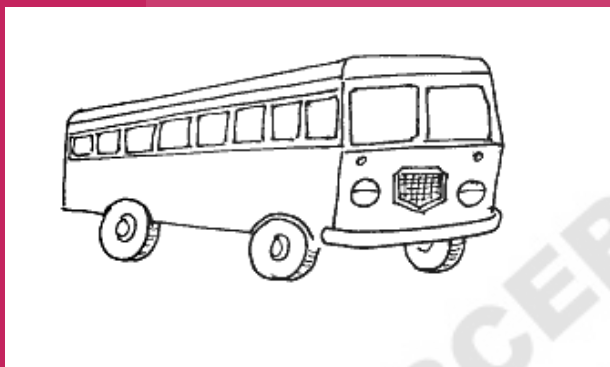
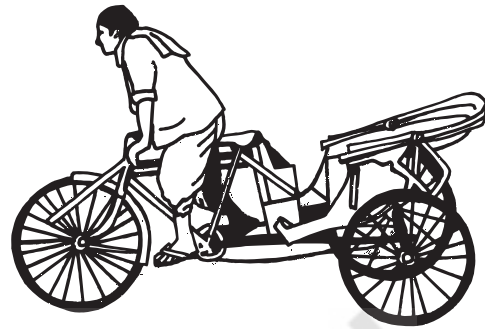
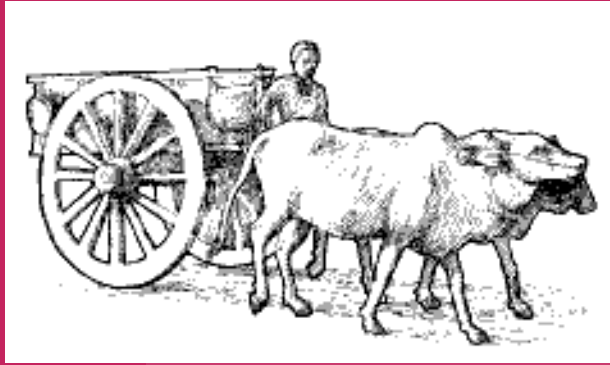
Vehicles that run on land	Vehicles that sail on water	Vehicles that fly in the air

Does your village have these three types of vehicles? What are they?





Observe the pictures given below. Colour the ones which are used in your village.



You have identified the vehicles in above picture which are used for travelling in your village. What are the other vehicles used in your village other than the ones shown in the above picture?





What are the vehicles you use to reach nearby places from your area? Which vehicles are used to travel to faraway places? Which vehicles are used to travel to very far off places? Fill in the table with their names.

Vehicles used to reach nearby places	Vehicles used to reach faraway places	Vehicles used to reach much distant places

Different vehicles are used according to the distance and time. People go on foot to the very near by places. They also go by cycle, auto, rickshaw, boat, horse cart (tonga) etc. People go by bus, train, car, motor cycle, jeep etc; to reach distant places and to other countries they travel by aero plane and ships.



The village Suraram is near to a forest. The villagers go to forest every now and then. They go to forest for honey, gum, soap nuts etc.. But there is no road in the forest.

What do they use to travel to forest? Think.....

Buses also come to Suraram. The buses wouldn't ply to the villages which have no roads. How do people go to these villages? All the villagers of Suraram wanted to go to the fair of Mallanna on the occasion of Sivarathri. For this, they have arranged a special bus. All went to Komaravelli fair and returned.



On what occasions people arrange special buses?

How do they go if there are no buses in the village?

There are many villages like Suraram. What vehicles are used in these villages to travel? How do the villagers travel when there are no buses to their villages?

Read the names of the following vehicles. Find out the areas where they are used?

Bicycle	Bullock-cart	Auto	Scooter	Tractor	Rickshaw
Jeep	Bus	Van	Lorry	Car	Boat



Vehicles used in forests	Vehicles used to travel to the villages which have no roads	Vehicles used where there are no buses	Vehicles used to attend marriages and fairs



The people of all villages need different vehicles to travel. Many villages have roads and buses to travel to other villages. They go to other villages by buses. When there are no proper roads, villagers go to other villages by bullock-carts, bicycles, motor cycles and autos.



Bulls are used to pull the carts. In some places horses are used to pull certain carts. Elephants, donkeys, camels are also used for travel. Observe the pictures given below. Have you ever seen these?



Nowadays, the usage of bullock-carts and horse pulled carts has decreased. Why? Think.

In some villages the people use bus, van, lorry, tractor to attend the marriages and fairs. In some other villages they still use bullock-carts to travel from one place to the other.

What vehicles do you use to attend marriages and fairs in your village?

In some villages, the villagers migrate to other places for want of employment. They take the required goods with them. For this, they travel by bullock-carts, tractors and vans. In some other places people travel by boats also.





Is this the way to travel?

Observe the pictures given below. How are they travelling? What happens when we travel in this manner? Think ...



What did you learn from the above pictures? It is dangerous to travel in this manner. We should not travel as shown above.





Were the vehicles in the past similar to the one's in the present?

Nowadays autos, scooters, bicycles, buses, trains, aeroplanes, boats are used for travelling. Were these vehicles present in the past? How did the people of olden days travel? Ask your elders and grandparents and know about the vehicles of their time.



Can you do this?

Take a few match boxes. Join all the boxes with a rope or a wire as shown in the picture. Fix



the rubber lids of injection bottles to all the boxes as tyres. Tie a thread to the front box. Your toy train is ready to play. Pull the thread and play. What other things can be used to make a toy train? Think ...

Key words

1. Journey
2. Modes of transport
3. Vehicles
4. Vehicles that sail on water
5. Vehicles that run on the land
6. Animals used for travel
7. Hazards / dangers of travelling
8. Modes of transport in olden days
9. Air transport

What have we learnt?

- ★ People use different vehicles to travel from one place to another.
- ★ Different modes of transport are used for journeys.
- ★ Animals like bull, camel, donkey, horse, elephant are also used as means of transport.
- ★ Different vehicles are used depending on the distance to be travelled.
- ★ Travelling in heavily packed vehicles with excess travellers is dangerous. Travelling in private vehicles like tractors, jeeps, lorries should be avoided.





DO THIS



Conceptual Understanding

1. What is a journey? Which vehicles have you travelled by?
2. Read the names of following vehicles. Write them in the table.

Lorry, bus, auto, train, trolley auto, aero plane, boat, donkey, horse, bullock-cart, helicopter, jeep, horse cab, bicycle, rickshaw, camel, elephant, tractor.

Run on the land	Sail on the water	Fly in the air

3. Write the similarities and differences between a bicycle and a motor cycle.
4. Which animals are used as transport?
5. Observe the pictures given below.



It is dangerous to travel as shown in the pictures because

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Draw and colour the pictures

1. Draw the pictures of any two vehicles you like. Name them.



Information Skills - Project work

1. Observe the vehicles that ply in your street for one hour on any sunday. Fill the table with the particulars.

Name of the vehicle	No. of vehicles

Which vehicles are seen most? Which vehicles are seen least?

2. Make a cart and a bus with clay, card board etc. Exhibit them in your class.



Appreciation

1. We use vehicles and animals to travel. What should be our attitude towards animals?
2. Whose models of bus/cart was best in your class? Why did you like them?



Ask a question

1. Abdulla went to grandpa to know about the vehicles that were used in the past. What questions Abdullah might have asked his grandpa?



Can I do this?



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| 1. I can tell what vehicles ply in our area. | Yes/No |
| 2. I can explain about the modes of transport.
I can write them in a table. | Yes/No |
| 3. I can draw the pictures of vehicles. | Yes/No |
| 4. I can tell what vehicles people use on different occasions. | Yes/No |
| 5. I can explain which animals are used for travelling. | Yes/No |
| 6. I can ask questions about the transport vehicles. | Yes/No |

