



Primary 5 English

Term 4 2023 Snapshots

Term 1 2024 Highlights

Primary 5

Snapshots of Term 4

This is what your child would have learnt by the end of this term!

Doing well in **reading comprehension** is key as it accounts for more than 20% of the total marks in PSLE Paper 2. Your child was taught how to **spot and correct common comprehension errors** to perfect their answers and score in this component.

As part of your child's PSLE preparation, they analysed some of the trickiest **comprehension cloze** questions in the **2022 PSLE**. Your child's teacher recapped the steps and gave your child tips on how to tackle such questions. This **PSLE Insights series** covers several key components and **will continue in Primary 6** to better prepare your child for their PSLE.

To put what your child has learnt this year into practice, your child's teacher will guide them through **two creative writing exercises**. These exercises not only **develop their creativity in content** but also allow them to **showcase their range of literary techniques**.



Primary 6

Highlights of Term 1 (AY2024)

This is what your child can look forward to in Term 1 2024!

Having memorable characters in their stories gives your child an edge in their **compositions**. We will **reinforce your child's knowledge of character development techniques** through a mentor text and pre-writing activities that they can apply to their compositions.

Knowledge of examination requirements is key to doing well in the PSLE. We will go through what made the **2023 PSLE composition writing task** tricky and your child will apply what they learnt to another composition topic.

Comprehension cloze is one of the toughest sections in Paper 2. Through the **consolidation workshop**, your child's teacher will **review the different blank types** commonly tested, how to **source for clues** and how to **come up with an answer that best fits the sentence**.



Primary 5 Mathematics

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Primary 5 Mathematics

Term 4 Snapshots

Topic(s) covered

- The term started with a focus on exam skills and topical revisions to prepare for the **End-of-Year Examinations** – other than practice tests to hone skills such as time management, answering techniques and checking habits, a **consolidation of learning** was done through **topical revisions and a series of mini tests** to review earlier topics such as Ratio, Decimals, Number Patterns, Geometry, Area of Triangles and Volume.

Skill(s) learnt

- Revision on the application of **heuristics to solve Managing Word Problems** - Your child received two **Managing Word Problems concept maps** which consolidated key heuristics and provided an overview of common question types. To reinforce learning, an interactive concept map is available on TLL360. Visit: <https://tinyurl.com/MP5ConceptMap>



Highlights

- **Early headstart to next year's curriculum** - selected **new Primary 6 topics** were introduced during the school holiday period (including Algebra, Circles, Pie Charts and Speed).
- **Games and activities** were incorporated to make learning fun – Using the revolution concept in the topic of Circles, your child received a trundle wheel to measure the length of objects in the classroom.

Primary 6 Mathematics

Term 1 What to expect


Topic(s) covered

- **What to expect for the Primary 6 curriculum** - In addition to mastering new and demanding topics (Algebra, Pie Charts, Circles and Speed), your child will be exposed to how topics and concepts may be connected, including how to apply problem-solving techniques to more complex problems leading up to the PSLE.
- **1 new Primary 6 topic** - Algebra will be covered in the first term. Your child will learn the fundamentals on how to simplify algebraic expressions before moving on to apply algebra to a wider range of topics.

Skill(s) learnt

- **Diving deeper into the use of heuristics for Fractions**, especially during weighted assessments when students often feel intimidated by the longer length of problem sums, we will **reintroduce model drawing**. Using models, they will **complement the use of unitary methods**, helping students better visualise more complex solutions.

Highlights

- **Starting the new level with a story** –  Through an engaging storyline, your child will take on the role of a consultant to build a theme park and, in the process, be introduced to new Primary 6 topics.
- We will embark on our **Hot-off-the-Press series** for your child to apply methods to solve recent tricky school exam questions. Your child will also receive a booklet for more practice on word problems beyond the lessons.



Primary 5 Science*

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*Different menus & clusters available for Science based on
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Primary 5 Science
(M01, M06, P02, P06)

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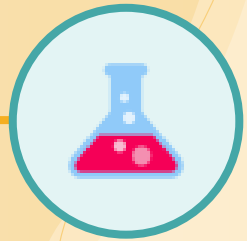
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- **Revision of P5 topics**
(Water and Changes of State, Cells, Air and Living Things, Electrical System)
- **Revision of P4 topics**
(Matter, Heat, Light)
- **Introduction to P6 topics**
(Energy and the Sun, Environmental Interactions, Adaptations)



Skills learnt

- **Exam skills**
(Two mock papers to practice time management and answering techniques)
- **Application of concepts**
- **Experiment Analysis (Revision)**
(Variables, aims, results, conclusions, control)



Fun activities

- **Experiments**
(Testing for starch in food)
- **Hands-on activities**
(Construct a food web)

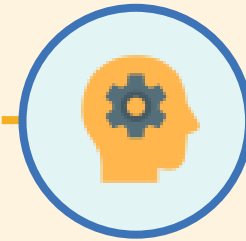
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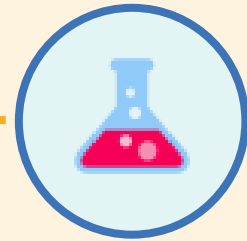
Topics covered

- **Introduction to P6 topics**
(Forces, Sources and Forms of Energy)
- **Revision of P3 topics**
(Diversity, Life Cycles)
- **Forces**
- **Sources and Forms of Energy**
- **Energy and the Sun**



Skills learnt

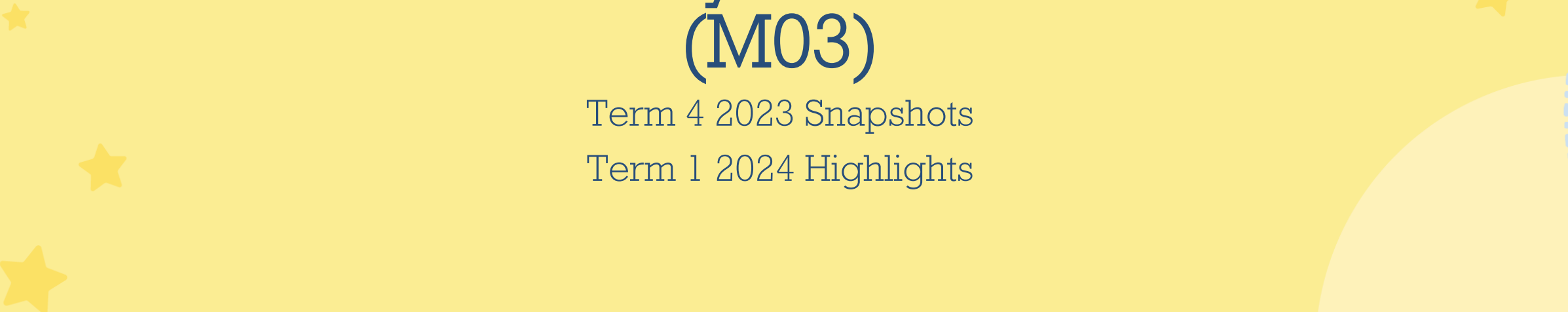

- **Experiment analysis**
(Aims, results and conclusions; control set-ups and fair test)
- **Question analysis**
(Focus on Forces)



Fun activities

- **Hands-on activities**
(Friction on rolling marble, plane launcher)
- **Activities**
(Role-playing: Be a Product Designer)





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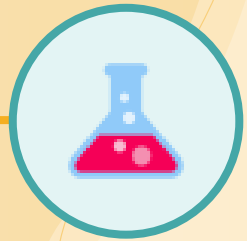
Topics covered

- Revision of all P5 topics
- Revision of P4 topics (Matter, Heat, Light)
- Introduction to P6 topics (Energy and the Sun, Environmental Interactions, Adaptations)



Skills learnt

- Exam skills (Two mock papers to practice time management and answering techniques)
- Application of concepts
- Experiment Analysis (Revision) (Variables, aims, results, conclusions, control)



Fun activities

- Experiments (Testing for starch in food)
- Hands-on activities (Construct a food web)

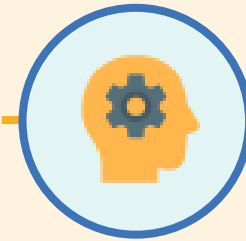
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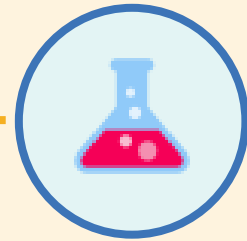
Topics covered

- Introduction to P6 topics (Forces, Sources and Forms of Energy)
- Revision of P3 topics (Diversity, Life Cycles)
- Forces
- Sources and Forms of Energy
- Energy and the Sun



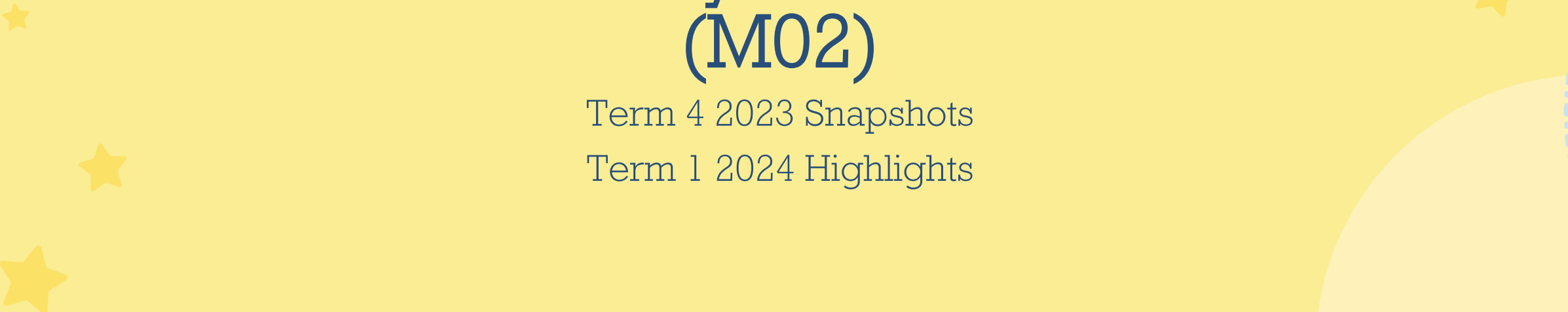

Skills learnt

- Experiment analysis (Aims, results and conclusions; control set-ups and fair test)
- Question analysis (Focus on Forces)



Fun activities

- Hands-on activities (Friction on rolling marble, plane launcher)
- Activities (Role-playing: Be a Product Designer)



Primary 5 Science (M02)

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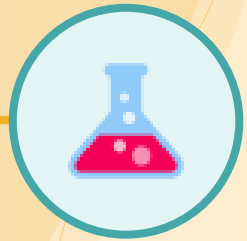
Topics covered

- **Revision of P5 topics**
(Water and Changes of State, Reproduction and Heredity, Reproduction in Plants)
- **Revision of P4 topics**
(Matter, Heat, Light)
- **Introduction to P6 topics**
(Energy and the Sun, Environmental Interactions, Adaptations)



Skills learnt

- **Exam skills**
(Two mock papers to practice time management and answering techniques)
- **Application of concepts**
- **Experiment Analysis (Revision)**
(Variables, aims, results, conclusions, control)



Fun activities

- **Experiments**
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- **Hands-on activities**
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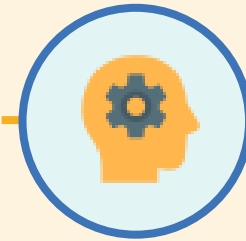
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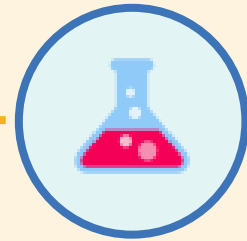
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- **Forces**
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- **Energy and the Sun**



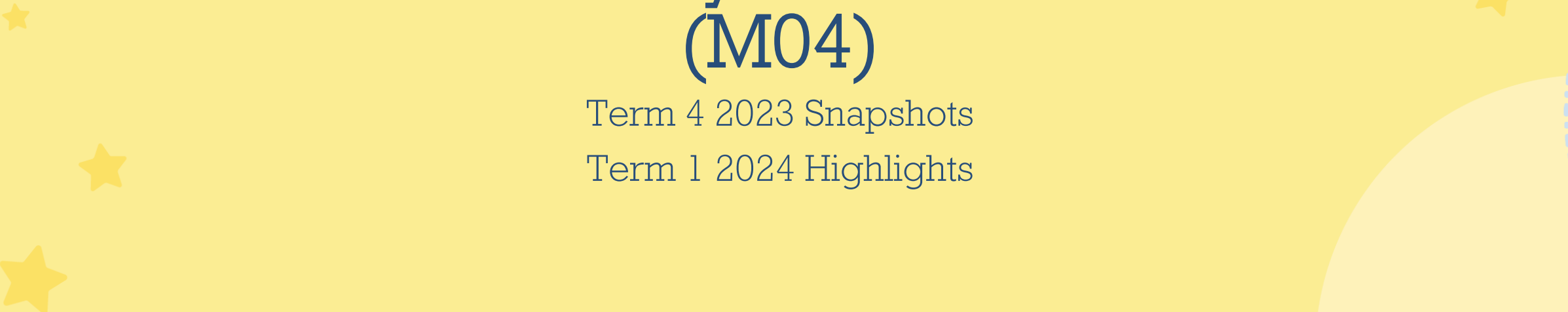

Skills learnt

- **Experiment analysis**
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- **Question analysis**
(Focus on Forces)



Fun activities

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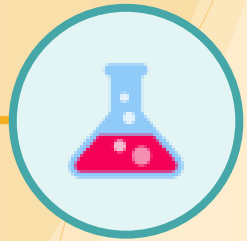
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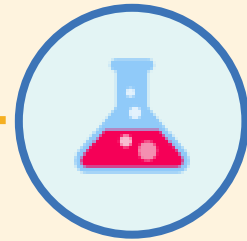
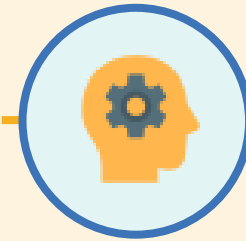
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Term 1 What to expect



Topics covered

Skills learnt

Fun activities

- **Introduction to P6 topics**
(Forces, Sources and Forms of Energy)
- **Revision of P3 topics**
(Diversity, Life Cycles)
- **Forces**
- **Sources and Forms of Energy**
- **Energy and the Sun**

- **Experiment analysis**
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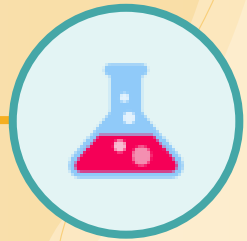
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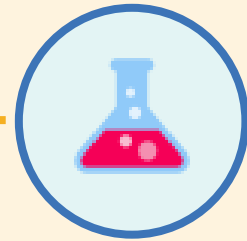
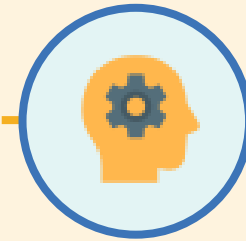
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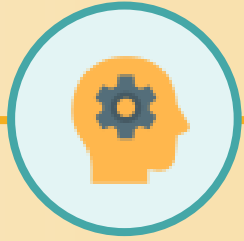
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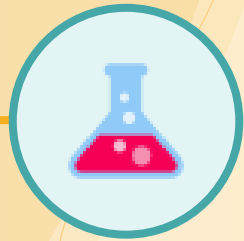
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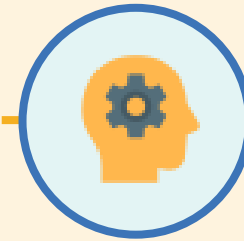
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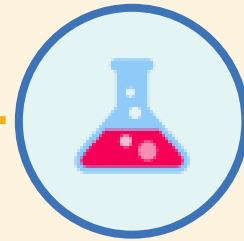
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Fun activities

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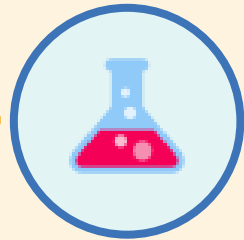
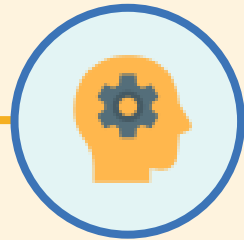
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- **Experiment Analysis (Revision)**
(Variables, aims, results, conclusions, control)

- **Experiment videos**
(Testing for starch in food)
- **Activities**
(Construct a food web)

Primary 6 Science (Online)

Term 1 What to expect



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- **Hands-on activities**
(Plane launcher)
- **Experiment video**
(Friction on wooden car)
- **Activities**
(Role-playing: Be a Product Designer)

