



SuperHeroes

Year 1's Curriculum Newsletter

Let's put on our capes and discover our superpowers as we search for an answer to the question, 'What is a superhero?'

This half term, we'll describe our favourite superheroes, create fact files, read a range of comic books and create our own. Learning about real-life heroes from organisations such as the RNLI or Mountain Rescue and from the past, including Florence Nightingale, Elizabeth Fry and David Livingstone, will allow us to appreciate human bravery. As part of this project, we'll explore our senses of smell, touch, taste, hearing and sight and investigate different foods. We'll also test our superpowers by climbing, running, jumping and moving to music. There'll be opportunities for us to create superhero works of art and to compose superhero soundtracks on digital instruments.

We'll have plenty to share at the end of our project. We'll design colourful posters to show how 'superkids' should behave around school and create an exciting, whole-class superhero performance.

| ILP focus | PE |
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| English | Aladin – Fantasy story. Animal poems |
| Maths | Place Value, addition and subtraction |
| PE | Superhero action movements, dance, agility and strength |
| Art & design | Drawing and 3-D modelling |
| Computing | Downloading photographs and images, e-safety, animation |
| D&T | Superfoods, mask-making |
| History | Historical heroes and heroines |
| Music | Creating digital superhero sounds |
| PSHE | Good and bad choices, keeping safe, positive behaviour, real-life superheroes |
| Science | Senses, healthy eating |
| RE | Chinese New Year, Nirvana |
| Rights Respecting | Global Goal 3: Ensure healthy lives and promote well-being for all at all ages. |

Help your child prepare for their project

Superheroes are fantastic! Why don't you visit the 'Featured characters' page on the Marvel website and read about famous superheroes together? You could also work collaboratively to invent a superhero. Draw a picture, make a costume or write a story together featuring the new superhero. Alternatively, read a children's comic together. Talk about the characters and how they behave. Are any of them superheroes?

Year 1 Notices:

Year 1 Good Work assemblies take place every Wednesday at 8:50 in the Foundation Stage Hall – Help us celebrate the fantastic work that your children are doing.

Please can you send in any kitchen rolls or wrapping paper rolls to help with our D and T work?

Thank You for all your help and support.

Year 1 staff