



Superheroes

Weeks 4th September- 16th October 2017

What are we going to be learning?

During this cluster the BIG focus is English. The children will be creating a superhero profile using awesome superhero vocabulary. They will be creating a word bank of 'KAPOW' adjectives and beginning to use conjunctions to make their writing more exciting. The children will also have the opportunity to use non-fiction features in their fact-finding book about 'real life' superheroes and speech bubbles.

In English we will writing a character profile about a Superhero including adjectives and description about the Superheroes personality and appearance.

In Art and Design the children will be learning to draw and the variety of lines that can be made using parts of the sketch pencil. They will also be looking at the work of Andy Warhol and designing their own Superhero logo which they will then transfer onto a printing tile and print.

In P.E the children will be participating in Team games. In Games the children will need to work as a team to play games such as hand ball.

Our focus in Science will be 'ourselves.' We will be looking at parts of our body, senses and what different parts of the body do and what do they look like? Through our science learning, we will be looking at seasonal changes in the school grounds and local area. The children will do a seasonal walk around Anton Lakes to look at changes in the environment.

This half term in maths our main focus will be number. We will be looking at 1:1 correspondence, addition and subtraction.

We will have an R.E focus in the last week.

What will the hook be?

We are going to have a Superhero day and a Superhero Movie through the theme.

We will also have a real life Superhero visit the children to talk about what they do, what they wear, where they work and how they help people?

How will we celebrate learning outcomes?

We will celebrate the learning outcomes by having A Superhero Movie afternoon and meet a real life Superhero.

How can learning be extended at home? (Your child may also bring homework tasks and please see the reading record)

Homework tasks will continue to come home via the home learning folder or reading diary throughout this half-term but if your child has anything to share relating to our theme then please bring it into school. The children will bring home a spelling homework and another piece of homework every Friday. Spelling test will take place on a Friday. These need to be completed by Wednesday of the following week.

Language and vocabulary for 'Superheroes.'

We will introduce a bank of vocabulary for the children to learn and use during the 'Superheroes theme.'

Superheroes, responsibility, power, ability, BANG, POW, BOOM, WHACK, KAZAAM, real life, nurse, doctor, soldier, vet, police officer, villain, super powers, brave, heroic, trustworthy, respect and honest.

Events, trips, visits, visitors to support this cluster of learning and any other notable dates:

Week beginning:	Week beginning:	Week beginning	Week beginning	Week beginning	Week beginning	Week beginning
4/9/17	11/9/17	18/9/17	25/9/17	2/10/17	9/10/17	16/10/17
	Superhero Dressing up Day.		Movie Afternoon.	Real life Superhero Visit.	Visit to the Lakes-Autumnal Walk.	R.E week.