

How to help at home!



Share spoken stories with your child from your own childhood. They do not have to be in English!



Read a range of books together and complete your child's reading record.

Practise counting at least 3 times a week. We are looking at counting on in ones, fives and tens. Encourage your child to identify numbers around them (house numbers, bus numbers) and talk about which numbers are the largest/greatest and the smallest/fewest.

Please make sure your child brings their book bag in to school each day.

Practise writing letters in cursive.

a b c d e f g h i j k



Extended Learning

Extended Learning Project—The children have received a project to complete based on their theme, "Superheroes". This will be due in on **Wednesday 23rd October 2019**

PE Reminder

Please make sure that your child brings their full PE kit to school on:

Wednesday and Friday

Your child needs:

- A plain white t-shirt
- A pair of black shorts
- A pair of plain black jogging bottoms or leggings
- A pair of black pumps/plain black trainers

Please make sure all of the items of clothes are labelled with your child's name.



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Superheroes

End of Half Term:

25th October 2019

School Restarts:

4th November 2019

English

This half term we will be studying the text 'Dogger' by Shirley Hughes.

The children will be learning to retell the story by heart before writing their own versions and performing them to the rest of the class.

They will be taught how to use correct basic punctuation in their writing, such as capital letters, finger spaces and full stops; and how to use descriptive language.

Mathematics

This half term the children will be focusing on place value.

They need to learn number bonds to make 10 and 20 and recognise the addition and equals sign. It is important they recognise the value of digits in numbers especially tens and ones.

You can help your child reinforce this knowledge with 10p and 1p coins. Ask them to make different amounts.

Please practise counting on in patterns of 2, 5 and 10 regularly.

Science

This half term the children will be learning how to:

- Perform experiments.
- Ask questions and understand that they can be answered in different ways.
- Suggest the answer to a question by making observations.
- Collect my results and write them down to help me answer questions.

They will also be learning:

- Materials including properties and how to spot objects that are made from different materials.



Superheroes

What is your superpower?

This half term, we'll be learning about Superheroes and we'll be finding out how super we all are too. We'll be finding out about ourselves and understanding what makes us super.

Our science skills will help us to understand properties of Materials and what makes a material super.

Stories of superheroes will inspire us to create masks and moving superhero pictures. We will also be looking at real heroes today and from long ago. We'll even find out how to move like a superhero!

We'll also be looking at superheroes that we know and creating our own comic strips.

Is it a bird...is it a plane...no it's...
SUPER YEAR 1!