

Week beginning 07/01/19

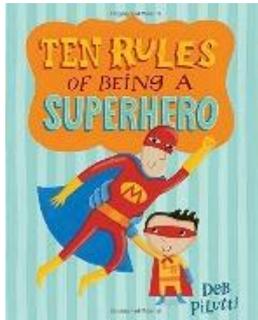
This week your child was learning about: Superhero's

**Literacy**

Our book of the week was:

**10 Rules of Being a Superhero by Deb Pilviti**

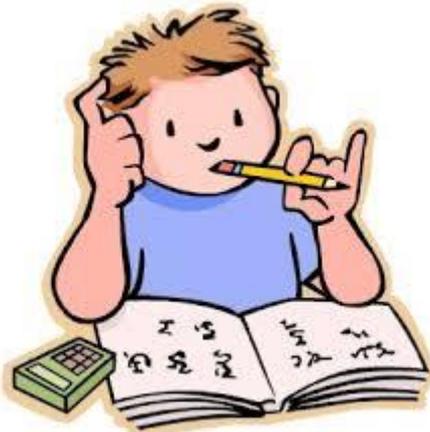
The story discussing the rules of being a superhero. We compared these rules to the rules we must follow in school and at home. We discussed why rules are important to have and what might happen if there were no rules at all. We discussed what were important about having rules and how it's important for even superheroes to follow them.



**Word on the Street:**

This week our word is: Concentrate

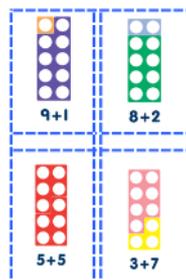
This week the children learned that word CONCENTRATE is a way to focus all of our attention on one thing for a period of time. We discussed how it is important to concentrate in school so we can learn.



**Numeracy: Numbers**

**Number Bonds to 10**

This week the children discussed the different way to make 10. 1+9;2+8; 3+7; 4+6, 5+5. It is important for them to learn these basic combination as they will be able to easily break down larger formulas later in their academic career.



## Phonics

This week we learned the sounds; We focused on J, V, Qu, Ch

Coming back from the break we thought it would be a great opportunity to revise some of the last sounds we learned from last term. The children did well.

## Topic: Superhero's

The start of this term we will be focusing on Superhero's, but not the ones we normally see in films and comic books. We will discuss what it takes to be a superhero, how we can find superheroes in unlikely places and how we could be superheroes. We are teaching the children to believe in themselves, their abilities and what makes each of us unique.

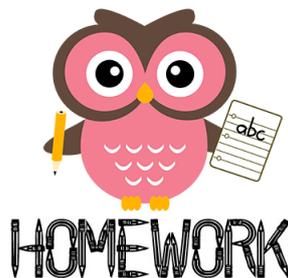


How you can help your child at home:

**Practice** the sounds of the week, Try blending the sounds they know into small words like jam, lick, hop, flip etc. If your child is ready ask them to put their words in a sentence.

**Practice** writing as much as you can.

**Practice** discussing your number bonds to 10. You can use any 10 objects and break them down into the numbers bonds: 1+9;2+8; 3+7; 4+6, 5+5



Things to remember:

- The new teaching team: The Reception is now led by Mrs. Johnson and supported by Miss Griffiths, Mrs Patel. Come by say hi and ask any of us your questions.
- Every Thursday children must bring in their PE kits. We are now officially changing for PE and the children will need the appropriate clothing. **Please make sure everything is properly labelled**
- Please send in any recycling bits you have at home for junk modeling.
- Please send your child in with a water bottle that is marked with their name. We do not have individual cups for them to drink water in class.
- We would like to start a work bench outside in the style of Forest School. If you have any old tools (hammers, nails, screwdrivers etc..) that you would like to donate to the school we would be forever grateful.

Thank you for your ongoing support.