



Weekly Learning Letter

Year One – Week Commencing 7th September

<p>This week in Year One...</p>	<p>To introduce our topic of 'We Are Heroes' the children received a letter from Super Semar who needed to recruit some new superheroes. The children had to find clues from around the classroom to find superhero capes. The children really enjoyed finding the capes around the classroom as well as outside.</p>
<p>Reminder</p>	<p>Remember we will have PE every Thursday so you will need to come into school in your kit.</p> <p>Could we please have any Collection Forms handed in to either Mrs Mercer or Miss Brown. We do have some spares should you need another one.</p>
<p>Maths</p>	<p>In Maths this week we have been looking at sorting and counting objects up to the value of 10. We have used many different resources to help us including counters, counting bears and images. We have also been representing given numbers using counters too.</p>
<p>English</p>	<p>In English this week we have been looking at labelling. We labelled a diagram of a superhero who was wearing boots, a belt, as well as a mask and cape. We have also been practising using full stops and capital letters in our writing. We have been writing sentences about what superpower we would have if we were a superhero. The children have come up with some fantastic ideas.</p>
<p>Phonics</p>	<p>This week we have been learning some new digraphs and trigraphs 'igh', 'oa', 'oo', 'er', and 'ur'.</p> <p>We have been practising reading these graphemes in words, as well as learning to write them in words and sentences too.</p>
<p>This week's spellings:</p>	<p>you, all, was, are, they</p> <p>If the children could practice reading and writing these words at home over the next week, this will help the children in their reading of books as well as their writing of sentences. You could write them using coloured pencils, pens, or even write the word and cut it up into each letter to rearrange it the right way.</p>

To support your child's learning at home this week you could...

Try to do some counting at home: How many pieces of fruit do you have? How many bananas are there? How many oranges are there? If you have a dice at home you might like to play a game using one and the children can tell you which number you have rolled on the dice.

*When reading with your child, encourage them to look for words with this week's digraphs e.g. **light**, **bright** etc.*

You might like to visit the library to find some superhero stories, some everyday heroes non-fiction books (firefighters, police officers, nurses, doctors etc). You may also find some books about superheroes on Bug Club. The children now have their logins in the front of their reading diaries.