

Year R Newsletter - Summer 1 - April 2021



Our topic this half-term is “**Look out, there’s a superhero about!**”

Literacy – We will be exploring a selection of Supertato and Traction Man stories and writing a description of Supertato. We will pick our favourite character and create a speech bubble, send a letter to a superhero and write descriptions of superheroes.

Mathematics – We will be working on understanding and counting with numbers beyond 10, doubling, halving, odd and evens and measures.

Understanding of the world – We will explore simple maps and create a map of a familiar route, Using a link to our stories, we will also explore where fruit and vegetables come from and take a look at toys from the past. We will also investigate what creates bubbles.

Art and design – the children will create their own Supertato and design an outfit and a box for Traction Man.

Physical Development – We will working on a continuation of fundamental movement skills and developing an understanding of a healthy lifestyle



Dates for your diary

May

Monday 3rd May

Bank Holiday (School Closed)

Monday 10th May

School Photographer – Class Photos

Tuesday 18th May

Outside learning day

Monday 31st May to Friday 4th June

Half-term (School Closed)

June

Monday 7th June

INSET Day (School Closed)

How you can help your child at home:

- Read on a regular basis, either school book or online through Bug Club, which is updated regularly, or Oxford Owl.
- Provide writing opportunities in their play or real situations e.g., writing shopping lists, story writing, writing letters to family members
- At the supermarket, explore new fruits and vegetables – can they find where they come from on a map of the world?



Outdoor Learning Day

Year R will be having an outdoor learning day on **Tuesday, 18th May**. Please can your child wear leggings/tracksuit trousers and trainers or wellies with a coat suitable for the weather. School sweatshirts/cardigans should be worn on top.



Water Bottle

Please ensure your child has a named water bottle in school every day

Library

Library day will be on a Wednesday.



PE Day

Wednesday PM (Outdoor) and Friday AM (Indoor)

