



Year 1 News Friday 24th April 2026

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Notice board:

Show and Tell Tuesdays:

Please can we remind you that this should be something related to our topic 'Superheroes' or an achievement. As always, Show and Tell is optional. If your child wishes to share, please rehearse a few sentences with your child ahead of time to help them feel confident. If your child feels too nervous to stand in front of the class, you may wish to record a video of them sharing at home and send to us. 😊

~~21st April~~ - Tiddlers

28th April - Zog

5th May Highway Rats

12th May - Gruffalo

19th Stickman

Keyrings: Please could we ask that children have only one or two small keyrings on their book bags? This allows us to store the bags more easily and helps prevent keyrings from getting lost.

Useful websites:

www.purplemash.co.uk

www.numbots.co.uk

<https://trockstars.com>

MATHS

In Maths, the children will continue exploring multiplication and how we can use our previous knowledge to help us solve word problems. They will have the opportunity to solve these problems through building and drawing arrays. The children will continue to use the language associated with multiplication.

English/Topic

In English, we will continue with our RWI sessions.

In topic the children will be making their own superhero models using clay and begin to learn about Helen Keller and her life achievements.

The children will also be rehearsing our poem for this half term and adding some actions to support this.

Home Learning

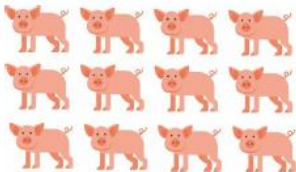
Talk Task: Please can you talk to your children about what superpowers they would have if they were a superhero? They could tell you about how they would save the day and an act of kindness that made them super!

Maths Task:

The pigs could be shared equally between 2 fields.

True or False?

Prove it.



Reading Task: Please ensure you read with your child every night and record this in their reading record.

Here are the links to the RWI special friend 'oo', 'u-e' and word challenge 16.

You can increase the speed of the video by clicking the settings cog -> speed -> 1.25

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