

P3 Class News

April/May

2024

# Literacy

Our main focus this half term is narrative writing where we will look at writing our own stories. We will be looking at lots of different types of stories, structures, characters, and settings. We will be using lots of adjectives and even some speech. There will be an extra focus as always on full stops, capital letters and handwriting.

**Phonics**

We will continue to focus on a sound a week and have our daily phonics sessions. Pleacontinue to support your child at home.

# Topic Work

This half term we will be transformed into superheroes. We will be focusing on the different types of heroes, villains, and superpowers. We will be creating our own heroes and heroines, discussing what makes a good character and looking at how we can help people we know. We will also be focusing on people who help us and local heroes within our community.

# Numeracy

This half term we will be focusing on measure, especially weight and capacity and looking at the language of heavy/light. We will also be revisiting our number bonds to 10 and 20 as these are the most important. We may even begin to explore numbers after 100.

Please ensure your child is forming numbers the correct way. You can work with them at home regarding their number bonds in both addition and subtraction.

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**How can you help?**

**Here are some home learning ideas.**

As always, reading is the most important thing you can do with your child. They only need 10 minutes a day and this will maximize learning potential. If you do not already, please remember to sign their reading record books.

Practice quick recall of number facts at home, particularly different ways to make 10 and 20. Keep allowing them to practice reading the time and given them opportunities to measure objects and use money.

Talk to your child about some of your superheroes. Also if you have any superhero dressing up clothes we could borrow, please send them in named.

**Other Information**

Please check your child’s schoolbag each night for homework/ notes.

Please ensure your child has a pair of P.E shoes in school. Our P.E days are Monday and Wednesday. As we are entering the nicer weather, we will begin to wear our school PE kits if you haven’t got a school P.E please kit send in a pair of leggings/shorts and a PE

Bag

We will be going to Salto on Thursday 18th April for 5 weeks please let me know if your child can attend and send in your £4 at the beginning of the week. Also send your child dressed in their school P.E kit or leggings/shorts and a t-shirt.

Thankyou for all you support and friendship so far this year.

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