

**Year 1 – IM PE days –  
Tuesday and Thursday**

# The Incredibles

*Topic. We will be covering...*

In Year 1 the children will be focusing on the topic 'The Incredibles', looking at superheroes, historical heroes and people who help us.

For our topic we will be investigating different materials and their properties.

In art and design we will be making and sculpting superheroes as well as making superfoods and masks. During the topic we will be recognising good and bad choices, keeping safe and making a positive contribution.

**Please ensure that:**

**Your child has their PE kit in school** – it is important for children to take part in PE for 2 hours every week. If they do not have their PE kit then your child will receive a letter asking you to provide them with suitable clothing.

**Your child reads at home daily** – please keep up with the reading at home as it will help develop imagination for writing, underpin phonics and help with spelling. Reading regularly at home supports children with their writing as well.

Thank you for your support and we hope to have a great term with you all.

## Unlocking the learning

**Unlocking the learning at home** - It is really important that children have the opportunity to use what they learn in school at home.

**Get reading** – Read different stories or comics about superheroes to talk about with your friends.

**Get active** – Make up your own superhero and act out saving the day!

**Get creating** – Make a costume for your superhero either by designing it or creating out of different materials.

## *Maths. We will be covering...*

In Year 1 this half term we will be counting and using numbers to 100. We will be counting in multiples of twos to 50 and tens to 100, finding 1 more and 1 less of a number as well as recognising odd and even numbers.

The children will be securing their knowledge of number bonds to 10. They will also be using mathematical symbols such as +, - and = more confidently.

We will begin to measure using standard units of measurement and equipment e.g. lengths and heights with rulers, metre sticks, weight with scales and capacity with measuring jugs. The children will also be able to recognise the value of different denominations of coins and notes.



## *English. We will be covering...*

During English this half term we will begin to write for different purposes such as stories, personal experiences, real events and poetry. We will be starting to write in draft to record ideas, key words and new vocabulary before writing for a purpose.

We will be encouraging the children to read out loud to adults and peers to share their work and ideas with the class. The children will also be encouraged to re-read books to build up their fluency and confidence. Year 1 will be working on recognising characters of key stories and understanding the importance of the title and events within a book.

For reading and writing we will be looking at word endings s, es, ing, ed, er and est.