

Year 2 English Week 5



Superheroes!

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Learning overview:

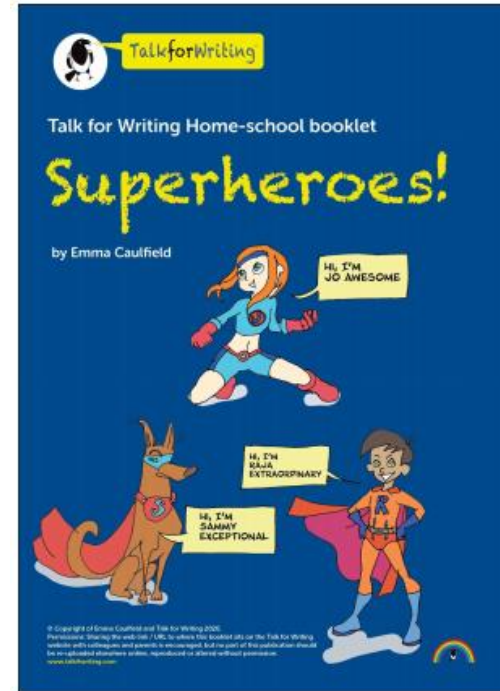
- Day 1- To read for meaning and answer questions in complete sentences.
- Day 2- To match words to their definition.
- Day 3- To create my own superhero.
- Day 4- To write a superhero poem.
- Day 5- To create a superhero pet and write a fact file about my pet.

Day 1

- *To read for meaning and answer questions in complete sentences.*

Day 1

Jo, Raja & Sammy have helped lots of people. Lets read their story.



Go to page 4 & 5 of booklet to read the story or listen to the audio

<https://soundcloud.com/talkforwriting/playground/s-UJObMpzwKu>

Day 1

Super reading challenge!

Can you answer these questions about the story in complete sentences? (Don't forget to read the story again to help you.)

1. What is special about Jo, Raja and Sammy?
2. The story talks about Raja's family. Who is in her family?
3. Describe what you think Jo's house is like.
4. A park is the setting for the story. Can you describe this setting?
5. How do you think the crowd at the bottom of the climbing frame felt when the child had been rescued?
6. Would you like to be a superhero? Why?



Day 2

*To match words to their
definition.*

Day 2

Read each sentence and think about what the words in **bold** mean.

1. It was an **ordinary** day.
2. Jo was on her own in the backyard, kicking a football into the **makeshift** goal.
3. She'd been **occupying** her brothers and sisters.
4. Sammy, in the meantime, slept **soundly** in his basket.
5. His droopy eyelids **flickered**.
6. Groups of teenagers were **gathering**.
7. Joggers **sprinted** along the paths.
8. She dashed towards the park, **activating** her super-booster.
9. A small, **sniveling** child was dangling from the top of the climbing frame.

Day 2

Now match each word to their correct meaning (don't forget to find it in the sentences above if you're not sure what it means)

ordinary	ran as fast as they could
makeshift	if you sleep soundly you sleep deeply and don't wake up
occupying	made small, quick movements
soundly	doesn't last long, made because nothing else is available
flickered	sniff and cry because you are upset
gathering	not special or interesting
sprinted	keeping someone busy
activating	meeting, coming together
snivelling	making something start to work



Day 2

Now that you have matched the definitions, lets read the story again and add our response to these headings.

What I liked about the story:

Questions I have about the story:

What I didn't like about the story:

Use a conjunction "because" to add more detail to your response.

Day 3

- To create my own superhero

Day 3

Creative challenge.



Can you make up a superhero name for yourself?

1. Write your first superhero name here (you could shorten your own name or make up a new superhero name):
2. Choose an adjective from the list on the next slide or think of your own and write it here:

Creative challenge.

Superhero adjectives

astonishing

magnificent

superior

excellent

marvellous

supreme

fantastic

remarkable

wonderful

impressive

superb

wondrous

Jo Awesome

Raja Extraordinary

Sammy Exceptional

3. Write your superhero name!

4. Now think about your superpower. What are you really good at?

Read the ideas below to help you. Write it here:

Superpowers

sport

playing games

giving hugs

art

general knowledge

making people laugh

music

science

being kind

singing

nature

looking after a pet

lego

cooking

helping

making things

eating fruit & veg

problem solving

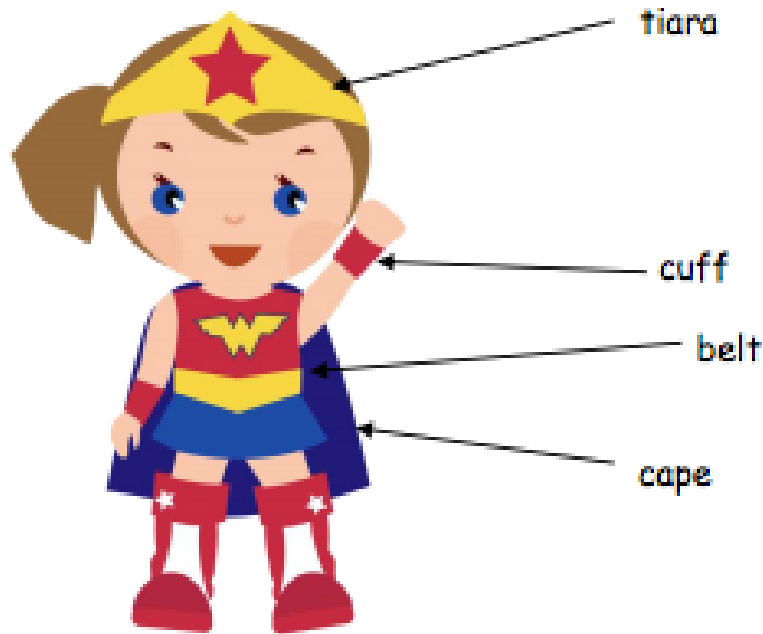
taking photographs

caring for people

recycling

Draw your own superhero symbol!

Did you know that most superheroes have capes and some have belts, cuffs and even crowns or hats?



<http://clipart-library.com/>

They also have special symbols (shapes) that decorate their clothing and show who they are.

Day 3

Draw your own superhero symbol!

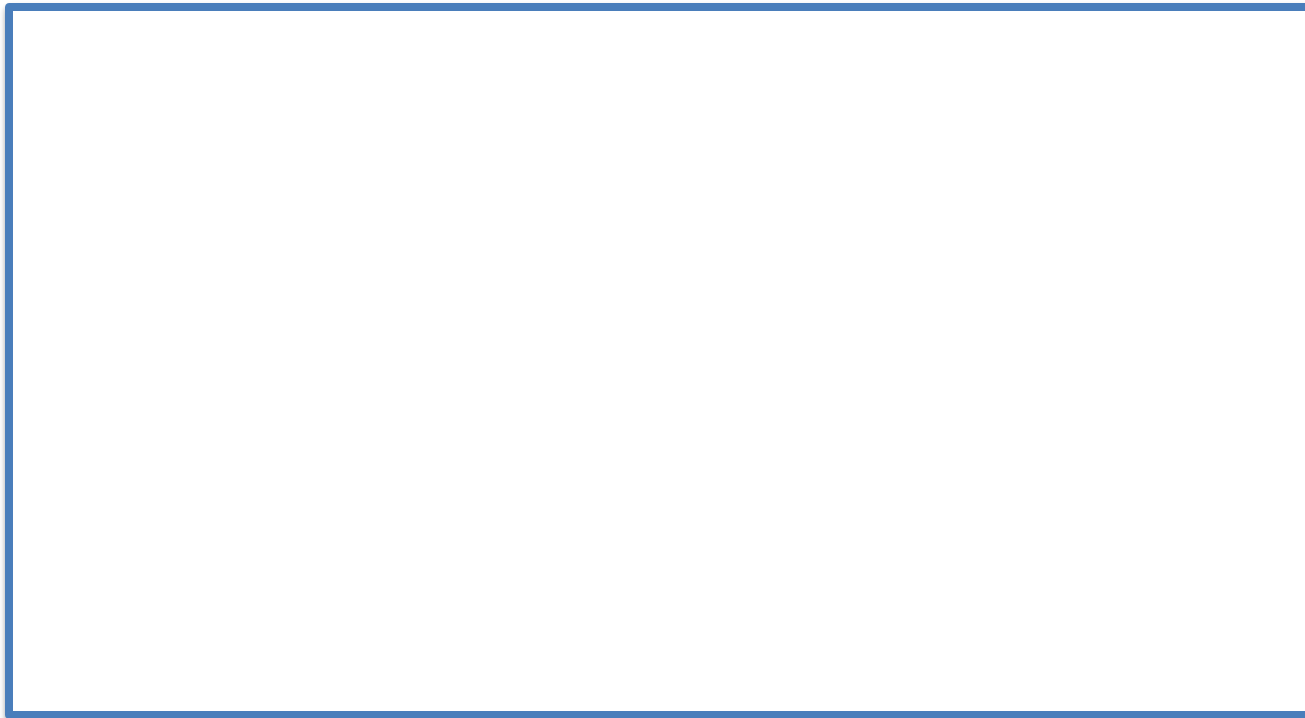
Let's look at some examples.
Tick the ones you know



Day 3

Draw your own superhero
symbol!

Now it's your turn to design and
create your own!



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Day 3

Can you write a description about your symbol?

What is the shape?
What does it represent?
Can it do anything spectacular?!








ALL ARE WELCOME

STAYS WITH A STORY

Handwriting practice lines.

English Targets



- ABC** Capital Letters
- Full Stops
-  My work makes sense
-  Finger Spaces
- a e i o Letters are the same size
-  Using exciting adjectives
- &** Use connectives
-  Use better words than "said".

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Day 4

- To write a superhero poem

Day 4

Superhero poem



My superpower is listening. We are going to play with words and come up with a funny list poem about what I might hear.

Lets think of some nouns (objects, people, places,) to use in our poem

pig

trees

giant

Can you think of any more?

Lets think of some verbs to use in our poem.

talking

whispering

slurping

Can you think of any more?

Lets brainstorm a range of different settings.

rainbow land

castle

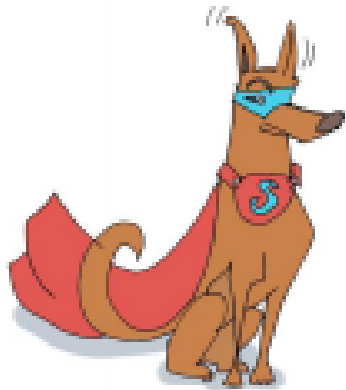
sky

Can you think of any more?



Day 4

Superhero poem



My superpower is listening. We are going to play with words and come up with a funny list poem about what I might hear.

With my special ears,
I heard a **giant** **whispering**
in his **castle in the sky**.

With my special ears,
I heard the **oak trees**
talking
in a **faraway forest**.

Noun (people
object, places)

Verb (action)

Setting (place)

Day 4

My Superhero Poem

With my special ears,

I heard a _____,

in _____

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With my special ears,

I heard the _____,

in _____

Day 5

- *To create a superhero pet and write a fact file about my pet.*

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Extend the sentence using the conjunction 'if'.



We will play
football today...



I will share some
delicious pancakes...



Let's get creative!

★Your final challenge is to come up with a superhero pet like Sammy Exceptional. Have a think and, when you're ready, do these activities:

1. Draw and label your superhero pet
2. Come up with a superhero name for your pet.

3. Complete this fact file about your superhero pet:

SUPERHERO PET NAME	FACT FILE	
SUPERPOWER	◆	
HOW IT HELPS PEOPLE	◆	
SPECIAL CLOTHING	◆	
FAVOURITE SUPERFOOD	◆	
FASCINATING FACT	◆	