

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to this term's Takeaway Homework! This term our topic is "Heroes and Villains"

Each week your child should:

- **Read for at least 10 minutes each night (please sign their reading record book each time)**
  - **Practise their times tables for at least 5 minutes each night (this could be online using Times Table Rockstars)**
  - **Spend at least 5 minutes practising their spelling words in their spelling books.**
  - Select at least one activity from the attached sheet (they should attempt at least 1 Extra Hot challenge each half term)
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- Please try to encourage your child to complete all of the above things each week. If it is recorded in their Homework Diary they will receive a team point for each completed activity.

There is a SPECIAL CHALLENGE hidden in the Takeaway Homework this term. If your child completes it fully they may get a SPECIAL SURPRISE!!!

Have fun!

Mr and Mrs Hutt

# Spring Term A

## Lower Key Stage 2

### Take Away Homework!

**Choose your homework from the menu below:**

The Peri-ometer suggests the difficulty or challenge the homework may offer. Every term you should attempt **at least one 'EXTRA HOT'** task!



#### Library Visit:

Take a visit to your local library. Use contents and index pages to find information on heroes and villains from the past and present. Create a hanging mobile to display the information you have found

#### Community Help:

Each week do something for someone else: wash a neighbour's car, do some gardening for an elderly relative, spend some time with a lonely person. **DO NOT** do it for reward! Keep a diary of what you do

#### Newspaper article:

Imagine you have performed a heroic act. Your name and picture have appeared in the local and national newspaper. What heroic act did you perform? What happened and who was involved? Tell the story of your heroic deed in the form of a recount or newspaper report. Remember to include the typical features of this type of writing

#### Clippings Board:

Collect stories from newspapers or magazines about everyday heroes and make a clippings board. Heroic acts might include saving people or animals from danger, fighting fires or donating an organ to save another person.

#### Top Trumps:

Make Top Trumps cards for villains and heroes on children's stories. Include the name, picture and a short description on each card. Don't forget to include information on the characters' strengths, weaknesses, intelligence and any other traits you think applicable.

#### Hero Recipe

Write a set of instructions or a recipe that explains how to be or what makes a hero. Use your knowledge of heroes past and present to inform your writing.

#### Collage Portrait:

Make a collage portrait of a villainous character. Remember to use a range of materials.

#### Helping Hands:

Make a list of five things you and your friends could do to improve the school environment. Write your ideas on helping hands and decorate them beautifully. The finished hands will be displayed around school.

#### Hero Fact-File

Create a fact file about a real life hero (past or present) that you find interesting

#### Pay It Forward:

Do a kind act for your family and ask them to Pay it Forward. Keep a record

#### Hero Drawing:

Sketch a portrait of your hero from photographs or images. You could use watercolours to bring your sketch to life.

#### Fairy Tale Villains:

How many villains from Fairy Tales can you think of? What do they all have in common?