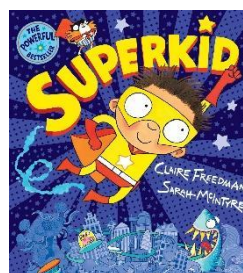
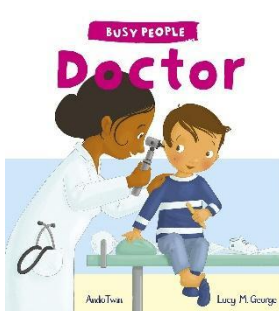
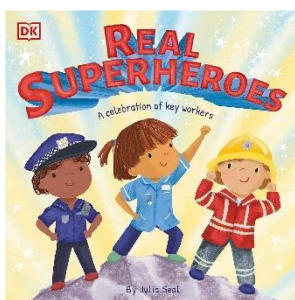


Hello!

We can't believe we only have 7 weeks left in Reception! The last half term was certainly a busy one with some very exciting highlights. The children really enjoyed learning about all things 'Under the sea' they retold stories and learnt some amazing facts. The children also dug deeper into how we can look after our oceans and this led to a wider discussion about looking after our local area. The children became very passionate and produced some amazing posters to remind people to pick up litter and put it in the bin!

This half term our theme will be **'Superheroes'** and we will be asking the question – *Do all heroes wear capes?* This will lead us to look at the heroes that help us such as Doctors, Police, Vets and many others.

We will be reading different stories from the busy people series, Real Superheroes and Superkid .



### Reading & Phonics:

The children will continue to vote for their choice of story at the end of the day, we will look at the books together discussing and making predictions about the story based on its title and front cover.

The children continue to follow the Read, Write, Inc scheme. As well as learning some new sounds, they will recap the sounds they have already learnt to become confident when blending them together to read words, captions, and sentences.

### Maths:

This half term we will be consolidating what we have already learnt this year, making sure the children are confident to count reliably with numbers from one to 20, place them in order and say which number is one more or one less than a given number. Using quantities and objects, they will add and subtract two single-digit numbers and count on or back to find the answer. They will also recap solving problems, including doubling, halving and sharing.



At Little London we use Tapestry and Class Dojo to share your child's learning with you. We post some helpful videos and messages that will support your child with their learning at home. Don't forget to 'like' the posts we share with you to help us see you have read it!



Now that the weather is improving, please could the children bring a hat and water bottle to school. Please remember to label your child's clothing, we want to make sure that uniform stays with the right people.



If you have any questions at all, please don't hesitate to talk to us at the end of the day or get in touch on ClassDojo messenger.

**We are so proud of the children and are excited to see them flourish in this final term in Reception, they are becoming confident and independent children, you should all feel proud of them too!**

Many thanks,

The Reception Team

**Important Dates:**

The final day of school this academic year is Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> July. Children will be expected to attend up to and including this date.



Sports Day-Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> July

**Things you can do to help:**

We hope you have enjoyed reading with your child at home. Please make sure that your child brings their books and reading record to school each day and remember to read with them each day for around 10 minutes and sign their reading record.