



## Wrens EYFS Class

### 2025 Spring Term 1

Love, courage, wisdom



#### Key Themes

Our intended themes for this half term include: Heroes and winter, we will also celebrate the Lunar New Year on Jan 29<sup>th</sup> and participate in Big Garden Bird Watch (24<sup>th</sup>-26<sup>th</sup> January)

N.B. These themes may change and develop as the children show their enjoyment and interests.

#### Communication and Language

This half term we will be exploring new language related to heroes such as, **hero, help, brave, courage, selfless, thoughtful, villain, safe.**

##### **Ways you can support at home:**

Use the vocabulary at home. Talk about ways everyday people are thoughtful or selfless and help others. Look for ways to help each other at home, within your family or community. Can you visit a care home or go on a litter pick?

#### Mathematics

We will be exploring composition of numbers beyond ten including number bonds, doubles and halves. We will be looking at length and height as we solve superhero problems and begin to think about time through our daily routine such as start of school, lunchtime, home time etc.

##### **Ways you can support at home:**

Talk about maths as part of your daily routine e.g. we need 4 forks and 4 knives for the table, how many bits of cutlery do we need altogether?

#### Personal, Social and Emotional Development

This half term we will be thinking about how we can be heroes and help others. We will explore the school values and how we can demonstrate them in our actions towards others. We will be exploring keeping ourselves safe through our SCARF curriculum.

##### **Ways you can support at home:**

Talk about being safe at home, such as not touching the oven, medicine only being given by a grown up etc. Look at toys and talk about why they are safe/not safe for a baby or older child.

#### Literacy

This half term we will be looking at stories that contain heroes such as Supertato and also exploring everyday heroes through non-fiction texts. We will begin to do mini me challenges to encourage independent writing and celebrating it on our Wow Wall!

##### **Ways you can support at home:**

Continue supporting fine motor skills whenever you can. Read other books about different types of heroes. We will be meeting a local PCSO. **We would also love a dentist/dental nurse visit if anybody knows anybody please let Miss L know.**

#### Physical Development

##### **Gross Motor**

We will be practising our ball skills and improving our co-ordination. P.E is Thursday mornings.

##### **Fine Motor**

This half term we be really focussing on handwriting and letter formation. You will begin to get some handwriting homework to practise each week.

#### Understanding of the World

We will be looking at everyday heroes through history. We will be exploring special people and places in our local area and why they are special. Our role play may be a vets, dentist or doctor's surgery. We will spend time thinking about the season and how and why ice melts.

#### Expressive Arts and Design

We will be exploring the different sorts of marks we can make through line drawings with a particular focus on circles and diagonal lines.

#### R.E.

'What can we learn from stories?'