



**Year 2 Newsletter Autumn 2  
2017**

**Topic: Myths, Legends and Superheroes**  
Here is an outline of some of the learning activities for the year 2 classes this half term.

**Computing**

During this half term, we will be using technology to record sound, create art and construct mind maps.



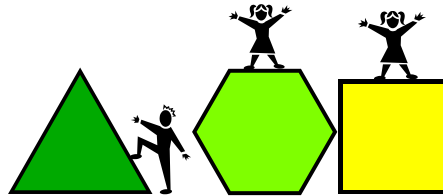
**Phonics**



How well can your child identify their phonics sounds in their reading books? Ask them to identify the sounds they know. Use a phonics mat to help practice the sounds.

**Maths**

Take every opportunity to read, write, order numbers and count accurately.



We will be looking at multiplication and division; as well as measurement. We will be comparing and ordering length and mass and estimating and measuring heights and distance.

**Reading**



Please continue to support your child by hearing them read daily and sharing your own favourite stories with them. We will be looking at comic strips, non-fiction books and poetry. Try your local library for new books to share. Can your child reach another level in the reading challenge?

**Science**

We will be starting our new topic on materials. This half term we will be focusing on waterproof materials, absorbency and wax resistance.



**Writing**

Help your child become an enthusiastic writer!  
Put pencil to paper by:

Writing a recount of a recent trip or activity or by writing a story or comic strip of their own using a superhero.



**Exciting News**

Christmas Fair – Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December  
Christmas Performance – Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December

