

**Heyhouses Reception Newsletter** 

# Spring Term 2 Week 3



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## <u>This Week</u>

This week we have started to think about real life heroes such as doctors and nurses, fire-fighters and police officers. The children have really enjoyed dressing up and acting out emergency scenarios. We were lucky enough to be visited by some real-life heroes; a Firefighter, a neo-natal nurse and an occupational Therapist. Everyone was so excited to hear about how they help to keep people safe and what equipment they use. A big THANK YOU to Hudson's Dad, Greyson's Mum and Emilia's Mum for being amazing heroes and for inspiring the children.

The girls were invited to take part in a Girls Football session to encourage more girls to take up the sport. Photos of this will be on Evidence Me as well as on The School Website.

#### Phonics

We have noticed a few more parents logging on to the e-books this week. We think the children will really enjoy sharing these books with you as well as their home reading books. Please remember to ask your child questions about the story or about any information they may have learned after sharing a book together.

#### <u>Maths</u>

#### **Focus: composition**

This week the children have consolidated their understanding of the composition of numbers by investigating the numbers within 7.

Home Challenge: Make a set of 7 objects. Hide some behind your back and ask your child to tell you how many you have taken. How do they know?

Sing '7 Little ducks went swimming One Day'. Use fingers to show how many ducks left each time.

### Home Challenge

We are challenging the children to make a model of a Superhero vehicle. Please discuss this with your child and encourage them to record their ideas on the sheet provided. They can make their model at home or you can send in any recycled materials or resources you have for them to use to make their model vehicle in class.

You can send them in any time before the last week of Term (Monday 27<sup>th</sup> March) so we can present certificates to those who make one and we can display the vehicles in class.

Thank you to those of you who sent in Fair Trade packaging in support of Fair Trade Fortnight. It's not too late if you spot anything when shopping this weekend.

