

English:

This term we are going to be reading the texts, Traction Man and Super Worm and using these to inspire our writing. We will look at how to write a sentence remembering to include a **capital letter**, **finger spaces** and a **full stop**. We will also continue to learn our Monster Phonics sounds and we will also be learning a new set of spellings each week.

PHSCE/Jigsaw:

First, we will make our class **rules**. Then we will be learning about how we are all special and how to celebrate each other's **similarities** and **differences**. The children will also explore what it means to be a good **friend** and why it is important.

Physical Education:

During the first half term, our PE units will include gymnastics and **team building**. In Autumn two, we will move onto dance and **attack** and **defence** games.

Religious Education:

We will be learning about religious rites of passage and life journeys. In **Hinduism**, we will explore **belonging** - what it means and why it matters and in **Christianity**, we will be exploring how they **celebrate birth**.

Computing:

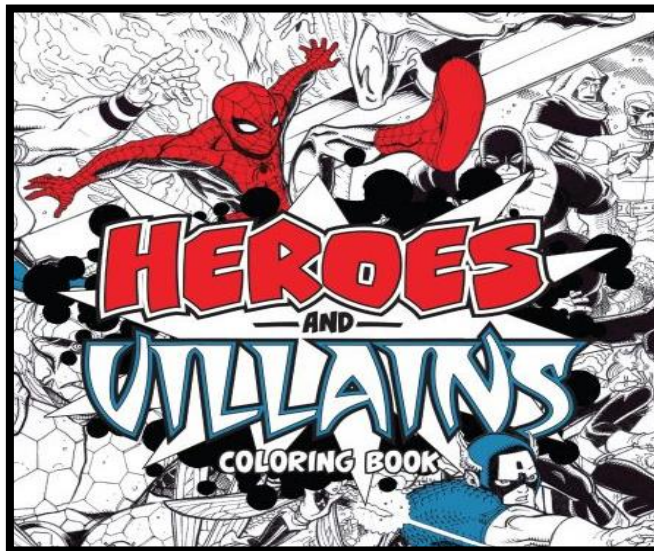
We will be learning how to use the different parts of the computer (**hardware**) effectively and how to build an **algorithm**.

Y1/2 Hera Class Autumn Term 2023



Important Information:
PE will be on a **Tuesday and Thursday**

Reading books and records will be collected in on a **Thursday**. If your child has finished their book they are also welcome to bring them any other day to be changed.



Mathematics:

Y1: We will be learning the **place value** of numbers to 20 and exploring how many **tens** and **ones** they contain. Next we will learn how to **add and subtract** numbers within 10. We will also learn to recognise and name **2D and 3D shapes**.

Y2: We will be learning the **place value** of numbers to 100 and exploring how many **tens** and **ones** they contain. Next we will **add and subtract** numbers beginning with one -digit and progressing to using two, two-digit numbers. We will also be learning the 10, 2 and 5 times tables.

History:

We will be studying **significant individuals**: heroes and villains from the past: Florence Nightingale, Mary Seacole and Guy Fawkes. We will also be researching toys and comparing **past** and **present** toys to see how our world has changed over time.

Science:

We will begin our science learning by looking at animals including humans. We will be learning how we can be our best 'super-selves' by finding out how we keep **active**, **fit** and **healthy**.

Design Technology and Art:

We will be making superhero puppets and creating superhero pictures using **sliding mechanisms** and **sculpture** techniques.

Music:

We will be creating musical **melodies** and singing so that we can perform with others. We will explore **pitch** and **tempo** and create a musical intro for a hero or a villain.