Curriculum Information for Parents and Carers in Year 1

Dear Parents/ Carers,



Subject and Content	Ways you can help your child
English: Week 2-3 - We will be writing labels and descriptions of our own superheroes Week 4 - Superhero Riddles Week 5 - Superhero Poetry Week 6 - Instructions Week 7 - descriptive writing linked to Autumn	 Read stories with and to your child and talk about the characters, events and where the story takes place. Make up stories together (no need to write these) using ideas from stories you have shared together. Make something together and write your own set of instructions
 Maths: We will be focusing on the following objectives. Count, read and write numbers to 100 Find 1 more or less than a given number Use language related to length and height Know and order the days of the week Number bonds to 10 	Make maths fun, playing board games together as a family is a great way to practise counting. Try these sites for some interactive games. http://www.mathplayground.com/ index addition subtraction.html http://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/5-7-years/counting Ask your child to teach you the 'Days of the Week' song.
Sculpture Week: In Year 1 the last week of half term is Sculpture week. Children will be looking at the work of famous artists and creating their own sculpture depicting their superhero in a pose of their choice.	Topic: Our main topic for this half term is Superheroes and links well with our work in English. Children will: - Investigate their 5 senses - Use science skills to investigate different materials We will also have a mini topic looking at the season of Autumn and will complete work in English linked to this.
R.E Children will be introduced to the Christian Bible to help them understand why it is spe- cial to Christians and how they treat it with respect.	P.E. We will be playing team games that focus on throwing and defensive skills.

We hope this letter will help you support your child's learning. Please feel free to talk to the Class Teacher about any area of this curriculum.