

What to do today

IMPORTANT! Parent or Carer – Read this page with your child and check that you are happy with what they have to do and with any weblinks or use of the Internet required.

1. Story time

- Re-read *Superheroes – All Sorts*.

2. Answering questions about a story

Look at the page of *Seven Super Questions*.

- Read the first question carefully and say what you think the answer is.
- Now go on and answer the rest of the questions.
- Use the *Superhero Reading Strategies* to help you read any words that are new or tricky.
- If *you* are a superhero, write all or some of your answers using your very best handwriting.

3. Extending sentences with *because*

Of all the superheroes in *Superheroes – All Sorts*, which do you think is the best?

- On *My All Sorts Top Star*, draw the ‘best’ superhero from the story and write a sentence saying why you have chosen them.
- Use the word *because* to explain your choice. *I think the plumber superhero is the best because he can stop floods and help people.*
- Use *Batman’s Guide to Spelling Because* to help your spelling.
- Set yourself a super challenge: how many sentences about your best superhero from the story can you write?

Now try this Fun-Time Extra

- Go to <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ntugTuc6HxM> Listen to the song, *Search for the Hero*. Learn the chorus to the song off by heart.

Seven Super Questions



1. Which superhero in the story wears a red skirt and has yellow legs?

2. Which superhero is the opposite of the fat superhero?

3. Write two other pairs of opposites used in the story.

_____ and _____

_____ and _____

4. Name two places where we are told that there are superheroes.

_____ and _____

5. What is a plumber?

6. What does it mean when it says that superheroes '*come in all shapes and sizes*'?

7. Look at the superhero who is described in the story as 'short'. What sort of 'superheroic' things might the short superhero get up to?

Superhero Reading Strategies



- Look at the pictures to help.
- Try to sound out the word using the sounds you know.
- Look at the beginning letters.
- Look at the ending of the word.
- Look for a smaller word within the word.
- Skip the word and read through to the end of the sentence.
- Try to have a guess at the word. Does your word make sense in the sentence?
- Use the other words around to get the context of the word.
- Go back and re-read the word and the sentence.
- Look the word up in a dictionary.
- Ask a friend or an adult for help.

My All Sorts Top Star



Batman's Guide to Spelling Because



because

big elephants can always understand small elephants

Search for the Hero

by M People



Chorus Lyrics

*You've got to search for the hero inside yourself
Search for the secrets you hide
Search for the hero inside yourself
Until you find the key to your life!*

This is a picture of Superhero Me!

