

Hello to all of our home learners!! We hope you are well, happy and ready to work! Just to let you know you will be doing the same work as those children in school. Each week there is a theme...

This week's theme is:

Do all Heroes Wear a Cape?



Monday 22nd June 2020

What does that mean?

hero - noun a person who is admired for their courage, outstanding achievements, or noble qualities. "a war hero"

Who's a hero in your eyes? Why?

This week we are going to focus on heroes. That could be anyone you personally think is a hero. You can talk about them and then we will talk about others, for example Katherine Johnson.

Why are these two people seen as heroes? Marcus: Marcus:

Marcus Rashford



Sir Tom Moore



<https://www.bbc.co.uk/sport/football/53055256>

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-england-beds-bucks-herts-52735192>

Have you seen the below images? Why is Vogue featuring these people on their front cover?



In your work books...

The definition of a hero is:

Someone I think is a hero is...because...

Marcus Rashford has recently.... Many people would view him as a hero because...

Sir Tom Moore.... People look to him as a hero because...

I think Vogue magazine has chosen to feature these 'normal people' on their front cover

Tuesday 23rd June 2020

Today, we are going to choose three people to research. You will need some facts about them but remember we are explaining why we think they're a hero, so what information will not be relevant?

Write down five things that won't be relevant in your books under today's date.

Here are a range of heroes...choose three to research...

The NHS



<https://www.nhsprofessionals.nhs.uk/en/rapid-response/Rapid-Response/Our-NHS-Heroes/Emily---Story>

Sir Tom Moore



Nelson Mandela

<http://historysheroes.e2bn.org/yourheroes/view/10845>



Marcus Rashford



Greta Thunberg

<https://aquavida.com/blogs/blog/who-is-greta-besides-our-new-hero>



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LO: Research and Plan

Use sub-heading and bullet points and remember to summarise longer passages - filter out what is the most exciting information and write that down in your own words!!!



Wednesday 24th June 2020

Today we are going to start writing, you are going to write an introduction and about ~~two people~~ you researched.

What SC could we aim for? Let's show off all we have learnt.

What lends itself to this genre?

Here's my introduction, what do you like about it? How does it capture the audience? What can be improved?

Do All Heroes Wear a Cape?

Life isn't a movie you know. No one is running around saving the world single-handedly. That's just not how it works! Every day, normal people like me and you help, support and guide others in the right direction. They stand up and make their voice heard, they make sure things are done correctly and are fair. So if you think all heroes wear a cape you are sorely mistaken. Read on to find out why.

Here's the beginning of my section on Marcus...I have written him a short introduction and then I would need to convince people he's a hero!

Marcus Rashford

Growing up, Marcus and his family didn't have much money. It didn't hold him back though - he's a successful professional football player. He plays for the famous Manchester United and even represents England. Recently, he has opened up about how his single mother struggled to feed him and his brothers.



Using my examples to guide you (not copy) write your introduction and about two people you researched. Remember to use a range of SPAG and the purpose of your writing is to convince your reader not all heroes wear a cape!

Thursday 25th June 2020

Today we are going to write about one other person we researched and then our own personal hero.

Here's the beginning of my section on Greta...what do you think?

Great Thunberg

One of the only good things to come out of lock down was the fact the Earth has time to heal. Pollution went down and the air was clean and fresh for once. This is what Greta wants all of the time. She campaigns tirelessly to raise awareness for Climate Change. The teenage Swedish climate activist told governments that "you are still not mature enough to tell it like it is. You are failing us. But the young people are starting to understand your betrayal." She wants the young people to take control of their future and make a change. For good!

The last section is your personal hero, here's mine...

My sister

My sister is a hero. She is a mother of three, teacher (to those tiny reception children that cannot tie up their own shoes) and my best friend. If I am ever upset, she is the first person I call. She will make me laugh, help me out and listen to me moan! She also bakes the best cakes and braids my hair but those are just added bonuses. She is kind, caring, funny, clever and if everyone was like her the world would be a better place.



Here's a little finishing statement to really get my reader thinking...

So, do you think all heroes wear a cape? If you do, read my work again. None of these amazing individuals have a cape...but they should do!

Using my examples to guide you (not copy) write about your researched person and personal hero. Remember to use a range of SPAG and the purpose of your writing is to convince your reader not all heroes wear a cape!

Friday 26th June 2020

Okay, please take ten minutes to read through your work. Editing is all on you now. Use your iPad to check spellings and use a thesaurus.

LO: Perform

SC: I can use tone and expression.

I can use a range of pitch and pace as I speak.

I can engage my listeners by using eye contact and gestures.

Practise reading aloud. Once you're ready gather your family and read your work to them.