<u>Communication and Language</u> We will be focusing on the children's listening and attention during our carpet sessions and their understanding of given tasks. We will be observing their communication and language closely as they play to learn with peers and adults in the classroom. - Please see the Communication, Language and Literacy video (if you haven't already) on our Class 1 Page for top tips to support communication and language at home.

<u>Physical Development</u> We will be focussing on developing the children's fine motor skills daily as well as their core strength. Our PE sessions will be focussing on developing their gross motor skills through a Superhero theme.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development.

We will be focusing on settling the children back into our routines after the lockdown period. We will be exploring some of our core values at Cadmore End School. We will discuss strengths and weaknesses and how we overcome challenges. Our topic will also involve the big question 'What do you want to be when you grow up?'

Literacy

We will be exploring fiction stories based on fictional superheroes before looking at nonfiction texts all about real life superheroes such a doctors, firefighters and police officers to name but a few! We will be assessing the children's phonics upon their return before recapping and moving through their next phase of their phonics journey in small groups. Blending and segmenting CVC words will be a big focus. -Please see the Communication, Language and Literacy video (if you haven't already) on our Class 1 Page for top tips to support with phonics at home.

Our Spring 2 Topic is: Superheroes and People Who Help Us.





Mathematics

We will be focussing on the children's number recognition and number formation as well as their shape, space and measure understanding.

Understanding the World

Each week we will focusing on a different profession (people who help us.) We will explore their special talents and the particular skills needed to do their job and how they help us.

Expressive Arts and Design

Our role play corner has been transformed into a police station for this half term packed full of opportunities for the children dress up as 'people who help us', engage in role play with their peers and be imaginative with their play. We will be focussing on

experimentation with different colour, textures and will be manipulating materials in different ways.