

What to do Writing

Our focus today is writing.

1. Discuss a book.

Read [Superheroes – All sorts](#) up to the 'BUT'. Can your child predict/remember how the book ends? Then read the final page together.

2. Write about an everyday superpower.

- Remind your child that the superheroes in the book are not the type that have the super strength to lift up a building or who can put out a forest fire with icy blasts from their fingertips. They are *everyday* superheroes. What sort of superhero might your child be? Talk about their ideas, encouraging them to think about everyday powers (*being kind/helpful, thinking up good games, etc.*) and how these are helpful.
 - Build sentences verbally about the superpowers, e.g. *I am gentle when I play with my baby brother. or I brush my dog so she does not get matted.*
 - When you have built a sentence verbally, write each word, sounding out the letters, together on [My Superpower!](#) below.
 - For more confident writers, try making the sentence a bit longer using 'when' 'because' or 'so'.

Try these Fun-Time Extras

- Have fun, creating a superhero photo (see below). You can write a story together about the picture you make.

My Superpower!

when

because

so

Superhero Photos



Resources:

- Blue sheet, carpet or fabric
- White paper, card or recycling materials to make clouds, buildings, trees, and the sun
- Any superhero costumes, bought or made
- Camera or camera phone

Instructions:

1. Play the clip below to give you ideas.

2. Set up a superhero scene together and, when it is ready, your child lies on the blue fabric, as if they are flying.
3. Take a photo from above to create the illusion of them flying over the city.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/makes/the-lets-go-club-superhero-quick-trick>

