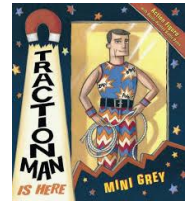

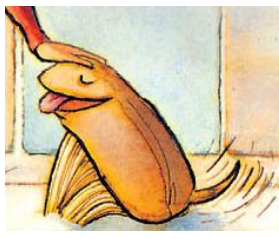
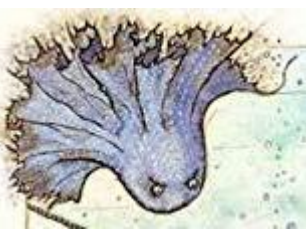




Dear Parent/Carers,

In Literacy, we have read the book 'Traction Man' and met his trusty sidekick Scrubbing Brush. Traction Man goes on many adventures to save helpless victims such as the farm animals, the dolls and the injured spoons. Meet all our key characters below:



				
Traction Man	Scrubbing Brush	Poisonous Dishcloth	Evil Broom	Doctor Sock

We have also started to think about vocabulary we can use to describe heroes in stories. They then drew comic strips to show the action and speech in a superhero scene and wrote speech bubbles to show what each character says. If the children have any super hero stories or action figures (Barbie, Ken, Action Man etc) that they would like to bring in next week from Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> March, they will have the opportunity to share them with the class and use them to act out their own superhero scenes.

Traction Man has also helped us to learn our spelling rule for this week where the 'shun' sound is spelt 'tion'.

In Numeracy, we have continued to explore division but moved on from sharing to a new method of grouping as shown below.

$$15 \div 5 = 3$$

15		
5	5	5

Now the children understand what we mean by division, we are encouraging them to move on to answer questions mentally e.g. answering 35 divided by 5 by counting in 5s on their fingers until they reach 35.

Don't forget that Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> March is our Transport Launch Day. Children have a slip stuck in their homework diaries with all the information you will need.

Many thanks for your support,

Mrs Haigh, Mrs Shaw and the Year 2 Team