

Good morning Year 2!

SOMEWHERE
INSIDE ALL OF US
IS THE POWER
TO CHANGE
THE WORLD.

ROALD DAHL

I hope you are well and ready for our learning today. What has been your favourite activity this week? I have been really enjoying your geography work this week, you are fantastic geographers. Isn't it amazing how much learning we can do from our homes?

I can't wait to see your learning today!

“ And above all,
watch with the whole world
because the greatest secrets are always
in the most unlikely places.
Those who don't believe in magic
will never find it. ”
Roald Dahl.

Let's get started with maths

Today, we are going to practise rotating. Remember, a rotation is just a turn. We have practised half and quarter turns in class.

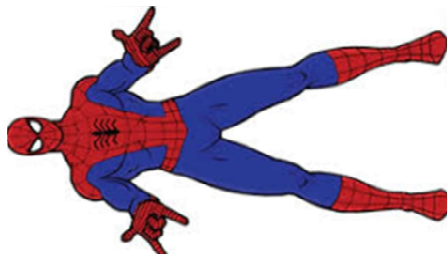


Spiderman is here to remind you, from how he is standing above, this is....

A quarter turn right



A quarter turn left



A half turn left



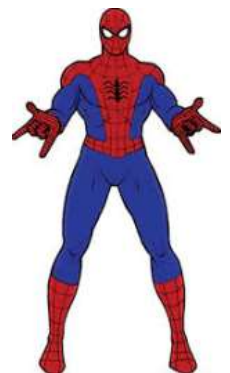
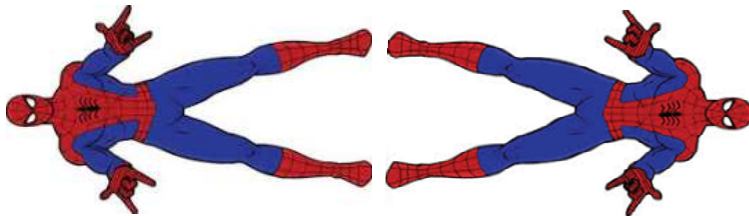
A half turn right



Today, you are going to make your own superhero rotate. Give yourself 1 minute to quickly draw a super hero....

Now, you are going to need to follow my rotation instruction... look how spiderman does it...

A quarter turn left, a half turn right, a quarter turn right, a half turn left



Start

Look at Spidey spin round!

Now, you try with your superhero. You could use a teddy or doll to show how your superhero would spin to help you.

Email me a picture of your spinning superheroes, following my instructions for 5 dojos.

There is a super challenge for your heroes too.

Let's go superheroes!

1. Half turn right, half turn left
2. Quarter turn left, half turn left, half turn right
3. Quarter turn right, half turn right, quarter turn left, half turn left
4. Half turn left, half turn left, quarter turn right, half turn right

Super challenge

How about this....

Half turn left, whole turn right, three quarter turn left, a quarter turn right

Email me a picture of your superhero spinning for 2 dojos!

Now, turn on your writing brain for our next lesson.

Today, we are going to practise writing an amazing introduction to a story.

A great introduction will tell the reader where and when the story is taking place.

Most importantly, in just the first few sentences you need to grab the reader's attention.

Have a look at the picture below...



What is happening in the picture?

Where is it happening?

Who are the characters?

I want you to write an interesting introduction to this story. Think about what you could use in your story opener.

simile

adjective

expanded noun phrase

Can you use a range of punctuation?

!

?

...

Make sure to check your capital letters, full stops and write in your best Kinetic Letters too.

Send me a picture of your brilliant introductions.

If I think it is exciting, you will get 4 dojos.

Our last lesson today, is geography

This week we have thought about geography in our homes and local area. Today, we are going to think about the geography outside our windows!

Have a look outside your window, this is what I can see.



I am going to create an I-Spy game.



First, I am going to think about the human features I can see outside. I can see a road, a house, and I think I can see a fence.

Then, think about the physical features, I can see a field in the background.

Are the trees and grass, physical or human?

Human features- something made by humans, e.g. A building

Physical features- something that naturally exists in nature, e.g. A river

That's right, the trees and the grass were put there by humans, so is a human feature. Well done!

Now, I am going to create a little I-Spy checklist for outside my house. It might look like this...

Human features

Road

House

Fence

Lamp post

Cars

Physical features

Field

You can add pictures to your I-Spy checklist if you want!

You could create your checklist on your daily exercise!

Send me your checklist with your picture for 3 dojos and I will see how many geographical features I can spy!

If there aren't any physical features near you, can you tell me the three physical features nearest to your house?



Happy spying guys!

Well done Year 2! I hope that you enjoyed your lessons today. I look forward to trying your I-Spy activities!



Remember, if you have any problems you can email me on our Year 2 email address. Remember to work on your challenges and get some fresh air today. I like to go to the park near my house for a walk and to relax. Sometimes I walk with my housemate, sometimes I ring a friend and sometimes I like to enjoy the quiet time. Where do you get your fresh air?

Miss Pylypiak-Clancy 😊

