

SUPERHEROES



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Kids love superheroes. Superheroes can be any gender. In this enquiry, we hope to inspire a talk about true heroism. You can finish this session by presenting photos of people who showed extraordinary qualities. For example: courage, heroism, compassion and dedication.

Stimuli: Show some illustrations of superheroes wearing capes and ask: *Why do superheroes wear capes?*

Support materials: drawing or painting materials, photos, superhero stencils or templates

Warm-up questions:

- Do you like superheroes?*
- Who are your favourite superheroes?*
- Would you like to be a superhero?*
- Could technology help to create real superheroes?*
- The Pope also wears a cape. Is he a superhero?*
- Are celebrities superheroes?*
- Is it difficult to be superheroes?*

Main Question:

What in real life makes someone a superhero?

Questions to take further:

- Can ordinary people be superheroes?*
- What traits / superpowers do real people have that allows us to call them superheroes?*
- Are superheroes better than other people?*
- Are the firemen superheroes?*
- Are doctors superheroes?*
- Were the first astronauts superheroes?*
- Are the people who donate huge amounts of money to charity heroes? (eg, Bill Gates)*
- Are people like Mother Teresa who help others superheroes?*

Extra Activity:

Children draw their superheroes and describe their superpowers. With capes of course!