

## Chapter 1 Superpowers

If you could have a superpower, what would it be?

“I’d be invisible so I could spy on people or scare them!” laughed Benji.

“Interesting ideas,” Mr Jay smiled, “although I’m not sure that’s such a kind choice, Benji. Perhaps you might think of what good your powers could be used for instead of spying and scaring people.”



What do you think of Benji’s response?  
Do you agree or disagree? Discuss.

## Chapter 2 Suspicion

Do you believe superheroes are real?

“Superheroes are just for comic books,” replied Freya.

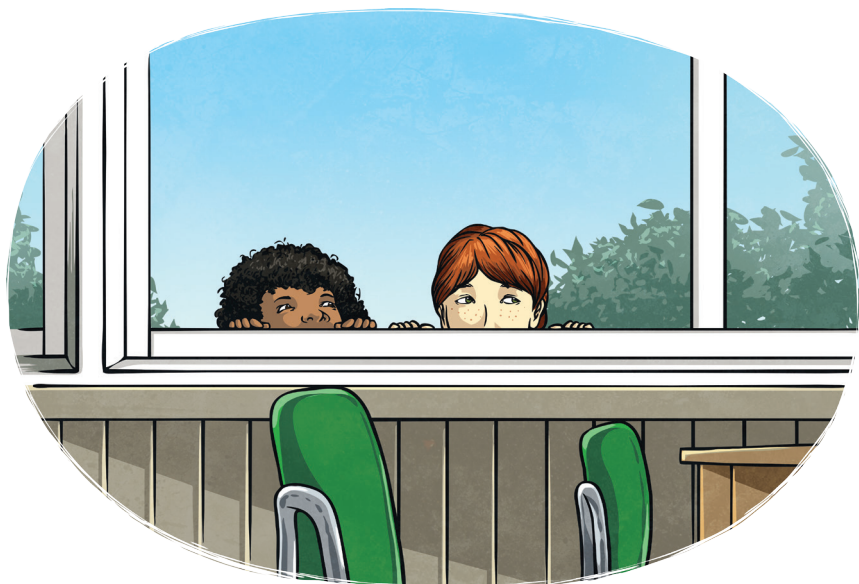


What do you think of Freya’s response?  
Do you agree or disagree?

## Chapter 3 Investigating

How would you convince your friend to join you in a plan?

“I’m telling you – there’s only one way we can prove they’re hiding some secret identities. We need to spy on them.”



Do you think spying on the teachers is the best way to discover the truth?

What could Benji and Freya have done instead?

## Chapter 4 Evidence

What clues are there to suggest that the teachers are superheroes?

“A mission! They’re both superheroes; they’re fighting crime or something. There’s definitely something going on!”



What other explanations could be plausible?

## Chapter 5 Not Giving Up

Benji's plan is described as 'crazy'. Do you agree or disagree with this description?

"I reckon there's something about that cupboard in our classroom, that we saw Miss Higgins appearing from. Think about it - none of us are ever allowed inside and that's where she was when she came out wearing her cape again."



Should the children have entered the teacher's cupboard?

## Chapter 6 Another Try

How do you think Freya feels during this chapter?

'Target achieved. Mission accomplished.'



What other explanations could this message hold?



## Chapter 7 A Changing Place

Why did Benji expect Freya to protest and need persuasion?

'A Changing Place'

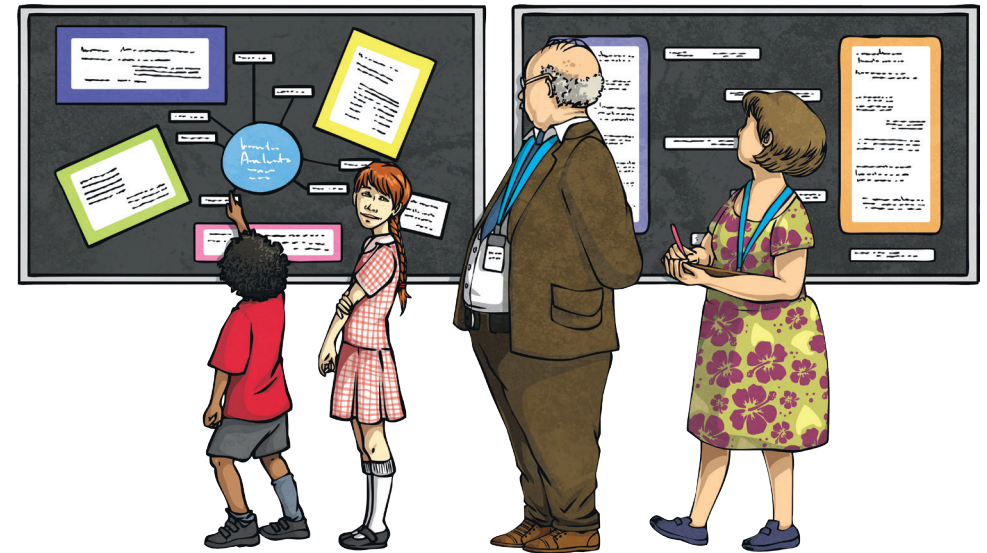


Why do you think this chapter is called 'A Changing Place'?

## Chapter 8 A Super School

What excuses would you give if your teacher asked you to do a job you would rather not do?

"Well, what a super school you have here!"



Why do you think the author chose to italicise the word 'super' in the sentence above?

## Chapter 9 Dilemma

Describe a time when you have faced a dilemma.

“They’re our teachers – we have a right to know!”



Do you agree or disagree with this statement?

## Chapter 10 The Fair

Why do you think there was a 'teachers only' staging area at the fair?

“...they were beginning to think their plan would never be needed.”



How would the children have felt at this point in the story?



## Chapter 11 More Change

“Benji didn’t want to attract Mr Jay’s attention to the fact that he was being followed - but he had to let his teacher know she had dropped the money, otherwise it might get stolen or picked up by someone who wasn’t honest enough to hand it in.”



What would you do in Benji’s situation?  
Explain your reasoning.

## Chapter 12 Heroes Arrive

Benji decided to interrupt the superheroes’ performance. What would you do in that situation? Explain your reasoning.

“See, I knew it was you. I know what you’re both up to!” He wagged his finger accusingly towards them both.



How would you describe Benji’s behaviour when he attempted to publicly expose the ‘superheroes’?

## Chapter 13 The Truth?

Have you even been in a situation where you have 'imagined' something has happened?

"You've just imagined much more than was really going on."



Discuss what you believe to be the truth in this situation.

## Chapter 14 Real Superheroes

"We have powers like spreading kindness, building confidence and sparking imaginations."



Would you describe these qualities as 'superpowers'?

What 'superpowers' do you have?

What 'superpowers' do your friends have?

What 'superpowers' does your teacher have?

## Chapter 15

# What No One Noticed

Discuss what the twist at the end of the story is.  
Why do you think the author created this twist?

“Maybe it was just my imagination.”



Would you react in the same way as Benji?  
Do you think he is telling the truth  
or covering something up?