



### This week's theme

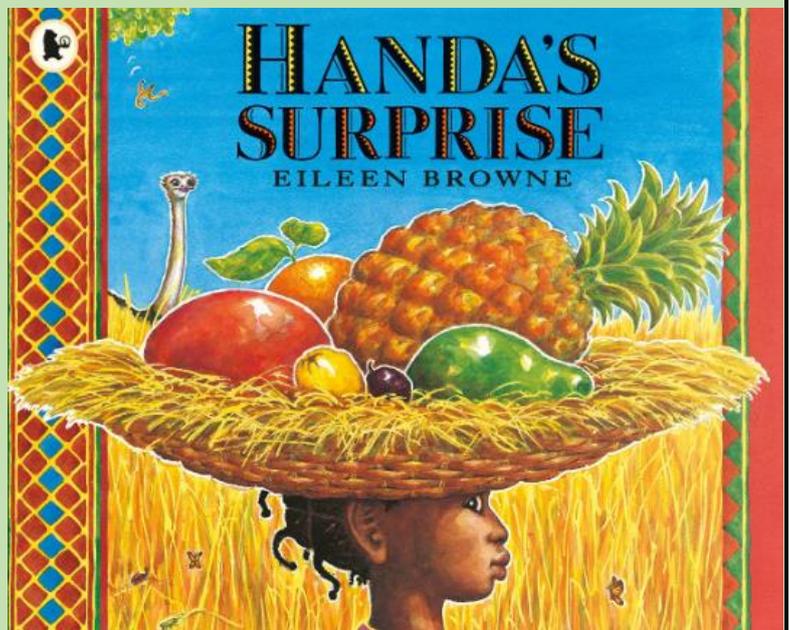
Our topic will move away from superheroes and start looking at different countries around the world. We will start by building on the children's knowledge of Africa and reading the book *Handa's Surprise*. We will be comparing the lives of some African children to our own experiences and discuss the joys of friendships too.

We will look at some exotic fruits that are in the *Handa* stories and some other less familiar fruits as well.

### Fruit request

In the *Handa's surprise* story Handa tries to deliver some different fruits - some which we wouldn't usually have at snack time in Acorn class.

**Please could you bring in a fruit for cutting and tasting** - we are hoping for some fruits that the children may not be used to so that we can broaden the children's experience. If you aren't able to get anything exotic then any fruits or berries will be fine - the wider selection we have the better! The children will be using



their senses to explore how the fruit feels, smells and tastes. They will weigh the fruit, draw it, discuss likes and dislikes and have a go at cutting up the fruits to prepare fruit salad or fruit kebabs. We will learning more about our senses and also go on a senses hunt.

### Parents' Evening

*Parents' evening for Acorn Class will be Monday 31<sup>st</sup> March and Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> April. Sign-up is available on Bromcom. If you cannot make either day please ask us for an alternative time so we can meet.*

*Thank you for your support. Mrs Clarke, Ms Tonkyn and Mrs Upfold.*