

# Community Engagement

Use these activities to help find your superpower



**SUPERPOWER (noun): a skill, personal trait, or passion that plays an important role in your life, helps you do good in the world, and makes you feel special, happy, and confident.**

Choose one or several of these activities and have fun discovering or reaffirming your superpower! Don't forget to ask for help and permission from your parent, caregiver, or teacher.

Not all of these activities are directly related to superpowers or superheroes, but will still help you to pinpoint your own personal superpower!

**Connect with your community and the people in it with these activities.**

- Build a Little Free Library for your yard so people can grab a book as they walk by.
- Plant a community garden near your mailbox so people can stop and grab fresh produce.
- Set up a table on the sidewalk with some of your favorite books and invite people to come and talk to you about them.
- Set up a table with books you are ready to give away and offer one to each neighbor as they come by.
- Ask a neighbor if you can help them with an outdoor project.
- Do something to help an elderly neighbor. Examples include buying them groceries, making them a meal, doing some yard work or washing their car.
- Find a local non-profit that works with your community and see what kind of volunteer opportunities they have for kids.
- Interview someone in your community who works to connect with and improve the community. You can learn a lot of things from other people about ways you can engage with and make your community a better place.
- Write a short story or poem about being involved in your community.
- Draw a comic strip or page of a picture book that features community engagement.
- Read one book from the themed book list and share it with a friend or family member.
- Ask for a book recommendation on the theme from a friend, family member, teacher, or librarian.
- You found a great book about community? Sit down with a parent, family member, family, teacher and read to them your favorite paragraph or chapter so you can talk about it.