

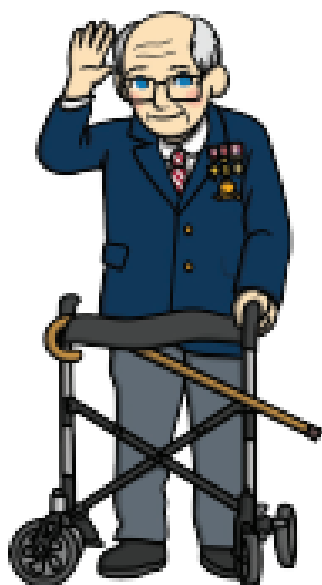
This week's theme is 'community' and we would like to focus on people and places. Today we will be looking at Captain Tom Moore. Your child may need help reading and answering the questions.

## Captain Tom Moore

Captain Tom Moore is famous around the world because of the money he has raised for the National Health Service (NHS).

### Who Is Captain Tom Moore?

Captain Tom is an ex-soldier from Bedfordshire. When he was younger, he was in the army and even fought in the Second World War.



### Raising Money

Captain Tom decided to raise money for the NHS to say thank you to them. He set himself the challenge of walking 100 laps around his garden before his 100<sup>th</sup> birthday on 30<sup>th</sup> April 2020.

### Why Is He Famous?

Captain Tom set himself a target of £1000, but word quickly spread about what he was doing and more and more people gave money.

So far, he has raised over 27 million pounds!

He even reached 100 laps two weeks before his birthday.

### Did You Know...?

Lots of people have sent him birthday cards to say thank you.

Have a go at these questions together.

## Captain Tom Moore Questions

1. Where does Captain Tom live? Tick **one**.

- ☐ Bedfordshire
- ☐ Dorset
- ☐ London

2. When is Captain Tom's birthday? Tick **one**.

- ☐ June 30<sup>th</sup>
- ☐ May 30<sup>th</sup>
- ☐ April 30<sup>th</sup>

3. Who is Captain Tom raising money for? Tick **one**.

- ☐ The NHS
- ☐ Animals
- ☐ Children

4. How much money has Captain Tom raised? Tick **one**.

- ☐ 1 million pounds
- ☐ Over 27 million pounds
- ☐ 10 million pounds

5. How did Captain Tom raise money? Tick **one**.

- ☐ Walking
  - ☐ Swimming
  - ☐ Cycling
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## **Phonics**

Check this website to find out more about the phonics sounds.

<https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/reading/learn-to-read-phonics/>

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## **Home Reading**

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