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# Literacy Booster

## Theme of the Week – People Who Keep Us Safe



### Activity 1 – Think

What do you think is happening in the picture?

Can you see any words on the helicopter?

Why is there a helicopter there?

If you needed rescuing from the sea, who could help you?

- The police?
- A doctor?
- A lifeboat crew?
- A rescue dog?

Helicopters can get to places other types of transport can't reach.



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## Activity 2 - Explore

Watch this video of Prince William taking off in his rescue helicopter:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Feb3mOEZdZU>

Where might Prince William be going?

Not everybody who keeps us safe has a helicopter.

Lots of people help us every day.

Make a list of five people who help to keep us safe.

## Activity 3 - Create

Now you have made your list of people who help to keep us safe, make a book about who they are and how they help us.

Each page will need:

- A title
- A drawing of the person
- A sentence about how they keep us safe
- Don't forget to make a nice front cover.

When you've finished your book, show it to friends and family.



## Activity 4 - Do

Imagine you are stuck on a desert island, waiting to be rescued.

- Think of five things you would **need** to keep you safe (hint: food and water are very important)
- Think of five things you would **like** to have with you
- Draw a picture of yourself on the desert island with the **10** items you have thought about
- Next to each of the **10** items you have drawn, write a label saying what they are.



Well done!