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There are some stories of superheroes. Who are they? A superhero is a fictional character with special powers. the first Superman story was written in the USA in 1938, superheroes have in various comic books around the world. But more recently they have become better known as film characters.

superhero powers vary widely, superhuman strength and the ability to fly are common. Some superheroes do not have



special powers but have other important abilities. In order to protect friends and family, a superhero's identity is normally secret, which often means superheroes have a complicated double life.



have been successful superheroes in countries other than the USA. Examples Cybersix from Argentina and the heroes of AK Comics from Egypt. Japan is the only country that has created as many superhero characters as the USA. However, most Japanese superheroes are short-lived. While American entertainment companies reinvent superheroes, hoping they will stay popular, Japanese companies frequently introduce new characters.