

## PE

This term, PE will focus on gymnastics. We kindly ask that girls do not wear tights or any jewellery during these sessions. Thank you.

## IMPORTANT NOTICES

**PE Days:** Amber - Tuesday & Wednesday Ruby - Tuesday & Wednesday  
Topaz - Monday & Wednesday Amethyst - Monday & Wednesday

### Cooking donations

A polite reminder to all parents to please hand in your cooking money, for this term. Thank you to those parents who have contributed so far. It is extremely important for all children to develop life skills.

### Doodle Reminder

Please ensure you access 'Doodle' for 10 minutes per day as well as exploring the different topics ie: Monday Mathematics /Tuesday Literacy etc. This will support your child to keep on track with their learning throughout this academic year.

### Bug Club Reminder

Please ensure children access this daily. This supports your child with their writing tasks alongside reasoning questions and comprehension within all areas of the curriculum.

**Spellings:** Please help your child with their weekly spellings for the coming weeks ahead. These have been put in your child's reading record. Spellings will be taking place throughout the week and results will be communicated in your child's reading record book weekly.

**Nut allergies:** Just another reminder that we do not allow any nuts on school grounds including food that 'may contain nuts'

**Early morning soft starts** are on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Parents will be allowed into the classroom to help their child learn with guidance from their class teacher at 8:45-9:00am

### Forest School:

**Topaz Class** will be starting Forest School this term. This will take place every Tuesday. Please ensure that your child has brought in their Wellington Boots.

If Parents wish to contact class teacher, they may do so by sending an email to the class' email address below:

#### Year 1 classes' email addresses:

Ruby class - rubyclass05@gmail.com  
Amethyst class - amethystclass6@gmail.com  
Topaz class - topazclass7@gmail.com  
Amber class - amberclass8@gmail.com



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## Year One Weekly Newsletter 31<sup>st</sup> January 2025

Please visit us on our website:

[www.yeadinginf.co.uk](http://www.yeadinginf.co.uk)

and Instagram account

[https://instagram.com/yeading\\_infants](https://instagram.com/yeading_infants)

You will find all school information,  
updates, term dates and up & coming events

Whole school attendance last week 91.8%  
This is Below National average again.



Class	%
Tigger	94.7
Owl	91.7
Rabbit	87.2
Roo	88.1
Ruby	93.4
Amethyst	90.7
<b>Topaz</b>	<b>95.0</b>
Amber	88.9
<b>Diamond</b>	<b>95.0</b>
Pearl	90.4
Sapphire	92.6
Emerald	93.6

**Well done  
Topaz %  
Diamond**

## English

**This week** The children will have been learning to retell and order their new story all about Goldilocks and the Three Bears. They have also ordered the events in the story, starting with the beginning, middle and the end of the story.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Rm3JsewQIwW>

**Next week** The children will be brain storming ideas about adding an alternative ending to the story. They will use their imagination to add a twist to their personalised story.

## Maths

**This week** children have been consolidating their learning of all topics this term.

**Next week** we will be looking at subtraction and finding the difference.

**Home learning** - Please help your child practice and learn their 2, 5, and 10 times tables.

**Science:** Animals including humans

**History:** Toys (Old Toys/New Toys)

**R.E:** Sikhism

**PSHE** - Our values

**Art/DT** - Fabric

### Question of the week

Do you think Goldilocks should have gone into 'The Three Bears' House'?

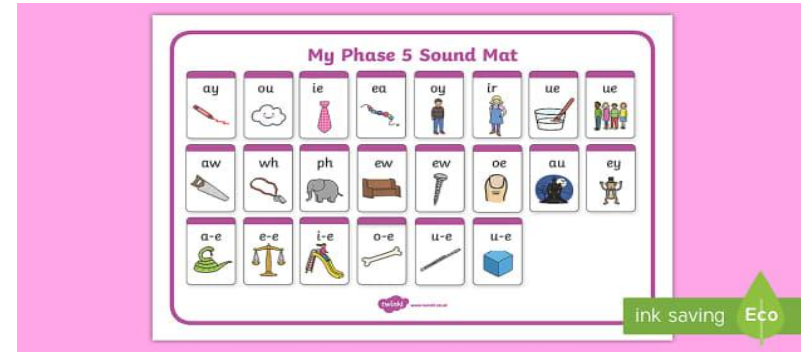
Word of the week:

## Modest

Write five sentences using the word of the week on a piece of paper and hand it to your teacher.

## Phonics-Phase 5

Please practise phase 5 sounds at home: ay, ou, ie, ea, oy, ir, ue, ue, aw, wh, ph, ew, oe, au, ey. As well as the split sounds a-e, e-e, i-e, o-e, u-e. Tricky words include **oh, where, there, little, one, do, when**. Please ensure your child practises independent sentences daily.



## Useful Websites:

- Phonics - <https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/reading/reading-schemes-oxford-levels/read-write-inc-phonics-guide/>
- Mr Thorne Does Phonics with Geraldine the Giraffe on YouTube-
- Phonics play - [www.phonicsplay.co.uk](http://www.phonicsplay.co.uk)
- Top Marks - <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/english-games/5-7-years/letters-and-sounds>
- <https://whiteroseeducation.com/1-minute-maths>

## Children's Mental Health Week 2025

LINK for resources

[Schools - Children's Mental Health Week](#)



Children's Mental Health Week 2025 will take place from 3-9 February 2025. The theme for 2025 is focus is **Know Yourself, Grow Yourself**, with the aim to equip and empower children and young people across the UK to embrace self-awareness and explore what it means to them.

Have a good weekend

Year 1 Team 😊