Song of the Week

In Summer
by Liana Mahoney

Pour on lotion,
Rub it in.
Perfect for

On my bike

My summer skin.

Or in the pool,

A sip of water

Keeps me cool.

Shades are on,

Flip-flops, too.

In summer there's

So much to do!

Super Teacher Worksheets - <u>www.superteacherworksheets.com</u>

USEFUL WEBSITES

- Mr Thorne Does Phonics with Geraldine the Giraffe on YouTubehttps://www.youtube.com/channel/UC7sW4j8p7k9D_qRRMUsGqyw
- Phonics https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/reading/reading-schemes-oxford-levels/read-write-inc-phonics-guide/
- Phonics play <u>www.phonicsplay.co.uk</u>
- Literacy Glossary: https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/at-school/education-glossary/grammar-literacy-glossary-a-c/
- Numeracy Glossary: https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/at-school/education-glossary/maths-education-glossary-a-l/



Infant & Nursery School

Reception Weekly Newsletter Friday 17th May 2024

Please visit us on our website:

www.yeadinginf.co.uk

and Instagram account

https://instagram.com/yeading_infants

You will find all school information,

Updates, term dates and up & coming events

Attendance across the school last week was **95.7%**.

Congratulations to Rabbit class for highest attendance in Reception & Amber class for 100% attendance!

Attendance week commencing **6**th **May** is as follows:

Group	% Attend
Tigger	96.6%
Owl	91.8%
Rabbit	98.1%
Roo	95.5%
Ruby	92.3%
Amethyst	92.3%
Topaz	91.1%
Amber	100%
Diamond	98.7%
Pearl	95.7%
Sapphire	98.7%
Emerald	91.7%

What We're Learning This Week!



Literacy

This week we have been writing instructions to make biscuits.

Key words: pour, mix, stir, add, knead, roll, cut.

Next week, will be assessment week. We will be assessing your child's phonics, reading and writing.

<u>Homework</u> - Please complete the homework sheet and return these back to your class teacher <u>every FRIDAY</u> - this is homework collection day.

Phonics

We will be continuing to work on Phase 4 and 5 of the phonics syllabus till the end of the summer term. This week we focused on phase 5 sounds ow, o-e, oe, ou. For example, ow as in clown, o-e as in phone, oe as in toe, ou as in cloud.

<u>Homework</u>

Children should now be writing sentences independently using their knowledge of Phase 2/3/4/5 supported by tricky words. Challenge your child to write about what they did over the weekend.

Maths

This week we learnt to look at 'Time' -o'clock and the different times of day for example: lunchtime is 12 o'clock/bedtime is 7o'clock.

Key words: Clock, time, Long hand, short hand, o'clock, minutes, seconds

Next week, is assessment week. We will be consolidating what we have learnt so far and assess your child's mathematical knowledge. We will be covering a range of topics such as number facts to 10, capacity, addition, subtraction and time.

<u>Homework</u>

<u>Practice number formation with your child</u>. Please also practice the topics we have covered so far, with your child on a **daily basis**.

Spellings

Next week's words: your, children, house, mouse, Mr, Mrs. Please practise with your child every day. Thank you.

Question of the Week (Discovery homework question)
What can you do to help yourself feel better mentally and physically?

<u>Highlight of the week:</u> A huge well done to RABBIT class for their fantastic performance.

As a part of Eco-week, reception children had an opportunity to hold the ducklings and they thoroughly enjoyed their first swim in the playground.



Today we celebrated <u>Pyjamarama Day</u>. Thank you to all the children who came into school wearing Pyjamas. We had a day of fun reading and being creative! And a special thank you to all for your generous donations.

Walk to School Week 20th-24th May

Tissue boxes

Please can we request some tissue boxes for the classes as children are getting runny noses. Please make sure your children are able/ to learn to wipe their own nose.

Half-Term Holiday

School will be closed for half term from Monday 27^{th} May until Friday 31^{st} May.

There is a Staff Training Day on Monday 3rd June. Pupils will return to school on Tuesday 4th June 2023

Thank you!
The Reception Team