

General

- Thank you to all parents who attended our curriculum meeting this week. This provides guidance and strategies to support your child at home.
- We would really appreciate some support with £1 cooking money donations as we have lots of plans for this autumn term.
- **Junk Modelling** - We would like donations of cardboard packages for children to create and build models. Please ensure packages have not previously contained nut substances.

COLLECTING INFORMATION

Timings for Reception are 8:45 – 3:10.

Where a person other than a child's parent is collecting a child from school, we need to have their name and phone number in advance. Also we would need collection password for the day.

Important Parents/Carers, please can you write your child's name (first name and surname) on all their clothing, book bags and water bottles.

Tigger class – tiggerclass1@gmail.com

Roo class - rooclass2@gmail.com

Rabbit class - rabbitclass03@gmail.com

Owl class - owlclass04@gmail.com

USEFUL WEBSITES

- Phonics - <https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/reading/reading-schemes-oxford-levels/read-write-inc-phonics-guide/>
- Phonics play - www.phonicsplay.co.uk
- Literacy Glossary: <https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/at-school/education-glossary/grammar-literacy-glossary-a-c/>
- Maths Glossary: <https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/at-school/education-glossary/maths-education-glossary-a-y/>. Top marks maths games- <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/3-5-years/counting>
- **Reception Curriculum** https://www.yeadinginf.co.uk/_site/data/files/parent-information/75C4E3B81F13466023B8094FD98B6584.pdf
- **Meet the teacher** (https://www.yeadinginf.co.uk/_site/data/files/parent-information/CBEDAF50D8ED7A910523B890924E4603.pdf - Reception only)



Infant & Nursery School

Reception

Weekly Newsletter

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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

Lateness has a devastating effect on teaching and learning process in the school which has a great negative impact on school standard, pupils academic performance, absenteeism and distractions for other pupils.

PUNCTUALITY

If any of these sound familiar then it's time to fix your timekeeping!



5 MINUTES LATE PER DAY
Adds up to 3 days lost school time!

10 minutes = 6.5 school days per year

15 minutes = 10 days lost per school year

20 minutes = 13 lost school days per year

30 minutes = 19 lost school days per year

IMPORTANT NOTICES

- **Phone-free zone** - Yeading Infant School is a phone-free zone. Please ensure phones are put away while collecting your child.
- **Park and stride** - Please park away from school near the church or park when dropping off your child and walk into school.
- **Nut allergies** - Just another reminder that we do not allow any nuts on school grounds including food that 'may contain nuts'

Reading

All children have been given a reading book and a Reading Record. It is important for children to understand how to look after a book and the features e.g. front cover, back cover and the title. The children would be practising turning one page at a time. This is an important aspect to teach children about reading books.

Reading Workshop (16th October)

We will be hosting a Reading workshop for parents on **16th October** (Wednesday) in the hall at **9am**. Mrs. Holland will be sharing reading strategies that will benefit children and foster love for reading at home.

Doodle

This is a new programme for homework that focuses on Maths and English. Please encourage your child to spend ten minutes daily to complete the tasks.

Topic

This term our topic is - **All About Me**.

Please have a think about our body parts. Can you draw a picture of your body and label the body parts? For example: head, leg, feet, hands etc.

Outdoor Learning

As we embrace the joy of outdoor learning we want children to be well prepared for outdoor learning. Please send wellies to school in a labelled bag. Please make sure the wellies area good fit and easy for your child to put on and take off. Thank you!

Literacy

This week we have been talking and learning to hear and write initial sound. Next week we will be discussing about our favourite character in the story 'The Little Red Hen' retold by Susanna Davidson.

Homework: Please talk to your children about their favourite character in the story 'The Little Red Hen.'

Phonics

This week we have been looking at letter sounds Gg, Oo, Cc and Kk

For example- girl, get, go

Next week we will be moving onto CK ck, Ee, Uu, Rr

For example-duck, back, sock

Homework - Encourage your child to write their name starting with a capital letter.

Question of the week

What is your favourite food?

Maths

This week we have been learning about matching and sorting the objects. Next week, we will be learning to compare amounts.

Homework - Play the numbers game. Ask your children to get you 1 book, then 2 blocks, then 3 toys up to 10 and above etc. Try to count to the highest number possible. They need to practise counting objects correctly, using their finger to point to each object, and to count the numbers slowly, one count per object.

Black History Month 2024

Black History Month is from **1 October-31 October 2024**. We will be celebrating and acknowledging the amazing achievements of people from African and Caribbean heritage.

Thank you!

The Reception Team