

Question of the week
What would you ask an alien? Why?



Year 1
Weekly Newsletter
21st June 2024

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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



Yeading Summer Fun Day -
Friday 28th June 2024

Attendance across the school last week was **95.6%**.
Congratulations to Topaz class for the highest attendance.
Attendance week commencing **10th June** is as follows:

Group	% Attend
Ruby	93.8%
Amethyst	94.6%
Topaz	97.0%
Amber	95.6%
Diamond	93.9%
Pearl	95.8%
Sapphire	95.4%
Emerald	92.7%

Year 1 classes email addresses:

Ruby class - RubyClass05@gmail.com
Amethyst class - AmethystClass06@gmail.com
Topaz class - TopazClass7@gmail.com
Amber class - AmberClass8@gmail.com

It is with great sadness that we wish to inform you that on Monday 17th June 2024, after a long and extremely brave battle with sickness Yeading Infant School pupil, Jacob from Topaz class's journey came to an end. As a school we wish to send our deepest and heartfelt condolences to the family at this incredible difficult time. Jacob had an extraordinary impact on this world in his short time here and he will always be remembered and cherished by his classmates and all those who had the privilege of knowing him. Jacob's memory will continue to inspire and uplift us all, many years into the future. Over the coming weeks, we will be supporting all the children at this challenging time and offering comfort for all his friends.



English

This week we have been writing a diary from the point of view of Beegu.

Next week: we will be creating an adventure story.

Keywords/phrases: First, then, next finally, Earth, friends, creatures, hopeful, perfect, lost, understand, alone, mother, adventure, noise.

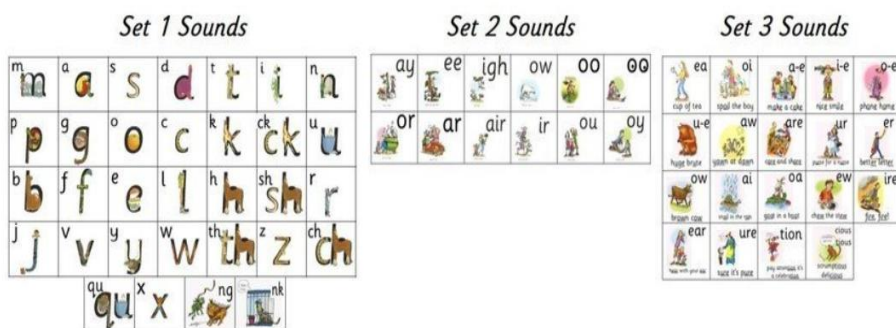
Authors workshop

We had the opportunity to meet with the lovely *Lisa Stickley* who is an all round creative author and illustrator of the cutest children's books.

Children also participated in our authors workshop focused on creative writing and illustrations.

Phonics

Please continue to practise Phonics sounds at home for at least 10 minutes each day.



Maths

This week we looked at comparing numbers in larger amounts - above 50 +

Next week, we will be starting to look at money ie. coins 1p, 2p, 5p, 10p, 20p, 50p, £1, £2.

Home learning/Online - Children must know all the numbers to 100, forwards and backwards, as well as counting in 10s. Please practice basic counting with coins 1p, 2p, 5p, 10p, 20p, 50p.

1-minute maths app - White Rose

Help your child build greater number confidence and fluency. Targeted practice in engaging, one-minute chunks! <https://whiteroseeducation.com/1-minute-maths>

Foundation Subjects:

Science: Our topic for this term is **Animals including humans**

PSHE: Our topic for this term is **Going for Goals!**

Geography: Our topic for this term is **United Kingdom.**

RE: Our topic for this term is **Hinduism.**

Spellings Please practise your spellings. These are located in your child's reading record. Spellings take place every Wednesday.

IMPORTANT NOTICES

PE **Amber** - Tue, Wed

Ruby - Tue, Wed

Amethyst - Mon, Thu

Topaz - Mon, Tue

Please note: **Amethyst class** will be taking part in 'Forest School' on Thursdays this term. Date: **TBC.**

Label Belongings

A polite reminder to all parents. Please ensure your child's belongings are clearly labeled with your child's name and class. We cannot take responsibility for lost items.

Internet safety:

Children have been learning all about staying safe online.

Please discuss the following video with your child at home.

<https://www.childnet.com/resources/digiduck-stories/digiducks-big-decision/>

Reminder - Computer Competition to create a game: (before 28th June)

To access the competition, log onto Discovery Education, in the Coding section. There will be three different options: block coding, Python and HTML. Select block coding and choose to learn, there are 6 levels for the children to complete and there is also an option to create their own game. We suggest completing all the learning levels before attempting to create their own game. It's all accessed through the website below. Discovery Education link:

<https://app.discoveryeducation.co.uk/learn/signin?next=https%3A%2F%2Fapp.discoveryeducation.co.uk%2Fsuite>

Logons can be found in the children's reading records.

Useful links for computing include:

https://beinternetlegends.withgoogle.com/en_ie/interland/landing/kind-kingdom

<https://app.discoveryeducation.co.uk/learn/signin?next=https%3A%2F%2Fapp.discoveryeducation.co.uk%2Fsuite>

<https://scratch.mit.edu/projects/editor/?tutorial=getStarted>

More dates for your diary:

Parent's Mental Health workshop on the 25.06.2024 at 9am in the school hall.

Sports Day - Thank you to everyone who was able to join us for this year's

Sports Day and what an amazing day we had! We saw our school values demonstrated in abundance and, without a doubt, this is the best teamwork and sportsmanship we have ever seen at Yeading Infant & Nursery School. We are so proud of all our pupils!

Have a lovely weekend - Year 1 Team ☺