

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

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

Half-Term Holiday

School will be closed for half term from Monday 26th May until Friday 30th May.

There is a staff Training Day on Monday 2nd June.

Pupils will return to school on Tuesday 3rd June 2025



Infant & Nursery School

Year One Weekly Newsletter **16th May 2025**

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

Whole school attendance week of
5th May - 9th May
95.4%

Class	%
Tigger	97.4
Owl	92.9
Rabbit	93.1
Roo	100
Ruby	97
Amethyst	93.1
Topaz	94.2
Amber	95.3
Diamond	95.5
Pearl	94.7
Sapphire	96.1
Emerald	96.2

Well done
Roo Class



English

This week we have been learning alliterations in poetry.

Next week we will be creating our own poems using figurative language (alliteration).

Keywords/phrases: [verses](#), [pattern](#), [repetition](#), [imagery](#), [rhyme](#), [rhythm](#), [simile](#).

Home learning/Online - Can you find a poem that uses alliteration?

Maths

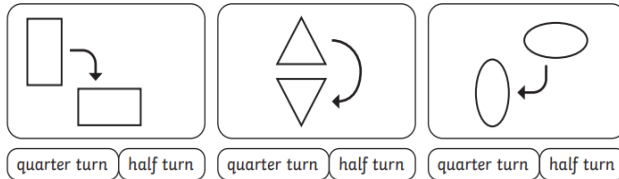
This week we have been looking at quarters and different turns and positions.

Next week we will be looking at positional language such as forwards, backwards, left and right

Keywords: quarter turn, half turn, three-quarter turn, full turn, position, left, right, forwards, backwards,

Home learning/Online -

Tick the turns that these shapes have made.



Science: Plants and Light and Shadow

History: Famous people

R.E: Islam - 5 Pillars of faith.

PSHE - It's my body

Art/DT - Famous artist

Question of the week

What is alliteration? Can you think of any examples?

Word of the week:

Illuminate

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

Phonics

Year1 Phonics Screening will be taking place in June. It is essential you practise with your child. They need to know all the Year 1 sounds and be able to blend words.

Please find some information about the Phonics screening check in this free resource: [Parent Portal \(fft.org.uk\)](#)

Phonics Screening Check resources:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/national-curriculum-assessments-practice-materials#phonics-screening-check-resources>

Here are some words to practice.

Section 1				Section 2			
Word	Correct	Incorrect	Comments	Word	Correct	Incorrect	Comments
dut				dar			
vad				pleam			
fip				zaip			
ect				vode			
chup				crend			
yook				drait			
zass				streg			
qesh				sprue			
plim				mice			
glud				team			
reft				grew			
meeps				plate			
check				chairs			
blab				scrub			
wing				stripe			
seen				trust			
plot				camel			
drill				winter			
rest				finish			
forms				tadpoles			

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
- Top Marks - <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/english-games/5-7-years/letters-and-sounds>
- <https://whiteroseeducation.com/1-minute-maths>

Maths Through Stories - We recently celebrated **The Young Mathematical Story Authors competition** — a fantastic way for children to explore maths in a fun and creative way through storytelling. Well done to all the children who participated! Your stories were imaginative, clever, and full of mathematical thinking. We're so proud of your hard work and creativity!

Sports Day - Sports Day will take place on Wednesday 21.5.25 from 9:00am-11:00am. If you would like to take part in the **Parent Race**, please remember to wear **appropriate sportswear and trainers** on the day so you can join in safely and comfortably. Thank you for your support — we can't wait to see you in action!

Walk to School week 19th to 23rd May 2025

Next week is Walk to School Week! Please encourage your children to join in by walking to school. Thank you for your support.



Wishing you a restful weekend - Year 1 Team ☺