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Hillingdon Adult and Community Learning Centre have a new programme of 5 week online Family Learning courses including:

- Help Your Child with Maths, Years 1-2
- Help Your Child with English, Reception-Year 2
- How to Keep Your Child Safe in a Digital World
- ESOL-Improve Your English (E1-E3)
- How to Emotionally Support Your Child)

These courses enable parents to support their children and start week commencing Monday 8th November.

Two online briefing sessions are planned on Monday 1st November at 10am and Thursday 4th November at 6pm to discuss our 5 week online Family Learning courses (for parents).

This is the link to book onto the briefing sessions:

[Booking form link](#)

[You can also find the Booking form link on our school website in the 'Latest News' section.](#)

USEFUL WEBSITES

- Mr Thorne Does Phonics with Geraldine the Giraffe on YouTube- https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC7sW4j8p7k9D_qRRMUsGqyw
- Phonics - <https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/reading/reading-schemes-oxford-levels/read-write-inc-phonics-guide/>
- Phonics play - www.phonicsplay.co.uk
- Top Marks - <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/english-games/5-7-years/letters-and-sounds>



Infant & Nursery School

Year 1 Weekly Newsletter 22nd October 2021

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

Warning to Parents/Carers

Netflix thriller 'Squid Game', rated **15** is totally unsuitable for children.

Please check that your device settings do not allow your child to watch this. Children viewing the smash-hit show are copying out these games in our playground. Although some of the 'games' portrayed could be viewed as adaptations of traditional playground games, the violent consequences of failure are inappropriate for younger viewers.

We would strongly advise all parents to check and monitor what their child is viewing at home, in order to keep them safe from such material.

Literacy

This week we have been finding out about Africa.

After half term we will be writing about our holiday news and we will be focusing on the story 'Lost and Found' by Oliver Jeffers.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cRAAQ8EWzig>



Keywords: holiday, family, home, activities, events, work, play, book, lost, found.

Maths

This week we have been writing our number bonds and have been adding numbers together.

After half term, we will continue to work on our number bonds and work on solving addition number sentences to 20 using different resources. Please ensure your child practises their number bonds to 20 over the half term.

Keywords: whole, part, equal, adding, addition, together.

Science: We have been creating herb booklets and trying different herbs from our herb garden. We made rosemary flat bread. Next term we will be looking at the weather and seasons.

Foundation Subjects

History - Black History Month discussions

PSHE - New beginnings and friendships

Art/DT - Art therapy

RE - We made bread to celebrate the Harvest festival.

Question of the week



What does the word empathy mean?
How could you show empathy to others?

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.
- **Reading** - Please read with your child daily, write a comment in the yellow home/school diary and ensure that his/her book bag is brought in daily.
- Please ensure all items of **clothing and water bottles are labelled** with your child's name.
- **25th November** - Children will receive the Flu and Nasal spray vaccination

Thank you for all the Harvest Festival donations. We had a wonderful assembly and learned a lot about the harvest festival. The donated items will be taken to the Hillingdon Food Bank.

School will close for half term on Friday 22nd October.
Children to return to school on Tuesday 2nd November 2021.

Have a fun and safe October half term!

Year 1 Team ☺