

IMPORTANT NOTICES

- **Timings for Reception-** Classroom door opens at 8.45am. School finishes at 3.10pm. Please be punctual.
- **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 / 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'

Reception email addresses:

Tigger class - tiggerclass1@gmail.com

Roo class - rooclass2@gmail.com

Rabbit class - rabbitclass03@gmail.com

Owl class - owlclass04@gmail.com

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
- 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

28th January 2022

Please visit us on our website:

www.yeadinginf.co.uk

You will find all useful information, term dates, up & coming events, etc.

Rhyme of the Week

Dragon, Dragon

(Sing to the tune of 'Twinkle Twinkl Little Star'.)

Dragon, dragon, dance around.
Dragon, dragon, touch the ground.
Dragon, dragon, shake your head.
Dragon, dragon, tongue so red.
Dragon, dragon, stamp your feet.
Dragon, dragon, coming down the street.



Literacy

This week we imagined what we would do if we were Pirates. We also wrote sentences about being a Pirate.

Children had lots of fun learning all about pirates and engaging in some fun and exciting pirate-themed activities.



Children also got to take part in a drama workshop while dressed up as pirates! It was lovely to see all the children dressed up in their finest pirate outfits! Arrgg!

Next week we will continue with our storybook, *The Gruffalo*. We will be writing sentences about the story.

Homework - Discuss with your child, the characters in the story of *The Gruffalo*. Who is your favourite character? How many characters are in the story? Is the mouse a clever character?

Phonics

We are revising Phase 2 & 3 letter sound

s: j,v,w,x,y,z,zz,qu,ch,sh,th,ng,ai,ee,igh,oa,oo,ar,or,ur,ow,oi,ear, air, er, ur and ure.

Please practise Phase 3 sounds for 10 minutes per evening, as well as blending words with your child. For example: c-oi-n r-oa-d

Homework - Please practise cursive letter formations and blending at home. Children should now be writing sentences independently.

Maths

This week we counting on and back to 20. We found missing numbers in a sequence.

Homework - Fill in the missing number in the sequence.

E.g. 7, 8, 9, ____

10, 9, ____, 7, 6

17, 16, 15, ____, ____

Please continue to practice number formations with your child to ensure numbers are the correct way round.

Upcoming events

NSPCC Number Day

We will be taking part in Dress up for Digits on Friday 4th February 2022. Pupils can come to school wearing an item of clothing with a number on it (football shirt, cap, netball shirt etc.) To help raise money for the NSPCC, we are asking for a £1 donation.

Children's Mental Health Week -Monday 7th February 2022

We will be working on a Weather Noticing Feelings Art Project.

Thank you!

The Reception Team