#### **IMPORTANT NOTICES**

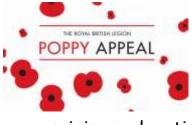
- Timings for Reception- 8.45 to 3.10
- Phone-free zone Yeading Infant School is a phone-free zone. Please ensure phones are put away while collecting your child.
- Park and stride Please park away from school near the church / park when dropping off your child and walk into school.
- Nut allergies Just another reminder that we do not allow any nuts on school grounds including food that 'may contain nuts'



Infant & Nursery School

# Reception Weekly Newsletter 5th November 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



We will be selling poppies from Monday 8<sup>th</sup> November. If your child would like to purchase one, please make a minimum donation of 50p. Thank you.

#### Reading

Children should be able to sound out all the Phase 2 Phonics sounds at this time: s,a,t,p,i,n,m,d,q,o,c,k,ck,e,u,r,h,b,f,ff,l,ll and ss.

Ideally children should be reading for 10 minutes per evening. Please help them if they need some support with this.

Please do not forget to access Bug Club if you need extra reading books, the children have logins stuck into their Digital Passports and their reading books.

https://www.activelearnprimary.co.uk/login?c=0

#### **USEFUL WEBSITES**

- Mr Thorne Does Phonics with Geraldine the Giraffe on YouTube-• https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC7sW4j8p7k9D gRRMUsGgyw
- Phonics https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/reading/reading-schemesoxford-levels/read-write-inc-phonics-guide/
- Phonics play www.phonicsplay.co.uk
- Top Marks https://www.topmarks.co.uk/english-games/5-7years/letters-and-sounds

### General

We wish you all a warm welcome back to school.

Please ensure you have booked a parents evening appointment with your class teacher.

### Literacy

This term, our class literacy book will be 'The Very Hungry Caterpillar' by Eric Carle. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=75NQK-Sm1YY

<u>**Homework</u>** - Please look at the life cycle of a caterpillar with your child, and practice sequencing events within the story with your child.</u>

# Phonics

We will continue to revise Phase 2 Phonics sounds for the next two weeks, we will then be moving onto Phase 3 letter sounds: j,v,w,x,y,z,zz,qu,ch,sh,th,ng,ai,ee,igh,oa,oo,ar,or,ur,ow,oi and ear. Please practise Phase 3 sounds at home to benefit your child's learning.

<u>Homework</u> - It is very important that the children can sound out and write these letters. Can the children recognise them in written form, can they hear the sound at the start of words, can the children write them?

## Maths

This week we have been looking at writing numbers above 10, and recognising 2D shapes.

<u>Homework</u> - Please practise writing numerals above 10 as well as independently recognising 2D shapes and their names.

## Rhyme of the Week

### The Fuzzy Caterpillar Rhyme

(Sing to the tune of 'Down in the Jungle' or choose your own tune.)

The fuzzy caterpillar, Curled up on a leaf, Spun her little chrysalis, Then fell asleep. While she was sleeping, She dreamed she could fly, And later she woke up, And was a butterfly!



### A polite reminder -Parents Meetings

These will continue throughout the week of 8<sup>th</sup> November, and we will have several available slots before and after school. Please sign up with your teacher when the list becomes available. You may bring your children with you, though they will need to sit quietly. Meetings will last 10minutes, so please do not be late as meetings will finish at the allocated time, and you may miss out.

Morning appointments.... After your meeting your children will leave with you, only to return at our school start time of 8.45am. Afternoon appointments... children need to be picked up at normal school time-3.10pm. Anyone arriving late will need to pick up their child from the school office.

<u>Thank you !</u>

The Reception Team