

General

We have had a super week, the sun is still shining and the children have been revisiting their gardens to see their plants growing.

We have also been watching our class caterpillars grow. We are looking forward to them changing into cocoons and then beautiful butterflies.

We would really appreciate some support with £1 cooking money donations as we have lots of plans for this autumn term.

COLLECTING INFORMATION

Timings for Reception are 8:45 - 3:10.

Where a person other than a child's parent is collecting a child from school, we need to have their name and phone number in advance.

Important

Parents/Carers, please can you write your child's name (first name and surname) on all their clothing, book bags and water bottles.

Rhyme of the Week - National Poetry Day

On the 7th October we will be celebrating National Poetry Day and the Reception classes will be reciting the poem **Healthy choices** to the other Reception classes.

Can you please help them learn it (to the tune of Frère Jacques).



Where's my fruit?
Where's my fruit?
Here it is! Here it is!
I make healthy choices.
I make healthy choices.
Every day! Every day!



Infant & Nursery School

Reception Weekly Newsletter

24th September 2021

Please visit us on our website:

www.yeadinginf.co.uk

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

Class teacher's email addresses:

Tigger class - tiggerclass1@gmail.com

Roo class - rooclass2@gmail.com

Rabbit class - rabbitclass03@gmail.com

Owl class - owlclass04@gmail.com

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.
- **Nut allergies** - Just another reminder that we do not allow any nuts on school grounds including food that 'may contain nuts'
- **Supervised Tooth Brushing**- Please can you complete and return the form to your class teacher if you have not done so already. Thank you.

Reading

All children have been given a reading book and a Reading Record. It is important for children to understand how to look after a book and the features e.g. front cover, back cover and the title. The children would be practising turning one page at a time. This is an important aspect to teach children about reading books.

Please make sure reading books and records are in school every day, as staff try to listen to children read as much as possible.

Bug Club

Please see this wonderful tutorial for all you need to know about using our wonderful digital reading library.....

<https://www.yeadinginf.co.uk/bug-club-user-video/>

Topic

This term our topic is - **All About Me.**

Please have a think about the body parts of a caterpillar and a butterfly. Can you draw a picture and label the body parts?

Literacy

Our class literacy book this half term is 'Mixed' by Arree Chung.

Homework - Discuss what happened in the story when the colours started mixing. How did their facial expressions change? How do you know when someone is happy or upset?

Phonics

This week we have been looking at letter sounds G, O, C, and K. Next week we will be moving onto CK, E, U and R.

Homework - Encourage your child to write their name starting with a capital letter.

Maths

This week we have been practising our numbers 0-10.

Homework - Play the numbers game. Ask your children to get you 1 book, then 2 blocks, then 3 toys etc. See how high they can get. They need to practise counting objects correctly, using their finger to point to each object, and to count the numbers slowly, one count per object.



National Fitness Day

We celebrated National Fitness Day this week. The children enjoyed being more active, playing games outside. We had so much FUN!

Friday 1st October – Bikers Breakfast. We encourage you to ditch the cars, instead bike, walk or scoot to school and pick up a healthy breakfast!

Look out for further information coming soon about the Reception curriculum.

Thank you!

The Reception Team