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**Year 1
Weekly Newsletter
22nd April 2022**

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

**Please note all After School Clubs will commence from
Tuesday 3rd May 2022. Club placements will only be booked
via the school website starting on Monday 25th April at
6:30pm**

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>

Welcome back Year 1!

We are excited for the adventures that our Summer term will bring!

English

This week we have read the introduction to "The Great Kapok Tree" and we have learnt some facts about the rainforest and the rainforest animals.

Next week we will be focusing on nouns, adjectives and verbs and we will be using the new vocabulary to describe the setting of the Great Kapok Tree.

Keywords: The Great Kapok Tree, animals, rainforest, nouns, verbs, adjectives.

Maths

This week we have been looking at making and adding equal groups, learning to add using repeated addition and arrays,

Next week we will be grouping and sharing equal groups.

Keywords: add, altogether, equal, repeated addition, arrays

Games to play at home:

<https://uk.ixl.com/maths/year-1/count-equal-groups>

<https://uk.ixl.com/maths/year-1/identify-multiplication-expressions-for-equal-groups>

Foundation Subjects

Phonics - Split digraph revision

Please visit the following link to help your child with their phonics in preparation for the phonics-screening test in June:

<http://www.oxfordphonicschecksupport.co.uk/review?type=example>

History - Famous Explorers

Computing - Using the keyboard to answer questions

Science: Recycling



Question of the week

What do you know about rainforests?
Where can you find the biggest rainforest?
What can you find in a rainforest?

Highlights of the Week!

This week the children have returned from Easter holidays and we have heard many exciting stories! We had a welcome back assembly where children were able to share some of these stories. We have begun to look at our new and exciting text, "The Great Kapok Tree" and link our knowledge of exotic animals to the story!

The children also had an exciting **pedestrian workshop** in the hall; they learnt how to stay safe when walking to school.



Green Cross Code:

- find a safe place to cross
- stand on the pavement near the kerb
- look all round for traffic and listen
- if traffic is coming - let it pass then look all round again
- when there is no traffic near, walk straight across the road
- keep looking and listening for traffic while crossing

Important notice:

Class assemblies will be commencing this term where each class will be performing a short production. We have capacity for one parent per child to attend these assemblies. The times will be confirmed in due course. The dates are as follows:

- Amber class - 29th April
- Amethyst class - 6th May
- Topaz class - 13th May
- Ruby class - 20th May



Raring2go! Hillingdon Spring Magazine - have a look at the digital magazine which is full of great ideas to enjoy everything that Spring offers... crafting, gardening and enjoying park life that's just on our doorstep! <https://magazines.raring2go.co.uk/hillingdon/spring/>



Fairtrade project -Continue to learn about the meaning of Fairtrade, and to learn more about Fairtrade products and countries through this online resource. See if you can find out about fair trade in our Year 1 country of focus, Brazil. <https://www.fairtrade.org.uk/what-is-fairtrade/where-fairtrade-works/> Thank you.

Have a fun and safe weekend! Year 1 Team.