


General

Reception are continuing to develop their writing skills through 'Write Dance' which has become very popular at Yeading. We will continue to send home their work, so please ask your child about what they have been learning in Write Dance.



With only 3 weeks until the end of Autumn Term please make note of the Christmas events at Yeading:

- **Christmas dinner – date TBC**
- **Christmas Jumper Day – Friday 10th December**
 - **Church visit – Monday 6th December**
- **Term ends on Friday 17th December 2021 at 2:00pm**
- **Children are coming back to school on Wednesday 5th January 2022**

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

Reception

Weekly Newsletter

26th November 2021

Please visit us on our website:

www.yeadinginf.co.uk

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

Reading

Children should be reading for 10 minutes every day. Please ensure you have commented on your child's reading, especially aimed at questions to support with their comprehension of the book. This will support with your child's reading progress at school.

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>

Literacy

This term, our class literacy book will be 'The Very Hungry Caterpillar' by Eric Carle.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=75NQK-Sm1YY>

Homework - Talk about your favourite part of the story. Include why this is your favourite part. Then write about your favourite part of the story. Please do not forget to use connectives such as because.

Phonics

We are continuing to practise 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 for 10 minutes per evening, as well as blending words with your child. For example: sh-ow, h-igh.

Homework - Please practise blending about six words with your child and create a super sentence about their weekend.

Maths

This week we were learning to recognise 3D shapes.

Homework - Make a 3D model to share at school and describe your creation.

Important COVID Update

If your child or any member of your family displays any symptoms or if you have any concerns please do a Lateral Flow (LF) test. If your child has a NEGATIVE LF test please send them to school. If the LF test is POSITIVE, please book a PCR test <https://www.gov.uk/get-coronavirus-test> and contact the school immediately.

Rhyme of the Week

Old King Cole



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Old King Cole was a merry old soul,
And a merry old soul was he,
He called for his pipe,
He called for his bowl,
And he called for his fiddlers three.

This week the children celebrated Friendship week/Anti-Bullying and enjoyed taking part in various fun activities. We made some lovely friendship bracelets and poems to remind each other how important it is to be a good friend.

A polite reminder for parents

We would greatly appreciate any donations of facial tissues. Please remind children to wash their hands in the outdoor sinks located within the playground, before the school start time of 8.45am.

Thank you !

The Reception Team