

#### UPDATE: Future events

-**Mental Health Week** next week. The theme is: **Know Yourself, Grow Yourself**. Use this link to find out more:

<https://www.childrensmentalhealthweek.org.uk/about/>

-**Parent meetings**: Roo class meetings will start from Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> February. Owl class, Rabbit class and Tigger class will have meetings from Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> February. Sign up sheets will go up the week before the meetings. Keep an eye out for them!

-**Reading Workshop**: Monday 10<sup>th</sup> February, in the soft start session (8.45-8.55am). Please come to this event to get some tips on ways to support your child with reading. You will be given an opportunity to put what you have learnt into practise in the Wednesday morning session.

-**Writing Week**: This will be in the final week before the half term holiday. This year the theme is: **DINOSAURS**. More information to be given nearer the time.

-**Mosque visit**: We will be visiting Hayes Muslim Centre in the first week after the half term holiday. We will be using public transport for this visit.

#### Key information

- **Phone-free zone** -Yeading Infant School is a phone-free zone. Please ensure phones are put away while dropping off and collecting your child.
- **Play areas** -should not be used before or after school.
- **Nut allergies** -Just another reminder that we do not allow any nuts on school grounds including food that 'may contain nuts'
- **Warm clothing** -We are now in the midst of the Winter season. Please send your child to school with a warm coat, gloves and a hat, and please ensure these items have your **child's name** clearly written.



**Contributions**: Thank you to the parents and carers who have donated tissues. More boxes would be appreciated.



Infant & Nursery School

## Reception Weekly Newsletter

31st January 2025

Please visit us on our website:

[www.yeadinginf.co.uk](http://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

Whole school attendance last week 91.8%

This is Below National average again.



Class	%
Tigger	94.7
Owl	91.7
Rabbit	87.2
Roo	88.1
Ruby	93.4
Amethyst	90.7
<b>Topaz</b>	<b>95.0</b>
Amber	88.9
<b>Diamond</b>	<b>95.0</b>
Pearl	90.4
Sapphire	92.6
Emerald	93.6

**Well done  
Topaz %  
Diamond**

## Rhyme of the Week

### Celebrate the New Year

(Sing to the tune of 'Here We Go Round the Mulberry Bush')

This is the way we clean the house,  
Clean the house, clean the house.  
This is the way we clean the house,  
To celebrate the new year!

This is the way the dragons dance,  
Dragons dance, dragons dance.  
This is the way the dragons dance,  
To celebrate the new year!

Then we open red envelopes,  
Envelopes, envelopes.  
Then we open red envelopes,  
To celebrate the new year!

Paper lanterns of red and gold,  
Red and gold, red and gold.  
Paper lanterns of red and gold,  
To celebrate the new year!

Then we can eat some yummy food,  
Yummy food, yummy food.  
Then we can eat some yummy food,  
To celebrate the new year!

Then we can watch the fireworks,  
Fireworks, fireworks.  
Then we can watch the fireworks,  
To celebrate the new year!

## Reading

Please make sure you read with your child every day.  
Remember to log into Bug Club!



## Literacy

This week we sequenced 'The Gruffalo' story.  
Next week the children will write about their favourite part of the story.  
You can use this link to watch the story:  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=425kAJU-EOo>

**Homework** - To use numbers to sequence the story.  
-Using capital letters and full stops.

## Phonics

This week we went over these Phase 3 sounds: **air, ure, and er.**  
Next week we will go over all the Phase 3 sounds and start assessments.  
**Homework** - Writing words to match the pictures.  
Please visit this useful website to reinforce the Phase 3 sounds and help your child blend sounds.

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCiMNOX6-Id4zwUcIv-kbbTg>

## Maths

This week we looked at the **capacity** of objects.  
Next week we will investigate the composition of the numbers: 6,7 and 8.  
**Homework** - Use the key words to show how much to put in each glass.

Remember to log into Doodle!



**Spelling words for next week:** come, little, one, were, there, what.  
Remember to check your child's reading record book to see how he/she is getting on.

**Discovery Homework** - will be given out in the week before the half term holiday, and every week from the next half term.

**Lunar New Year** - this week we learnt about this festival. We cooked noodles, and made artwork linked to snakes (the animal for this new year).

WORD OF THE WEEK: TRIUMPH

### Question of the week:

What do you know about snakes? Can you find some interesting information to share with your class?

Thank you  
The Reception Team