

UPDATE: Future events

This **Red Nose Day**, on **20th March 2026**, Yeading Infant and Nursery school is helping Comic Relief celebrate 40 years of going big, giving big, and feeling good together. We are inviting children to dress up in **ONE** red item and bring a donation. We have pledged to raise £250 as a school for this amazing cause! Thank you in advance for all your generosity!

Lost Property -Please label your child's clothing (coats, hats, jumpers and cardigans, etc...). Many items are left around school, and cannot be returned without a name.

Contributions:

- Empty yogurt pots needed for a project about growing.
- Tissues still needed to manage the colds and sniffles.

COOKING MONEY: We kindly ask you to contribute £1.00 towards this half-term's cooking activities.

USEFUL WEBSITES

- Phonics play - www.phonicsplay.co.uk
- Top Marks - <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/english-games/3-5-years/letters-and-sounds>
- Maths <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/Search.aspx?Subject=16&AgeGroup=1>

BBC Tiny Happy People is a new website with many activities to do with your child. Check it out!

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/tiny-happy-people/4-to-5-year-old-child-development-activitie>



Infant & Nursery School

Reception Weekly Newsletter

13th March 2026

Please visit us on our website:

www.yeadinginf.co.uk

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

At Yeading we are proud to be an Outstanding School.

Good attendance = Success, Friendships, Confidence & Bright Futures!

Whole school attendance for

2nd -6th March 2026 **96.7%**

Class	% Attend
Tigger	95.2
Owl	96.2
Rabbit	98.1
Roo	96.6
Ruby	97.6
Amethyst	95
Topaz	96.3
Amber	96.3
Diamond	100
Sapphire	98.4
Pearl	94
Emerald	97.6

Well done Rabbit Class. Brilliant



Rhyme of the Week

I'm a Little Bean Song

(Sing to the tune of 'I'm a Little Teapot'.)

I'm a little bean small and round,
(curl up on the floor)

Bury me deep into the soft ground,
(sung in very low, deep voice)

Sprinkle me with water,
(act out watering can)

Sunshine too.
(hands out wide)

Watch me grow as tall as you.
(stretch to the sky)



Reading

Please make sure you read with your child every day and sign the reading record book. Books should be brought to school every day. They will be changed every Monday and Thursday, but this will only happen if we can see that the books have been read.

Literacy

This week we described the character from Jasper's Beanstalk' using punctuation- capital letters, finger spaces, full stops, and other writing features.

Next week we will be Predicting (what will happen next in the story)



You can use this link to watch the story:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=23INhyreb8M>

Homework - Working on punctuation- Capital letters, finger spaces and full stops.

Phonics

This week we went over these sounds: **sh, ch, th,** and **ng.**

Next week will go over these sounds: **ai, ee, igh** and **oa**

Children will be encouraged to blend these sounds when reading and writing words and sentences.

Maths

This week we learnt halving the numbers.

Next week we will be looking at 2D shapes.

Homework - Recognising 2D shapes and halving numbers.

Discovery Homework - Making a poster for Science Week.

Due back by 24th March.

WORD OF THE WEEK: CURIOSITY

Question of the week:

What was your favourite Science experiment? Why?

Thank you,
The Reception Team