

General

- Thank you to all parents who attended our curriculum meeting this week. This provides guidance and strategies to support your child at home.
- We would really appreciate some support with £1 cooking money donations as we have lots of plans for this autumn term.
- **Junk Modelling** - We would like donations of cardboard packages for children to create and build models. Please ensure packages have not previously contained nut substances.

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. Also we would need collection password for the day.

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

USEFUL WEBSITES

- Phonics - <https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/reading/reading-schemes-oxford-levels/read-write-inc-phonics-guide/>
- Phonics play - www.phonicsplay.co.uk
- Literacy Glossary: <https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/at-school/education-glossary/grammar-literacy-glossary-a-c/>
- Maths Glossary: <https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/at-school/education-glossary/maths-education-glossary-a-j/>. Top marks maths games- <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/3-5-years/counting>
- **Reception Curriculum** https://www.yeadinginf.co.uk/_site/data/files/parent-information/75C4E3B81F13466023B8094FD98B6584.pdf
- **Meet the teacher** (https://www.yeadinginf.co.uk/_site/data/files/parent-information/CBEDAF50D8ED7A910523B890924E4603.pdf - Reception only)



• Lateness has a devastating effect on teaching and learning process in the school which has a great negative impact on school standard, pupils academic performance, absenteeism and distractions for other



Infant & Nursery School

Reception Weekly Newsletter

26th September 2025

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

At Yeading we are proud to be an Outstanding School.

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

Attendance for week 15th-19th Septembe 96%

Group	% Attend
Tigger	98.6
Owl	88.3
Rabbit	93.2
Roo	91.1
Ruby	96.3
Amethyst	96.4
Topaz	95.0
Amber	97.1
Diamond	100
Sapphire	95.7
Pearl	99.3
Emerald	97.0



WELL DONE DIAMOND

CLASS

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'

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.

Reading Workshop (15th October)

We will be hosting a Reading workshop for parents on **15th October** (Wednesday) in the hall at **9am**. Mrs. Hall will be sharing reading strategies that will benefit children and foster love for reading at home.

Topic

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

Please have a think about our body parts. Can you draw a picture of your body and label the body parts? For example: head, leg, feet, hands etc.

Outdoor Learning

As we embrace the joy of outdoor learning we want children to be well prepared for outdoor learning. Please send labelled wellies to school in a labelled bag. Please make sure the wellies are a good fit and easy for your child to put on and take off. Thank you!

Literacy

This week we have been talking about the story. Next week we will be retelling about the favourite part in the story 'The Very Hungry Caterpillar' retold by Julia Donaldson.

Homework: Please talk to your children about their favourite part of the story.

Phonics

This week we have been looking at letter sounds Gg, Oo, Cc and Kk

For example- girl, get, go

Next week we will be moving onto CK ck, Ee, Uu, Rr

For example-duck, back, sock

Homework - Encourage your child to write their name starting with a capital letter and please complete the given worksheets.

Question of the week

What is your favourite food?

Maths

This week we have been learning to use 1:1 correspondence when we count. Next week we will be learning to classify objects based on one attribute. For e.g. Sorting objects into the complement of objects.



Homework - Support your child to use 1:1 correspondence when they count.



Oracy October 2025 is a month-long, nationwide celebration of oracy (speaking, listening, and communication skills) in the UK, organized by [Voice 21](#). This is a high-quality oracy education programme which builds a sense of belonging, strengthening disciplinary knowledge across the curriculum, as well as creating a rich school environment that is inclusive for all.

Black History Month 2025

Black History Month is from **1 October-31 October 2025**. We will be celebrating and acknowledging the amazing achievements of people from African and Caribbean heritage.

Thank you!

The Reception Team

