

# Attendance procedure at Yeading

## Stage 1: Good Attendance (96% and above)

- **Message:** “Fantastic! Your child is attending regularly and making the most of learning opportunities.”
- **Action:** Continue encouraging punctuality and daily attendance

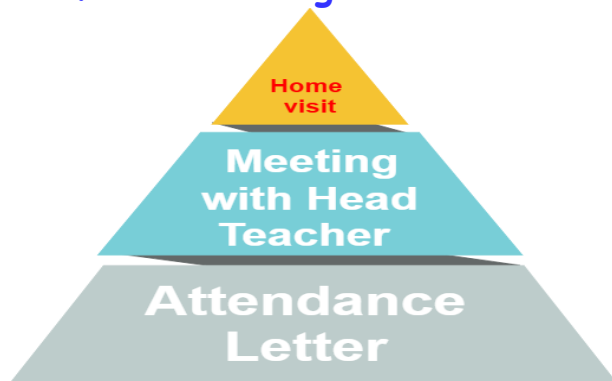
## Stage 2: Cause for Concern (90%–95%)

- **Message:** “Attendance is starting to slip. Missing lessons can affect progress.”
- **Action:** We’ll contact you to discuss any challenges and offer support.

## Stage 3: Serious Concern (Below 90%)

- **Message:** “Persistent absence is a serious issue. It impacts learning and may lead to formal intervention.”
- **Action:** Meeting with school and Home visit

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



English



Infant & Nursery School

## Year One Weekly Newsletter

13<sup>th</sup> February 2026

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

and Instagram account

[https://instagram.com/yeading\\_infants](https://instagram.com/yeading_infants)

You will find all school information,

updates, term dates and up & coming events.

## School opens on Monday

### 13<sup>th</sup> April 2026

Whole school attendance for

16 - 20<sup>th</sup> March 2026 **89.6%**

Class	% Attend
Tigger	89.9
Owl	90.0
Rabbit	88.4
Roo	89.0
Ruby	87.3
Amethyst	92.1
Topaz	93.3
Amber	91.1
Diamond	89.6
Sapphire	85.6
Pearl	89.3
Emerald	88.8



Not good  
attendance  
very sad

**This week** the children have been writing all about 'Aliens'. Children have been using their imagination and writing skills to produce a variety of different writing genres about their creative Aliens.

**Our upcoming topic** after half term is **Paddington Bear**. Please watch the video to ensure your child is familiar with the story.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NhCvDL31DTE>



## **Mathematics**

**This week-** The children have been learning about measurement and comparing lengths and heights of different objects.



**Next Term-** The children will continue looking at measurement.

They will be focusing on weight and comparing the weight of different objects.

**Keywords:** **Heavier, Lighter, Mass, Balance**

**Science:** Our topic for next term is **Living Things and Their Habitats**

**Geography:** Our topic for next term is **Darkest Peru to Yeading**

**R.E:** Our topic for next term is **Christianity and Easter**.

**PSHE** - Our topic for next term is **Our Important People**.

**Art/DT** - Our topic for next term is **Tower and Castle**

**PE Days:**

**Topaz and Amethyst: Monday and Tuesday**

**Amber and Ruby: Tuesday and Wednesday**

### **Question of the week**

What was your favourite part of the story  
*Aliens loves Underpants?*

Word of the week:

**Expedition**

This week, the children have been learning the **ue** sound. They have learnt to read words such as **statue, due, glue and clue**.

Please practise all phase 5 sounds at home: ay, ou, ie, ea, oy, ir, ue, ue, aw, wh, ph, ew, oe, au, ey. As well as the split sounds a-e, e-e, i-e, o-e, u-e. Tricky words include **oh, where, there, little, one, do, when**.



## **IMPORTANT NOTICES:**

**Class Assembly Dates:**

**Amethyst class: 4<sup>th</sup> March**

**Amber Class: 11<sup>th</sup> March**

**Topaz class: 24<sup>th</sup> March**

**Ruby Class: 29<sup>th</sup> April**

## **Ramadan Assembly:**

Well done to Mrs Aboobaker and all the children that took part in the Ramadan Assembly!



## **Children's Mental Health Week 2026:**

The children enjoyed taking part in Children's Mental Health Week exploring this year's theme of "This is my place" and sharing what makes them feel safe, happy and valued.

## **Useful Websites:**

- Phonics - <https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/reading/reading-schemes-oxford-levels/read-write-inc-phonics-guide/>
- Mr. Thorne Does Phonics with Geraldine the Giraffe on YouTube-
- Phonics play - [www.phonicsplay.co.uk](http://www.phonicsplay.co.uk)
- Top Marks - <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/english-games/5-7-years/letters-and-sounds>
- <https://whiteroseeducation.com/1-minute-maths>



**Have a lovely half term break!**

**Year 1 Team** ☺

**SCHOOL RE-OPENS TUESDAY 24<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY 2026**