



**Events & Celebrations**

**Sun Nursery** classes are going to visit the **Soanes Centre** in **Tower Hamlets Cemetery Park** when we will be **'Environment Explorers'**.

As we are such a large class we will be going in two groups on **Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> (pm) & Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> April (am)**.

We would welcome parent volunteers to accompany us.

*Please let the EYFS team know if you are willing and able to join us.*

On the last day of this term (**Friday 4<sup>th</sup> April**) we will be holding an **Easter Parade**. We are inviting our children to wear

**Easter Bonnets.**

Early Years are planning to have their own procession in our garden.

Parents are welcome to stay at drop-off (9am) and we will bring the children out as soon as we have registered them.

You will then be able to go through the gate into the main playground to watch the older children (Year 1-6).

**Eid Celebrations at Chisenhale Primary School**

Our school will be closed for **Eid** on **Monday 31<sup>st</sup> March**.

We will be celebrating in our classes on **Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> April**.

There will be an **Eid Event** in the playground after school **3.30-5pm** on **Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> April**.

**Junk Modelling Materials Please!**

Our children are enthusiastic creators. We would particularly welcome donations of the following items:

- Plastic bottles (all sizes)
- Egg boxes
- Cartons & boxes
- Tubes e.g kitchen towel
- Yoghurt pots & tubs
- Plastic lids and bottle tops

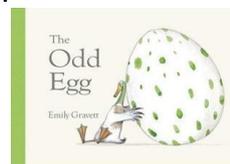
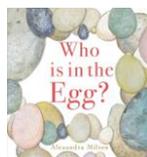
**Easter**

The Easter holiday will be from **Monday 7<sup>th</sup>– Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> April**. Back to school on **Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup>**

**This Week in the EYFS**

We have had an exciting week as the Aylesbury duck eggs which were delivered on Monday hatched into four delightful ducklings overnight on Tuesday. The children are enjoying observing how they are growing and changing so quickly!

In **Nursery** our word of the week has been **science** as we joined the rest of the school for **Science Week**. Our scientific investigations focused on **floating** and **sinking**. We observed how eggs made of different materials behaved when placed in water. We were then able to make more accurate predictions about which objects would float or sink as we began to understand that the material that something is made of could be a factor. We have also continued writing our own 'Flower Books' as our sunflower seeds have germinated. In mathematics we counted and drew six speckly eggs. We have added **Oo** to the letters that we can name and sound in our phonic knowledge.



**Reception** classes have extended their learning about ducks to explore adaptations and change during Science Week. They have experimented with waterproofing as they have learned how duck feathers resist water. They have looked at some ways in which other animals and vegetables adapt and change. They have also been observing our ducklings. They have been revising the digraphs **or** and **ur** and the 'tricky words' **are** and **we**. In mathematics they have been looking at odd and even numbers and investigating doubling. On Friday we supported **Comic Relief** by celebrating **'Red Nose Day'** *Thank you for your generous contributions to the charity.*

**Update for Woodlark Class**

Unfortunately, April was not able to have the surgery on her foot this week as planned. Her operation has now been rescheduled for the end of the Easter Holiday.

**Therefore we are delighted to inform you that April will continue to teach Woodlarks until the end of this half term!**

**Clothing, Water Bottles & Lost Property**

If you are planning to order some new school uniform for your child from MyClothing <https://myclothing.com/> you can use this code for a 10% discount: **UNIFORM10%** Expires 31/03/2025 Please also remember we have lots of pre-loved uniform in the room near the office for bargain prices, or free if you need it.

**Help!**

We have run out of our supplies of spare clothes – especially leggings, jogging bottoms, trousers and socks – to change children into if they get wet. Many children do not have their changing bags in school when staff come to change them. This is distressing for children and time consuming for adults as we try to find something that fits them.

**We would also welcome donations of these items.**

Children should continue to bring a **water bottle** into school every day. **All personal property should be labelled clearly with your child's name and class!**

*It will help us to help your child to learn to look after their property.*