

## EYFS Newsletter Summer 1

28<sup>th</sup> May 2021

# Chisenhale Primary School



Learning Together for a Better Future



We said goodbye to our five little ducklings this morning as they were taken back to their farm for the holiday.



Many thanks to the adults who responded to the request to help refill our sandpit. The children finished the job yesterday and the sandpit will be declared officially open with a 'beach party'.

### Parent partnership

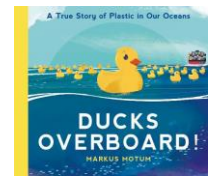
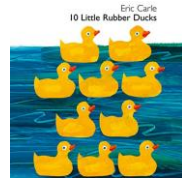
We have two designated email addresses for queries:

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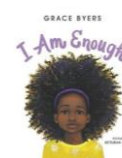
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You can also send us feedback or images.

### This week in the EYFS



In Nursery, we concluded our learning about travelling with the journey made by '10 Little Rubber Ducks' by Eric Carle. This is based on a true story of a consignment of toys that was lost at sea. The story includes directional and positional language and ordinal numbers to describe where each of the rubber ducks drifted to on the ocean. We counted, drew, labelled, collaged and painted ducks. Our phonic learning has been the letter 'j' for journey.



In Reception, the children read books about diversity and difference as they revisited Black History Month themes, which they would usually have covered in the Autumn Term. Their mathematical learning has been focused on doubling numbers.



We would welcome donations of **junk modelling materials** – all kinds of packaging, tubes, boxes, cartons, bottles, tubs, lids and pots.

We are also running low on **spare clothes** to change children into when they get dirty or wet. We particularly need **jogging bottoms/leggings, socks, underwear, and footwear**.

Please ensure your child's changing bag is replenished and returned to school promptly.

### Half-term holiday

The Half-term holiday will begin **today Friday 28<sup>th</sup> May!**  
School will reopen on **Monday 7<sup>th</sup> June 2021.**  
**Have a happy holiday!**

### End of day arrangements

The green screens enable our families to wait safely when dropping off and collecting the children.

Nursery parents should queue **against the wall** from **3.10pm** for pick up at the end of the day, whilst Reception parents should queue **against the green screens** from **3.20pm**.

All queuing from the gate towards the school office.

### Clothing, water bottles & lost property

Children need changing bags in school. They can leave them in school, and we will only send them home if they have had to change during the day. Any wet or dirty clothes will be put in a recycled plastic bag in the changing bag.

***We always need more carrier bags, if you have them.***

Children also need to continue to bring a water bottle, clearly labelled with their name, into school every day.

***This should only contain fresh water.***

**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.