# Chisenhale Primary School

EYFS Newsletter Summer 1

21<sup>st</sup> May 2021

#### NEWSFLASH!

The eggs have arrived! We are watching and waiting eagerly for them to hatch into their incubator in Star Class.



We have also had a delivery of sand to refill our sandpit!

### Parent Partnership

We have two designated email addresses for queries: <u>Nurseryteachers@chisenhale.to</u> <u>werhamlets.sch.uk</u> <u>Receptionteachers@chisenhale.</u> <u>towerhamlets.sch.uk</u> You can also send us feedback or images.



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 on Monday 31<sup>st</sup> May. School will reopen after half term on Monday 7<sup>th</sup> June 2021.





Learning Together for a Better Future

## This week in the EYFS

This week was Science Week. We have been 'training like astronauts' for our Mission X space-themed programme of teaching and learning which has included physical challenges, scientific investigations and developing our knowledge and understanding of space – the final frontier!

In Nursery we used static electricity to explore gravity, before investigating ways to send balloons into space! We used junk modelling to make rockets and drew our planet. We learnt that men went from Earth to the moon, and how they got there and came back again safely.

Our phonic learning has been the letter 'r' for rocket!



Reception children have ventured further into the solar system. They have been reading non-fiction books about space. They have been learning about the planets and making drawings, models and constructions. They have been writing a list of what they would want to take with them on a journey into space.

### End of day arrangements

The green screens enable our families to wait safely when dropping off and collecting the children. Nursery parents should queue <u>against the wall</u> 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.