# The Weekly News

BROADHURST SCHOOL NEWSLETTER | 25TH MARCH 2022

## DEAR PARENTS,

#### **HATCHING EGGS**

We have some egg-citing news to share! Miss Clarkson kindly donated some eggs to the school from her family farm and this week the chicks have started to hatch! The children have been eagerly waiting for this day and they were delighted to see the fluffy little chicks exploring their new home and eating their food. In class, we have been learning about the life-cycle of a chicken this week and we have made some wonderful chick crafts. Welcome to the world little chicks!

















# CLASS 2 NEWS

#### **BY MISS MELISSA**

This week Class 2 have been having fun in the spring sun and have really enjoyed exploring our new playhouse in the garden. Our cake cafe role play area has supported the children in their imaginative play through creating different recipes and using the order forms to practise their writing skills. Class 2 have continued to learn about lifecycles, with chickens as the focus this week. Our investigation tray has allowed the children to develop their understanding of how chicks hatch from eggs and we have been fortunate enough to look at real eggs that are being incubated at school.







## **IN PHONICS...**

we have been revising the six letters we have learnt so far 's', 'a', 't', 'p', 'i' and 'n'. The children have been enjoying singing all the Jolly Phonics songs during circle time and working with their teachers to identify initial sounds in words such as 'sun' and 'ambulance'.

### IN MATHS...

we focused on 2D shapes, and we have even begun to introduce more complex shapes such as hexagon and pentagon. The children have enjoyed counting the sides of the shapes during circle time. We have also used circles and triangles to create our very own 3D chicks.

