

Rang 3 Work for week 5/5/20 – 8/5/20

Monday 4/5/20

Bank Holiday Monday

Tuesday 5/5/20

Reader Pg 206. Written work(Comprehension) Pg 204 Ex's C& D in English 1 copy.

Spellwell Pg 60 Block 104 Exercises A& B

Litrigh É Linn: Pg 56 Ex.1.Súil Siar(Revision week)Unscramble sentences and write out properly.

Tables: 7 times multiplication tables revision

Maths Challenge: Tests 90 & 91

History: Pgs 80-84 Read through whole chapter on Transport

Handwriting Bk Pg54

Wednesday 6/5/20

Reader Pg 207. Written work(True or false) Pg204 Ex E. Please write out questions and then underline answer in English 1 copies.

Spellwell Pg 60 Block 105 Exercise C&D

Litrigh É Linn Pg 56 Ex 2. Write correct colour under each picture.

Tables: 8 times multiplication tables revision

Maths Challenge: Tests 92 & 93

Handwriting Bk Pg55

Geography/Science Pgs 100&101(Heat) Read through these two pages and try and work out all the heat sources in your own home.

Thursday 7/5/20

Reader Pg 208. Written work(Complete the sentences) Pg205 Ex F. (Unscramble the sentences).Pg205 ExG.(Contractions,we looked at these already this year).

Spellwell Pg 60 Block 103. Exercise E&F.

Litrigh É Linn Pg56. Ex 3. Write correct questions to match each picture.

Tables: 9 times multiplication tables revision

Maths Challenge: Tests 94 & 95

Geography/Science Pg 102 Ex A Questions to be done in SESE copy. Remember rule out and new heading!

Friday 8/5/20

Reader Pg 209. Written Work Pg 205 Ex.H. We have done this before. Maybe do this out as a poster on a sheet of paper, alternatively do it as a full page in English 1 copy.

Spellwell Pg 60 Block 104. Learn all spellings (Parent/older sibling may administer test if available) Exercise G

Litriugh É Linn: Pg 56. No test this week but learn all spellings on page today.

Handwriting Bk Pg 56

Geography/Science Pg 102 Activities B&C to be completed. Exercise B answers to be written out. If you haven't got your dictionary perhaps ask an adult or look up meaning online if device is available.

Tables; 10 times multiplication tables revision

Dear Parent,

I hope everyone is well since I was last in contact with you. Hopefully everybody enjoyed the bank holiday weekend and people were out and about in the beautiful weather. I'm sure ye as parents were as disappointed as I was to hear the announcement that there will be no return to school until September. I suppose all that can be done is to keep positive and have realistic expectations for how much work the children will do at home.

Again the work is in the same format this week so if possible print out the sheet above so the children have that as their guide. **Last week I started using a learning platform called SeeSaw. I have put up another assignment today and I will also add a short maths tutorial video on Wednesday morning. Again for anyone who hasn't yet forwarded on their email address to me, my email address is pflood@stlachtainsns.ie.** I have had contact from a few parents who for a number of reasons; lack of devices, poor internet etc don't want to engage with Seesaw and I just want to stress again all this work is optional, please don't feel under any pressure or that your child is missing out on anything. It's just to give people a different online option. Personally I would hope that children keep up with the 'Home School Hub' and after that as I have said before I think two hours is the maximum children should be spending at schoolwork these days. The following are some ideas for people who may want additional work for their children this week:

Reading:

I think each student should be able to read for half an hour each day. A good number of students accessed their accounts the past two weeks but for anyone who didn't and wants to the link is below. For those who may struggle with their reading a great website is <https://stories.audible.com> which has thousands of books the children can listen to for free.

- <https://ukhosted11.renlearn.co.uk/6657860/> (if anyone has forgotten their passwords I can forward them onto them)

Gaeilge:

To access Sin é! 3 online you need to go to www.edcolearning.ie. Once in the site you then have to enter a username and a password. You can find these on the homepage but in case you can see them the username is **primaryedcobooks** and the password is **edco2020**. Once you find Sin é!3 in the menu our theme this month is An Teilifís (you may have to rightclick and press openlink to access this). We start a new theme (Caitheamh Aimsire (Pastimes)) and the following is the work I would like the children to do this week-

Monday:

Pg139. Read the story 'Ríco ag snámh' and do the questions that follow. To help the translation of the questions are underneath:

1. What does Rory do every Saturday?
2. What does he put on?
3. Where does Rory go swimming?
4. Where does Rico go swimming?
5. Does Rico put on swimming goggles?
6. Do Rory and Rico like going swimming?

Tuesday:

Pg 140-Cad atá ar siúl ag Ríco? Put the correct words into the sentences. The following is the vocabulary needed translated-culaith shnámha (swimming togs), hata snámha (swimming hat), ag léim (jumping), ag dul síos (going down), ag snámh (swimming) and spéaclaí snámha (swimming goggles).

Wednesday:

Pg141 read 'An Bradán Feasa (The Salmon of Knowledge)' and do the questions underneath (Remember your tenses, story is in past tense (Aimsir Chaite). The questions are translated below:

1. Which name had the old man?
2. Where did he live?

3. What did he do every day?
4. Whats did he catch when he was fishing?
5. Who lived with the old man?
6. What did Fionn do?

Thursday:

Pg 142:TÁ Ruby ag...You can't match the number to each activityas CD is in school so simply match each activity to its picture.ag imirt cispheile(playing basketball)Other vocabulary previously covered.

As the children don't have their Irish books/copies home with them if they could do this work in a spare copy they have at home that would be great.

Maths: We will continue to work with our Mathemagic 3 books this week. As stated last week CJ Fallon have made it free to access all their books and the following is the link to access it:

Mathemagic link:[//my.cjfallon.ie/dashboard/student-resources](https://my.cjfallon.ie/dashboard/student-resources)

We were due to focus on division for the next two weeks. This week was based upon the whole notion of equating division with sharing equally. We would also have been looking at written problems based on this logic. The first two pages of chapter 16 have already been completed but I would like everyone to look at Pgs 81 &82 and try to complete the written problems there. They are all based on the 5 and ten times division tables which the children should know fairly well so hopefully they won't have too many difficulties with them. I will post a short video tutorial Wednesday morning on Seesaw for anyone who is finding it difficult.

- Topmarks is a great free English website for interactive games. You can access this using the following link:<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button> (Third grade is the same as third class if you're wondering what level the children are at)
- <https://www.timestables.com/1-minute-test/> Something the children really enjoyed was our tables tests worksheets which consisted of getting as many tables right as possible in 1 minute. The link above is a similar interactive test which the children may enjoy.

English:

We looked at contractions before school closed and we are looking at them again this week in our English book. I would like people to try writing a story based on your pet. For those who don't have a pet you have poetic license to make it as interesting as possible eg 'My Pet Hippo'!!! want everyone to have at least six contractions in their stories and underline them eg. Let's /I'm / We're etc. Finally as previously stated we have some excellent writers in our class so make this as interesting as possible, no more than three pages, just try to remember all the basics; capital letters, full stops, paragraphs etc

SESE:

The children's topic in Science this week is 'Heat'. While the last thing I want to do is annoy busy parents if you could just explain the different ways your house is heated if you have the time. A lot of people are baking more now and it would be brilliant to let the children watch and see how the different ingredients change when heat is added. In history we start look at Transport this week and how it change over time. Children always seem fascinated by The Titanic so I would like if they did some research on that and if they could write out ten bullet point facts about it. There is a virtual tour available of the wreck of the Titanic which can be accessed by clicking on this link-

<https://thenextweb.com/google/2012/04/14/you-can-now-take-a-3d-tour-of-the-titanic-using-google-earth/>

PE:

With the weather set to again take a turn this Wednesday a lot of exercise may have to take place indoors in the latter part of the week. In my previous posts I suggested a number of links including Joe Wicks, GoNoodle and Donna Dunne Fitness to keep active. T.J Reid is still running his two free Facebook Live classes a week for children that mix GAA skills and fitness. The classes are on Tuesday and Thursday at 12 noon. I'd like to set two challenges again for our GAA players but maybe again this week do them Monday and Tuesday.

1. Weak side: Hit the ball off the wall on your weak side!!See how many clean strikes you can get out of twenty attempts.

2. Batting the ball: You'll need an assistant for this one; get somebody to throw the ball up to you high in the air. Try to bat the ball down without swinging the hurl. Keep the hurl straight here; your aim is not to let the ball through you so just focus on that. Try it twenty times and count how many times you can block it down..

Finally if there's anything anyone wants help with or worried about feel free to email me at pflood@stlachtainsns.ie As I've said before I'm farming a lot at the moment so if I don't get back to you straight away apologies but I will get back to you as soon as I get to my laptop

and I see your message. For any children reading this message I am so disappointed we're not going to get to finish out this school year together but just keep doing your bit at home and again do what your parents ask you to do. Keep safe everyone!

Regards,

Mr.Flood.