Monday 11/5/20

Reader Pgs 212&213. Written work (Comprehension)Pg 210 Ex B in English 1 copy.

Spellwell Pg 62 Block 105 Exercise A

Litrigh É Linn: Pg 57 Ex 2. Learn first two spellings(ag léamh (reading) & ag scríobh (writing))

Tables: 11 times multiplication tables revision

Handwriting Bk Pg 57

Maths Challenge: Tests 96 and 97

History: Again read 'Transport' Pgs 80-84. Complete Exercises A&B. Please underline your word selection for

Ex B and make sure to go onto a new page and write your heading Transport in SESE copy.

Tuesday 12/5/20

Reader Pgs 214&215. Written work(Comprehension) Pg 210 Ex C(True or false) in English 1 copy.

Spellwell Pg 62 Block 106 Exercise B

Litrigh É Linn: Pg 58 Ex.3. Learn next two spellings (ag rince (dancing) and ag canadh (singing)

Tables: 12 times multiplication tables revision

Maths Challenge: Test 98

History:Pg 85 Ex. C in SESE copy. If your parent has time you might discuss whether you agree or disagree

with the statement here before you write your answer.

Wednesday 13/5/20

Reader Pgs 216&217. Written work(True or false) Pg211 Ex E. Sort out the mixed-up sentences in English 1 copies.

Spellwell Pg 62 Block 107 Exercise C

Litrigh É Linn Pg 58 Ex 4. Learn next two spellings (ag snámh(swimming) and ag éisteacht(listening)

Tables: 2 times division tables revision

Maths Challenge: Test 99 Handwriting Bk Pg58

Geography/Science: Continue on 'Heat' and read Pgs 102&103

Thursday 14/5/20

Reader Pgs 218&219. Written work(Complete the sentences) Pg211 Ex E

Spellwell Pg 62 Block 108. Exercise D.

Litrigh É Linn Pg58 Ex5. Learn last two spellings (ag seinm (playing(music))& ag rith (running))

Tables: 3 times division tables revision

Maths Challenge: Test 100

Geography/Science Pg 104 Ex A to be done in SESE copy. Remember full answers please!

Friday 15/5/20

Reader Pg 220. Written Work Pg 211 Ex.H. No more than 2 pages here. If you like to write it in the 1st person and pretend you are the cheetah that could be fun! English 1 copy.

Spellwell Pg 62. Learn all spellings(Parent/older sibling may administer test if available) Exercise E

Litrigh É Linn: Pg 57. Learn all spellings (Parent/older sibling may administer test if available)

Handwriting Bk Pg 59

Geography/Science Pg 104 Activities B&C to be completed. Exercise C:give at least three ways that humans stay cool.

Tables: 4 times division tables revision

Dear Parent,

I hope everyone is well since I was last in contact with you. Again the work is in the same format this week so if possible please print out the sheet above so the children have that as their guide. Last week more saw more people engage with SeeSaw so I might add a few extra pieces on that this week. I will put up 3 assignments and I will also put up 2 short maths tutorial videos on Monday and Wednesday morning. Again for anyone who hasn't yet forwarded on their email address to me, my email address is pflood@stlachtainsns.ie. As stated last week Seesaw is just another option, please don't feel under any pressure or that your child is missing out on anything if it doesn't suit you to engage with it. As the weeks go on I imagine it's getting harder to get children to engage with learning so just do what is possible but please do encourage the children to read as much as possible in their own time. 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 three weeks but for anyone who didn't and there's a device available please encourage them to access their AR accounts using the link below.

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 right click and press open link 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:

Pg143. Read the story 'An Bhanphrionsa ag Damsha' and do the questions that follow. To help the translation of the questions are underneath:

- 1. Where was the princess living?
- 2. What was on in the palace every Saturday?
- 3. What is her friends name?
- 4. What did the girls really enjoy?
- 5. How was their dancing teacher?
- 6. Which places did they come in the competition?

-Tuesday:

Pg 144-Cárta Poist. While the children don't have their CD I think they should be able to fill in the pastcard with the help of the vocabulary underneath and also do the True or false (Fíor nó bréagach) that follows: sceitimíní=excitement, dara=second, comórtas=competition, linn=us

-Wednesday:

Pg145 read 'Cluiche Cispheile(Basketball Game)' and do the questions underneath(Remember your tenses, story is in present tense(Aimsir Láithreach). The questions are translated below:

- 1. What does Una do at school every day?
- 2. Who is the referee?
- 3. What is in the teacher's mouth?
- 4. What is on after school?
- 5. What sport does Una like?
- 6. What does she like on television?
- -Thursday

Pg 146: Comórtas Cispheile(basketball competition). Look at poster, read questions and tick the bock beside the correct answer. Questions translated below:

- 1. What sort of game is mentioned on the poster?
- 2. Where is the match on?
- 3. What time does the game start at?
- 4. What day is the game on?
- 5. Who is playing in this game?

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 has 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

We will continue to look at division this week. This week is based upon the whole notion of that there is 4 ways of doing division. We will also look at division of bigger numbers(bigger than the tables we have learned). We will be looking at pages 119,120,121 and just questions 1 and 2 on page

122. I will post two short video tutorials on Monday and Wednesday mornings on Seesaw for anyone who is finding it difficult.

- Topmarks is a great free English website for interactive games. You can acess 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 synonyms before school closed. A synonym is a word that is close in meaning to another word e.g job and work, rock and stone. This week I thought the children could come up with their own list of 6 words and their accompanying synonyms and then put all 12 words into sentences to explain their meaning underlining the words in the sentences in red pen.

SESE: The children's topic in Science/Geography this week again is 'Heat'. While the last thing I want to do is annoy busy parents if you could look at the experiment on page 104 to make a mini greenhouse. If you have some seeds at home it would be very easy to do, obviously the cutting of the plastic bottle would have to be done by an adult. In history we finished at Transport this week and how it changed over time. We looked at the Titanic last week and I was hoping this week the children could do a project on the 'Jeanie Johnston.' Undeneath is the link to the Jeanie Johnston website https://jeaniejohnston.ie/history/

PE:.

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. Another thing I'd like to add can be found at the following link. It's a simple but fun exercise where the children spell out their name and do the explained exercise that goes with each letter.

https://www.730sagestreet.com/spell-your-name-workout/

For this weeks challenge for our GAA players I'd like to tie it in to 'Our Future Club Stars' competition which they county board started running this week. It's for u-13 players so I've made the challenge slightly easier for our class:

-4 markers in a line 2m apart. Jab lift the sliotar to hurl, (without catching the sliotar), carry through the markers and then back to the start again. Keep sliotar on the hurl. Record number of sliotar drops from 10 attempts!!

Finally if there's anything anyone wants help with or is worried about feel free to email me at pflood@stlachtainsns.ie. As I have said before all work sent out is just a menu of work to do what your child can. All new topics to be taught during this time will be revised again in September so please do not worry about your child falling behind!

Continue to enjoy this family time together.

Kind Regards,

Mr. Flood.