

Senior Infants. Schoolwork Monday 18th Jan. 2021:

Additional resources all subjects: See links section of St Lachtains NS website.

Additional graded reading: www.oxfordowl.co.uk .

English:

1. Jolly Phonics:

- Recall and sing Jolly Phonics "ie" song with actions. (See song on Seesaw/School website)
- Read "ie" words (posted to Seesaw/School website.)

2. Spellwell:

- Week 17/18 Some people are on different weeks.
- Continue with one section Mon-Wed as usual.

3. Reading:

- Over the Moon. Read Kelly's House Hunt together with an adult 2-4 pages. Pay attention to punctuation marks and their significance (full stop, comma)
- Try www.oxfordowl.co.uk for free graded readers if you are looking for extra material. You can find the Story Sparks/ Oxford Reading Tree/SongBirds Phonics series readers in here which we use in school. Our class is probably level 2 up, but I would start at level 1 for practice and keep going on up the levels! It's great for confidence to fly through the starting levels.

- "Reading Eggs" if you are on it and looking for more material.
- Comprehension : Make Links (e.g. What does this story remind you of in your life?/ Does it remind you of any other stories/films/songs/poems?; Predictions(What do you think will happen next?) during reading engaged in this week.

4. Read Jolly Phonics Tricky words Set 4 (1st 4 words). (Posted to Seesaw and website.)

5. Genre Writing: (Recount.)

- Write a Recount about your weekend.

1. Tell your story orally first (Include:When/Where/Who/What happened)

2. Plan the writing. (Under the headings When/Where/Who/What draw a picture/write a word. (See link to Recount Template on email/ School website.

3. Use your plan to write the recount.

Resist the temptation to spell for them. Approximate spelling is what you are aiming for. Half a page or more and a lovely colourful picture would be fab! Encourage them to clap/stretch out the sounds in words if needs be. I would love to see some of your work if possible😊

Maths (Number 7):

- Sing : I can Show the Number 7 song. (See Seesaw/School website).
- See how many ways you can show the number 7, recall a few from the song! (fingers/word/numeral/dice/sticks/number line/pasta/picture/domino/whatever else you can think of!)
- Create a Number 7 area in your kitchen! (Select 7 of any item that will fit there eg. 7 books/7spoons/7 small toys/7 colours etcc.....
- Write the number 7 in sand/water/trace it on the table/your hand/your mam/dad's back!
- Write 1 page of 7's in your Maths copy!
- Upload any of this work today if possible 😊

Irish : (An Aimsir:The Weather)

- Recall, say and mime last weeks sentences (abairtí):
1. Tá an lá fuar inniu. (The day is cold.)
 2. Tá an lá te inniu. (The day is hot.)
 3. Tá an lá fluich inniu. (The day is wet.)
 4. Tá an lá tirim inniu. (The day is dry.)
 5. Tá an la gaofar inniu. (The day is windy.)
 6. Tá an lá scamallach inniu. (The day is cloudy.)

- Sing and clap along to : "Tá an Lá Fuar Inniu." (Seesaw/School Website)
- Mime above weather elements to a partner and see if they know what it is . Swop over!
- Bua na Cainte leathanach (page) 24. (Cén saghas lae é? (What kind of day is it?) Tá an lá scamallach/gaofar) (The day is cloudy/windy.)

I would love to see the completed work. 😊

*On Mondays we do History and Grow in Love.

History: (Long Ago and Now.)

- Dul siar (revision)
- Recall work done on old and new household items from before Xmas eg. (scrubbing board/washing machine/iron/kettle/lantern/candle holder/ lamp/pram)
- Recall changes in above items over time. (eg. materials used to make them ie old kettle: metal; new kettle: plastic etc...)
- Recall properties of old new materials used eg. metal kettle: heavy/hot to touch when heated / new kettle: light/ handle is not hot to touch/ melts if heated over fire.....etc....)
- What are the benefits of the new designs?

- Watch link below re. Prams over time. Notice what designs have changed and what parts stayed the same? Which is the best design in your opinion? Why? Are they safe? Why?

www.thebirdfeednyc.com/2011/11/28/the-baby-stroller-a-visual-history/

- Small World pg. 18 (If not already completed please complete this page, apologies I can't remember if we completed this before Xmas(!). If completed recall items on the page !)

Grow in Love(The Angel Gabriel)

- Dul Siar. (We didn't get time to complete this before Xmas.)
- Grow in Love pg. 24. Who asked Mary to have the baby? (Angel Gabriel) Draw the Angel Gabriel on the page.
- Recall and sing along to Angel Gabriel asking Mary to have the baby Jesus? "Mary will you have this baby boy?"