<u>Senior Infants</u>. Schoolwork Thursday 21st Jan. 2021:

English:

1. Jolly Phonics:

- Recall and sing Jolly Phonics"ie" song with actions. - Read "ai" words list.

 Make marlá /play dough words / magnetic letters make some "ie" words

- Write 4 "ie" sentences in your copy. Draw 4 "ie" pictures (tie/pie/cried/fried)

2. Spellwell:

- Revise 10 Spellings for test tomorrow. Pick the 9 from Mondays list and add one from keywords.

3. <u>Reading:</u>

*** Read Jolly Phonics Tricky words Set 4.

***Over the Moon. Read "Kelly's House Hunt" together with an adult 2-4 pages.

- Comprehension : Make Links/Make Predictions/Ask Questions as you are reading Kelly's House Hunt/listening to "A Squash and a Squeeze." (see attachment for "A Squash and a Squeeze.")

- Try <u>www.oxfordowl.co.uk</u> for free graded readers if you are looking for extra material. (Story Sparks/ Oxford Reading Tree/SongBirds Phonics series.)

5. <u>Writing:</u> (Narrative Writing.)

Complete this if not completed yesterday/ Pick a new story to write about if you are finished.

a/ Read a short favourite story eg. Hansel and Gretel./ Kelly's House Hunt.

b/ Discuss the following:

- When the story is set? (eg Long ago..)
- Where the story is set. (eg. The Woods..)
- Who is in the story. (Hansel, Gretel, Witch)
- Problem in the story. (The kids get trapped.)

- Feelings. (Joy/Fear/Relief)

- Solution. (How the problem was resolved ie they escaped)

***c/ Complete Narrative Writing from yesterday. Use the plan to write your story. If completed yesterday print the Narrative Template again and do a new one eg. based on Kellys House Hunt or any fairytale they choose.

Maths (Number 7):

- Recall and Sing 7 song.

*** Planet Maths Book pg. 59:

a/pg.59 : Make the Story of 7(see below) using anything that will fit on the hula hoops on pg. 59 and say the sums. (They are familiar with this from doing it in school.)

0 + 7 = 7 1 + 6 = 7 2 + 5 + 7 3 + 4 = 7 4 + 3 = 7 5 + 2 = 7 6 + 1 = 77 + 0 = 7

b/ Write sums into pg. 59 as you are going along. Draw and colour the 7 lollipops!.

Irish : (An Aimsir: Tuar Ceatha.) (The Weather: Rainbow.)

- Practice saying these phrases from yesterday.

- Tá tuar ceatha sa speir! (There's a rainbow in the sky!)

-Tá an tuar ceatha dearg (red), oráiste(orange),buí(yellow), glas (green), gorm (blue), agus corcra (purple) (The rainbow is red/orange/yellow/green/blue/purple)

Sing along with song : "Sa Spéir" (This is the next song after "Tá an Lá Fuar Inniu" on the Bua na Cainte video link posted Monday.)

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***Dathaigh an tuar ceatha/bhoga bháistí ...(Colour the rainbow.....) (Worksheet)
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*On Thursdays we do Music and Drama.

Music: (Listening and Appreciating.)

- Listen to : "March past of the Kitchen Utensils."
- Discuss items found in kitchen and their use.

- The Right Note: pg. 48. Complete following listening to the music.

Drama: ("A Squash and a Squeeze.")

- Listen/Watch video of pages 1-8 of "A Squash and a

Squeeze." - Have fun recreating the scenes:

a/ Pretend you are the hen/goat!

b/ Ask your sister/brother to pretend they are the old

lady/wise man.

c/ Act out the first few pages! Have fun!