

Work for Home during closure re. COVID-19. (Senior Infants/Naíonáin Mhóra.) Suggestions for Daily Work/Homework (Optional) :

Week starting: 2nd June 2020 – June 29th (complete at own pace be it a week ,2/3 or 4 weeks, its your preference /remember this is all optional/revision ☺) :

1. - Revise all **Jolly Phonics Letter Sounds:** a-z

- Revise all **Jolly Phonics Sounds and Actions** : (all available on Spotify or else www.schoolbooksireland.ie)

ai/oa/ie/ee/or/ng/oo/oo/ch/sh/th/th/qu/ou/oi/ue/er/ar:

eg. rain/coat/tie/fork/ring/book/school/shop/this/think/quit/out/boil/blue/her/car.

2. **Tricky Words**: Read and write Sets 1,2,3,4. (* Too difficult?: Read And write Sets 1 and 2 only)

Set 1: I,the,he,she,me,we, be,was,to,do,all,are.

Set 2: you,your,come,some,said,here,there,they,go,no,so,my.

Set 3: one,by,only,old,like,have,give,live,little,down,what,when.

Set 4: why,where,who,which,any,many,more,before,other,were,because,want.

3. **Spelling**: Complete work in Spellwell.

(Spellwell is available online: www.cjfallon.ie)

4. **Reading**: Read/read together book of choice. (See “Links” of St.Lachtains Website for books.)

5. **Maths**: Complete Planet Maths Textbook. (For free access to Planet Maths online see www.folensonline.ie)

(Senior Infants Naíonáin Mhóra.) Suggestions for Optional Additional Daily Work.

*** Note this is not all for the one day(!) Generally if you can fit in English/Maths/ Irish and one other subject you are doing well! You are the best judge of this. The general rule is for every 20 min of work sitting get them up for a jump around/stretch/song /poem with actions generally helps to refocus😊**

Fine Motor /Handwriting- Complete All Write Now.

Maths- Complete Planet Maths Practice Book.

Fine Motor/Márla – pinch/roll/make letters/words revising all Jolly Phonics sounds (ai,oa,ie,ee,or,ng,oo/oo,ch,sh,th/th,qu,ou,oi,ue,er,ar) using márla.

Gaeilge – Practice all word/small phrases related to Ag Siopadóireacht (Shopping); An Trá (The Beach); Lá Breithe (Birthdays). (See lists attached) Complete remaining sections of Bua na Cainte (Ag Siopadóireacht ; An Tra; Lá Breithe)

Science – Complete and discuss remaining Science sections (blue pages) of Small World Textbook.(Marvellous Minibeasts;Does it Float; Healthy Food; Exercise is Good for You; What's for Dinner; Seasons;Fruit and Vegetables) (For free access to Small World see www.cifallon.ie)

Oral Language –

(a) Literacy Link: Retell favourite stories in correct sequence.

(b) Treat your family/pets/ toys to an oral presentation on your homemade aquarium (Aistear). Tell them: 1. Description (colours/shape/texture) 2. How you made it.3. What its function is. 4 Something interesting about it!

Writing – Write to Socialise: Write simple letters to school pals about the past few number of weeks at home/ a loved one who is cocooning at the moment/loved relative who cannot be seen at the minute for social distancing reasons.

Grammar- Full Stops, Capital Letters, Exclamation Marks. Locate in your reading this week. Discuss the purpose.

Geography – Complete and discuss remaining Geography sections (green pages) of Small World Textbook)(Serengeti Safari; Ireland or Far Away?)

History – Complete and discuss remaining History sections (purple pages) of Small World (What Happens Next?; Favourite Memory)

Music- Complete and discuss remaining sections of Senior Infants The Right Note. Recall and recite favourite songs from the Right Note/Margaret's weekly music lessons. (*Postman Pat was a big hit with the class! Sing in your happy voice!!!) Treat your family/pets to a recital of same! Use your actions! Make it a big performance!

Art - Have fun modelling sea creatures in clay/marla! Display beside your home-made aquarium!

SPHE/Stay Safe- Learn about:

(a) Water Safety:

1. **NEVER** use inflatable items in the sea/on rivers.
2. Always ask an adults permission before entering any water.
3. Never swim after a toy in the sea/river.

(b) Fire Safety:

1. Do not stand near a barbeque.
2. Do not throw anything on a barbeque.
3. Stand well back from a campfire.

Drama – Roleplay your favourite parts of cartoons! Find costumes to dress up in! Have fun!

Religion –Learn about “The Church” and “Baptism.” Ask a cocooning loved one to teach you about these things via Facetime! Complete Grow in Love Textbook. (www.growinlove.ie)

Aistear/Play –“Under the Sea.”

Make your own aquarium; play with toy fish in your paddling pool.

Storytime- Choose story of choice / Pick from 60 stories online on school website/ “Hermans Holiday.”(by Tom Percival) (www.gilleducation.ie)

Reading Skills – Predict/Make links/Question/Visualise as you are reading.

P.E. – This time of the year we generally go outside for some Sports Day Practice. Perhaps try some of the following! :

- Running races.
- Egg and Spoon races.
- Three legged race (this may be a little challenging for this age group, if so, forget about tying the legs(!))
- Obstacle Course.
- Relays.
- Mini soccer matches.
- Mini tag rugby.

***Remember to give your kids regular breaks to move/stretch jump around. This age groups lessons for all subjects are 20 minutes max.**