

Dear Parents,

Hope you are all well.

Following school closure yesterday, here is a more detailed, accurate list of work to be completed during the fortnight.

If children have left books in school, a classmate could send a picture of the pages to the child. These children could also use the list of websites below to research the key topics or practise the skills in each subject area. One such website is Twinkl. They are offering free subscription during this time. The children could use the PowerPoints, Fact Cards and worksheets based on the particular topic they are learning.

Use this list of work as a guide. Take every opportunity to enjoy experiences at home. Baking and cooking, playing board games and card games, jigsaws, reading, learning a new song, knitting, drawing, painting and kicking a ball in the garden are just some activities that children will enjoy.

Keep children active. The Daily Mile is an initiative to get children running or jogging at their own pace for 15 minutes a day. See the link for more information <https://thedailymile.ie/> There are also movement videos if you register on GoNoodle.

Keep children happy. Ask the children what their Happy Thought is. Focus on the positives. Practice mindful breathing and meditation.

The children have been exemplary all year and no doubt they will work hard and enjoy the learning during this fortnight. Keep safe and mind yourselves.

Kind Regards,

Breda.

Small World History

- Unit 12 Page 69 Q1-4. Page 71 Complete activities A, B, C. Choose 1 activity from D.
- Using Unit 12 and 13 design a timeline using key dates from both chapters. Label what happened on these key dates.
- Unit 13 Page 75 Complete A,B,C. Choose 1 activity from D.

Small World Science and Geography

- Unit 3 Page 18 Q1-6 Page 20 Q1-4
- Unit 4 Page 23 Q1-6 Page 25 Q 1-8
- Complete independent research on Rainforests or Photosynthesis. Children can present this research in a written report, on PowerPoint or on Book Creator.

Type www.scoilnet.ie into address bar.

Go to primary section.

Type World Book Online into search resources.

Click World Book Online-Kids resource.

Once you have entered world Book Online type in topic of research.

Gaeilge Abair Liom

- Pages 155, 157, 158 practise comhrá under each theme-Mé Féin, An Scoil, Sa Bhaile.
- Write 5 sentences on each topic above.
- Listen to the daily weather forecast on TG 4 or RTE Nuacht.
- Abair liom

Ith 110 C + D

Ith 113 Learn Gramadach-An tuaisceart, an deisceart, an iarthar, an oirthear. These will act as irish spellings as well.

Ith 168 Learn counties in Munster /Cúige Mumhan. Draw Munster and label in Irish. These will act as Irish spellings for the week.

Ith 114

- Dán na mBriathar Aimsir Chaite Ith 183- Read poem and learn verbs from poem. Using these verbs write a simple story.

Maths

- Tables Champion -complete book.
- Revise all multiplication and division tables.
- Learn percentages, fraction, and decimal sheet. Page 59, 138, 139.
- Try Sudoku and Magic Square puzzles online.

English Novel Wonder

Enjoy reading as many chapters as you like.

During reading choose three new words and write the definition and a sentence showing meaning for that word. These new words will also act as spellings.

When you have finished reading the chapter. Choose 1 out of the 5 reading activities below.

- Summarize/ re-tell chapter in one paragraph. Keep in mind question words such as who, what, when, where, why when summarizing.
- Re-read the chapter aloud using improved fluency and expression.
- Draw a picture/ comic strip of what you visualize happening in the chapter.
- Does any event in this chapter remind you of a story you've read before or an experience you've had in your life. Write about it.

- Look at the title and illustrations and write a prediction before reading the chapter.
- Pretend you are a newspaper reporter interviewing a certain character in the chapter. Write down five questions you would ask the character.

List of Websites

English

- Ducksters <https://www.ducksters.com/>
- World book Online- access through Scoilnet- see details above to access. Each reading article can be read aloud and can be translated into another language. See Tool box on top right hand corner of article and go to Translate text.
- Kiddle- safe research engine <https://www.kiddle.co/>
- Twinkl
- Type in www.twinkl.ie/offer Code IRLTWINKLHELP
- Listen to stories being read www.storylineonline.net
- <https://www.typing.com/>
- Scratch <https://scratch.mit.edu/>

Maths

- Topmark

Splat 100: <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/Search.aspx?q=100+square+splat>

Tables <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/Search.aspx?q=tables>

- Primary [games.co.uk](http://www.games.co.uk)

Splat 100 <https://www.primarygames.co.uk/pg2/splat/splatsq100.html>

Tables <https://www.primarygames.com/math/drive/>

- Mangahigh-free trial

<https://www.mangahigh.com/en-gb/>

- Arcademics -register

<https://www.arcademics.com/>

Gaeilge

1. Teanglann- online dictionary <https://www.teanglann.ie/ga/>
2. Eureka magazine <http://www.cogq.ie/?s=eureka>
3. Naomh Pádraig <https://www.scoilnet.ie/index.php?id=955>
4. Cluichí Teanga <http://www.bbc.co.uk/irish/fios/cluichiteanga/>