

HOLY FAMILY JUNIOR NATIONAL SCHOOL

Work List for Second Class March 30th to April 3rd

Literacy

Reading:

- Wonderland readers are available at http://wonderland.cjfallon.ie
- Click on Stage 2 and scroll across to 'A Surprise for Feena'.
- Continue reading from where your child's class left off, reading 2-3 pages per day.

Novel Work

Children have already picked a novel of their own choosing to read over the next few weeks.

This week's tasks:

- Write the thoughts in the head of a character: choose a character from the
 novel and write <u>part of the story</u> from his/her point of view. You will use the
 word 'I' in the story. For example: "Hi! I am Ms Trunchbull and let me tell
 you my story."
- Draw a picture of the front cover of your book but based on the Character that you have chosen side of the story. For example: Ms Trunchbull might rename the book 'Matilda' to 'That Troublesome, Naughty Child!'

Creative Writing

- Continue on with the title given to you last week.
- Write a story based on the idea 'The Easter Bunny Who Lost His/Her Eggs'. Also this week as we are coming up to Easter we would like you to write an acrostic poem based on the word Easter. For example 'E is for Eggs'

Sound of the Week

- 'sion' making the /shun/ sound, e.g. revision, invasion, television etc.
 - Come up with a list of words that contain this sound.
 - Practise putting these words into sentences.
 - > Dictation based on this week's sound.

Grammar

- This week's grammar topic focuses on 'prepositions'.
- Preposition is a word that describes where a noun is in relation to another noun. For example 'Inky left her mouse-hole and went <u>under</u> the fence'
- There are plenty of helpful videos on www.youtube.com
- Scratch Garden have a fun song to explain the topic https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xyMrLQ4ZI-4
- There are some fun games based on 'prepositions'
 Write all of the items in your bedroom that are 'under'
 For example, 'My book is under my teddy'

Comprehension

- 'My Read at Home 2' book available at https://my.cjfallon.ie/login
- Click on 'Student Resources' and filter across.

This week's comprehension: 'Easter Island' pg. 92

Remind children to read the questions before they read the comprehension so that they have an idea of what to look out for when reading.

Maths

Each week, the children will focus on a different mathematical topic or concept. This week's topic is: **weight**

Don't forget to sign into <u>www.folensonline.ie</u> for access to Planet Maths book.

Some additional activities based on weight:

- 10 different objects from their house. They must first estimate then measure the weight of the objects before placing them in order from lightest to heaviest.
- The children can estimate then measure how many pencils, crayons, teddies etc. weigh the same as ¼ kg, ½ kg and 1kg.
- Packaging: Look at packaging. Make a list of the weights on packages and then group products with similar weights.
- Find examples of different items that weigh less than 1kg, weigh 1kg and more than 1kg in the house. Try find ten items in each category
- Write a recipe for Easter Chocolate Corn Flake Cakes using grams. For Example

https://www.twinkl.ie/resource/t-t-11438-easter-crispy-cakes-recipe-sheets

- Make the recipe if you have time with an adult of course!
- Some good games available at <u>www.topmarks.co.uk</u> and https://nrich.maths.org/primary

Revision

We will be revising the topic of subtraction this week!

Subtraction with and without renaming.

Remember your rule!

More on top no need to stop. More on the floor go next door and take ten more.

Here is a good worksheet that has both types of subtraction with answers. https://www.twinkl.ie/resource/year-2-subtracting-2-digit-numbers-from-2-digit-numbers-in-a-column-with-exchanging-worksheet-t-n-7500

Gaeilge

Bua na Cainte

You can sign up for free access to Bua na Cainte's interactive programme, for a limited period, by going to www.dco.ie/bua and following the steps below:

- 1. Select the file which suits your computer PC or Mac
- 2. Select the class level you require and then click on it to start a download of the file
- 3. Once the download has completed, click on the file to install and follow the on-screen instructions.

4. A Bua na Cainte icon will appear on your desktop. Once you select this icon a login page will open where you will need to enter the below details. Login: trial Password: trial An Cháisc Foclóir don Cháisc https://www.twinkl.ie/resource/roi-t-147-irish-easter-words-colouring-activitysheet-gaeilge Cuardach Focal Cásca https://www.twinkl.ie/resource/roi-t-2546150-cuardach-focal-casca-wordsearch-gaeilge Gaeilge games and TV shows available at: https://www.cula4.com/en/ https://www.tg4.ie/en/player/categories/childrens-tv-shows/ **SESE** Children to continue with a project based on a country of their choosing. Projects can be completed over the next two weeks Easter Traditions around the World. Read power point (link below) and compile a mind map based on the facts you remember from how Easter is celebrated around the world. https://www.twinkl.ie/resource/roi-t-t-9477-easter-around-the-worldpowerpoint **SPHE** Call grandparents for a chat. Compose twenty questions to ask them. For example: 'how are you?' 'Have you taken up a new hobby?' Can include questions to support SESE topic of Easter around the world and traditions. For example 'Has the celebration of Easter changed much since you were younger?' Help out with jobs around the house while mam and dad are working from home! Continue to wash your hands! Arts **Easter Eggs:** Follow step by step to create your own Easter Picture. We may not be able to get out hunting for Easter eggs this year so let's make our own! Pick an Easter themed video from either 'Draw So Cute' or 'Art for Kids Hub' and practise drawing and colouring.

 If you fancy making a craft, Twinkl have some great ideas. This is one we really liked the idea of! https://www.twinkl.ie/resource/roi2-a-69-easter-sock-rabbits-craft-instructions

Religious Education/Music:

Start listening to and learning the songs for Communion on www.youtube.com

- Lay Your Hands
- Gathering Song
- Christ Be Our Light
- Go in Peace
- This is the Day
- Be Still for the Presence of the Lord
- We Come to you Lord Jesus
- My Shepherd is the Lord
- Alleluia
- Discuss the Easter Story with your child- events leading from Palm Sunday to Good Friday and then Easter Sunday.

https://www.twinkl.ie/resource/t-re-231-holy-week-powerpoint

https://www.twinkl.ie/resource/t-t-5074-the-easter-story-powerpoint

Here is an extra resource of writing frames for Holy Week if you feel like completing a written activity.

https://www.twinkl.ie/resource/t-t-942-easter-story-writing-sheets

Exercise

- 30 min walk/run a day. (Remember to remain socially distant)
- Cosmic Kids Yoga on <u>www.youtube.com</u>
- https://www.gonoodle.com
- Mr Murphy, Mr Clarke, Mr O'Donoghue, Ms McManus, Ms Rattigan and Ms Roughneen have been taking part in the toilet roll kicky uppies. The best we could get was six. See if you can beat our high score!

Spelling List: fist, best, occasion, division, revision, invasion, explosion, television, fraction & estimate