

Literacy/ English 4th Class Week Ending Feb 5th 2021

English/ Literacy: To Do

Task 1: Phonics/ Spelling: Book Spell Well 4 Week 20 pgs.42 & 43

- Learn 5 spellings per night, write sentences and complete written activities

To Do

Task 2: Reading / Comprehension – Mammals

Read and Practise - 'The World of Whales Explained Cetacean Special'

Shoot for the Stars - Pages 81 -87

Shoot for the Stars 4th Class (see Gill explore.ie)

To Do

Writing Genre: Explanation Writing

Complete comprehension and vocabulary exercises based on the text in your copybook pages 81 -87. Complete all written activities in your copy.

Grammar: Exclamation Marks pg.85

<http://www.primaryresources.co.uk/english/englishB2.htm>

To Do

Task 4:

Read and use the 'Tips for Writing Explanation' PowerPoint Presentation to support your learning.

Using the prompts on pg.86, plan and write an explanation about 'Whales'.

-Use the Editing Checklist on page. 146 of your 'Shoot for the Stars' Skills Book to edit your work.

Extension Work:

1. Write another explanation on a topic of your choice.
2. Write a Book Review about a novel/ book you are reading at the moment.
3. Read at Home 4 Week 20 Reading Comprehensions

Useful English Websites

<http://gill.education/Primary-Products> and navigate to your chosen title.

<https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/>

<https://readtheory.org/>

My Read at Home 4' <https://www.cjfallon.ie/>

Gaeilge

To Do

Gaeilge: Téama- Éadaí

To Do

Tasc 1: Gaeilge: Leabhar Bua na Cainte Leabhar Litrithe Pg.38 agus 39

- **Litrithe:** Learn 10 spellings in blue box pg.38 and second red box pg.39 (Féach agus Abair). Put words into sentences and complete all written activities.

Tasc 2: Bua na Cainte Pg 128/130/131/132

To Do <https://downloads.edco.ie/bua>

Tasc 3: Léitheoireacht: Bua na Cainte

- Reading this week includes An t-Amhrán ‘Nead na Lachan sa Mhúta’ pg.129 and Bí ag léamh ‘Ag Cóiriú na Leapa’ pg.131 (Making the Bed)
- Look up any unknown words in your Irish/English dictionary or an online dictionary if you choose. Use Gaeilge resources uploaded or the online resources to listen to the story being read and to play associated games.

To Do

Tasc 4: Scríbhneoireacht (Written Activities): Bua na Cainte

Complete the following written activities in your Irish copy:

- Freagair na Ceisteanna/ Scríobh na habairtí pg.128
- Líon na bearnaí pg.130
- Bí ag scríobh agus Spraoi le Braithra pg.131
- Freagair na ceisteanna pg.132

Extension Activities

1. Conas atá tú gléasta? (How are you dressed?) Tá briste gorm orm. Ta geansaí dearg orm. Ta bróga dubh orm etc.

2. Imirt cluiche Biongó le do Chlann. Bain úsáid as na focail ó théama ‘Éadaí’ (divide your page into 6 boxes)

3. Scríobh do Nuacht. (Answer the following questions and use the example answers below to help you...)

Cén lá é agus cén dáta? (Inniú an Luan an céad lá de Mí Feabhra 2021) Conas atá an aimsir inniú? (Tá an lá go breá geal/fuar/dorcha ...) Cé tusa? (Is mise...) Cá bhfuil tú i do chónaí? (Tá mé i mo chónaí i...mBaile na Muc/ Droim Lis/ I gcontae Longfort. Cad a rinne tú ag an

deireadh seachtaine.(Bhí mé ag imirt cispheile ar an Aoine. Bhi mé ag rothaíocht ar an Satharn. Bhí mé ag imirt peile ar an Domhnach).

Useful Gaeilge Websites

<https://www.seideansi.ie/>

<http://www.abair.tcd.ie/?page=synthesis&lang=eng>

Numeracy

- **To Do**

Book Master your Maths 4 Week 19 Complete activities each day Monday - Thursday pages 42 and 43

- **To Do**

Busy at Maths 4th Class: Complete the following chapters and activities. Click on the tutorials to help support your learning.

Busy at Maths 4 Tutorials and games for Chapter 21 Money – Multiplication

https://data.cjfallon.ie/resources/20691/BAM4_Tutorial_071/lessons/BAM4_Tutorial_071/index.html

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- **To Do**

Chapter 21: Money 2 Multiplication - Complete pages 105- 110 in your copy and show all your workings.

- Extension Activities – if you finish the Chapter (See handout uploaded or see CJ Fallon 4th Class Busy at Maths Shadow book pgs.47 and 48. Complete these activities in your copy and show all your workings (Do out your sums).
- **To Do** Tables: Division 8, 9 and 10 (Revise and learn off one set each day and revise all on Thursday)

Useful Maths Websites

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/7-11-years/money>

<https://ie.ixl.com/math/class-4>

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/7-11-years/multiplication-and-division>

Geography

To Do Geography Unit 10: Italy (Choose either task 1, 2 or 3 below)

Task 1: Read about **Italy** on pages 57 - 61 your Small World Geography/Science book or through cjfallononline.

Answer the Activities on the handouts uploaded Unit 10: Italy, pages 22, 23 and 25. You can complete on handouts or in your copy.

Or

Task 2

1. Using the Map of Italy on page 62 of your Small World Geography/ Science book, draw/trace a labelled map of Italy with its main cities, mountains ranges, rivers, surrounding seas and countries.

2. You work in a tourist office in Italy, write a Fact-File with information about Italy for tourists. You must include the following headings and information:

- Italian food and drinks
- The main mountains, rivers, lakes and islands
- Pictures of sites you recommend visiting
- Interesting facts about Italy

Or

Task 3: Research and write about three famous landmarks or sites in Italy. Examples could include the **Colosseum** in Rome. **Roman Forum**. **Leaning Tower of Pisa** or even the famous ruins of Pompeii. You choose!

Draw, label and colour a map of Italy like on page 62 of your Small World Geography/ Science). Draw and colour your famous Italian sites on your map.

Useful Websites/ PowerPoints uploaded:

- **Italy PowerPoint presentation (uploaded)**

<https://www.kids-world-travel-guide.com/italy-facts.html>

<https://kids.nationalgeographic.com/explore/countries/italy/>

<https://www.ducksters.com/geography/country/italy.php>

<https://www.natgeokids.com/ie/discover/geography/countries/facts-about-italy/>

<https://kids.kiddle.co/Italy>

<https://www.cjfallon.ie/> Map of Italy Book 'Small World Geography and Science' 4th Class pg.62

Geography/ Science/ History

To Do Rocks

Task 1: Using your Small World Geography/ Science or through cjfallon online, read Unit 9: Rocks pages 52 -56.

Answer Activities on page. 54 and Activities A, B and C on page.56.

Extension Activities/ Optional Activity

1. Look around your house. List all the objects that are made from rock.
2. Draw and label a diagram of the layers of the Earth.
3. Look up the following websites below to find more information and record in your copy.

Or

4. Continue your mini-project on The Vikings (due date February 8th, 2021)

Useful Websites/ PowerPoints uploaded:

Rocks of Ireland PowerPoint Presentation

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z9bbkqt>

<https://www.sciencekids.co.nz/sciencefacts/earth/rocksandminerals.html>

<https://www.sciencekids.co.nz/videos/earth/eruptionfromspace.html>

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/z26cv9q/revision/1>

www.geoschol.com/ireland.html

SPHE

To Do

Task 1

Guided Visualisations for kids. Listen to the mindfulness links below and record your thoughts in a journal or copy.

- **Confidence in P.E** <https://soundcloud.com/user-547419318/confidence-in-pe-visualisation-for-children-guided-by-tomas>
- **Hot Air Balloon** <https://soundcloud.com/user-547419318/the-hot-air-balloon-deirdre-lavelle-1>

PE

To Do

Fundamental Movement Skill Videos

Practise the following three Fundamental Movement Skills using the link below. Record your activities in your copy.

- Dodging
- Side stepping
- Landing

<https://www.scoilnet.ie/pdst/physlit/videos/>

To Do

Choose one of the following P.E links and record your activities in your copy.

Go Noodle

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

Or

The Body Coach Joe Wicks

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=d3LPrh10v-w&list=PLyCLOPd4VxBvPHOpzoEk5onAEbq40g2-k>

St. Brigid (Religion/History)

Optional Activity

This week February 1st is Saint Brigid's Day and is the beginning of Spring.

Task 1: Have a look at the Saint Brigid PowerPoint uploaded and write down at least 10 interesting facts you learnt about Saint Brigid. Illustrate your work.

Or

Task 2: Make a St. Brigid's cross using the PowerPoint Presentation uploaded to guide you.

Useful PowerPoint Presentations

Saint Brigid's PowerPoint Presentation

How to make a St. Brigid's Cross PowerPoint Presentation

ART

To Do

One of Italy's most famous artists Leonardo da Vinci painted 'The Mona Lisa' in 1506. This painting features a portrait of a seated Italian noble woman and is one of the most valuable paintings in the world.

Task 1: Link: Geography 'Italy'

Now I want you to recreate or draw your own picture of 'The Mona Lisa' using either oil pastels, chalk pastels, paint, crayons, markers or whatever medium you would like to use.

Use this link to help you:

How to draw an easy Mona Lisa <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5EnahZm9Cp8>



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Suggested Recipe to try

*Recipe: Mars bar Biscuits



Makes around 16 pieces

Ingredients 6- 7

Mars Bars (Milky Way bars) 200g

Butter 200g

Rice Krispies 300g

Chocolate (Good Quality)

Method

1. Line a 92 x 13 2 or a 30cm x 20 cm baking tin with parchment paper.
2. Cut the Mars bars and butter into small pieces and place in a saucepan. Place over low heat and stir until melted, taking care not to let it burn.
3. Add the Mars Bar mixture and Rice Krispies in a large bowl. Stir until ingredients are combined.
4. Spoon into a lined baking tin and press the mixture with the back of the spoon to firm up the shape.
5. Melt good quality chocolate over a saucepan of simmering water. Pour over the contents of the tin, spread evenly with a palette knife and leave to set.
6. When the chocolate is firm and cool, lift the contents of the tin to a cutting board and slice them into squares.
7. Ready to serve. Enjoy!

(* means optional task)