

Literacy/ English 4th Class Week Ending January 15th 2021

To Do English/ Literacy:

Task 1: Phonics/ Spelling: Book Spell Well 4 Week 17 pgs. 36 & 37

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

Task 2: Reading / Comprehension – Read and Practise ‘Little Leaders: Visionary Women Around the World’ Shoot for the Stars - Pages 65-71

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

Writing: Report Writing Complete comprehension and vocabulary exercises based on the text in your copybook pages 65-69.

Complete all written activities in your copy.

Task 3: Using the prompts on page 71, plan and write a report about a ‘Famous Person’ you like or admire.

Please use the Twinkl Report PowerPoint and Non-Fiction mat to help you.

***Task 3: Choose your book/ novel of the week, read it and write a Book Review in your copy.**

* Do a piece of artwork based on your book. The book you choose should be appropriate to your reading ability. Think about trying a new genre.....

(* means optional)

Useful English Websites

Gill Education - **To the Moon and Back 4th Class Book** and interactive resources

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

<https://readtheory.org/>

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

Gaeilge for Week Ending January 15th 2021

To Do

Gaeilge: Téama- Caitheamh Aimsire

Task 1: Gaeilge: Leabhar Bua na Cainte Leabhar Litrithe Pg.30 agus 31

- **Litrithe:** Learn spellings and put words into sentences and complete all written activities.

Task 2: Bua na Cainte Pg 105/106/108/109

Léitheoireacht: Bua na Cainte

- Reading this week includes two stories: Bí ag léamh ‘Is féidir liom’ pg.106 agus Bí ag Léamh ‘An Linn Snámha’ pg.109.
- Look up any unknown words in your Irish/English dictionary or an online dictionary if you choose. Use the online resources to listen to the story being read and to play associated games.

Complete the following written activities in your Irish copy:

- Líon na Bearnaí pg.105
- Answer the questions An feidir leat? Pg.106
- Obair Bheirte pg.108
- Complete grammar on page 109

***Task 3:**

Make a “Memory Game” (Pairs) using the new vocabulary you have learned this week or using all the words you can think of to do with ‘Caitheamh Aimsire’ and play it with your siblings.

Play “Deir O Gráda” based on “Caitheamh Aimsire”.

(* means optional task)

Useful Gaeilge Websites

<https://downloads.edco.ie/bua/> Click on link to set up and access Bua na Cainte at Home

<https://www.duolingo.com/placement/ga>

Numeracy 4th Class Week Ending January 15th 2021

Maths

- **To Do** Book Master your Maths 4 Week 16 Complete activities each day Monday - Thursday pages 36 and 37
- **To Do** Busy at Maths 4th Class: Complete the following chapters and activities. Click on the tutorials to help support your learning.

Chapter 16: Decimals 2 pgs. 85-90 (Complete these activities in your book)

Busy at Maths 4 Tutorials for Chapter 16 Decimals 2

- **Extension Activities** – if you finish Chapter (See handout uploaded or see CJ Fallon 4th Class Busy at Maths Shadow book pgs.37 and 38. Complete both sides of sheet.

https://data.cjfallon.ie/resources/20691/BAM4_Tutorial_058/lessons/BAM4_Tutorial_058/index.html

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Chapter 17: Symmetry pgs. 91- 92

Busy at Maths 4 Tutorials for Chapter 17 Symmetry

- **Extension Activities** – if you finish Chapter (See handouts uploaded or see CJ Fallon 4th Class Busy at Maths Shadow book pg. 39. Complete on sheet.

https://data.cjfallon.ie/resources/20691/BAM4_Tutorial_061/lessons/BAM4_Tutorial_061/index.html

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- **To Do** Tables: Revise X10, X11, 12

Useful Maths Websites

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

https://www.mathplayground.com/index_fractions.html

<https://www.splashlearn.com/decimal-games>

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/symmetry/symmetry-matching>

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/search.aspx?q=symmetry>

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

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

https://www.mathplayground.com/index_multiplication_division.html

History Week Ending January 15th 2021

To Do History: Unit 10 The Vikings

Task 1: Read about The Vikings on pages 48 -52 of your Small World History book or through [cjfallononline](#).

Answer the questions in your book on Page 53 - A, B and C

(See The Viking PowerPoint presentation uploaded to help and support your learning)

Task 2: You are Sitric, the Viking King of Dublin, you have decided to introduce a new coin. Design both faces of the new coin, showing that it comes from Dublin. How much is it worth and when it was made.

Or

You are a Viking who has arrived in Ireland. Write a letter telling your family what life is like in this new country and about your plans for the future.

Or

Write down the 10 most interesting facts that you learned about the Vikings from this unit.

Useful Websites and PowerPoint

- **The Vikings PowerPoint presentation (uploaded)**
- Look up the following websites to find more information

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/ztyr9j6>

<https://www.dochara.com/the-irish/ireland-history/vikings/>

http://www.manaraefan.co.uk/index_files/Page12410.htm

<https://www.worldbookonline.com/kids/home#article/ar830850>

Geography/ Science Week Ending January 15th 2021

To Do Geography Unit 12: Rivers and Seas

Task 1: Read about Rivers and Seas on pages 69 - 73 your Small World Geography/Science book or through cfallononline.

Answer the Activities in your book on Page 70 and 73 - A, B, C and D

Task 2: Imagine you are a raindrop. Write about your journey through the water cycle. This should include a trip down the river explaining its three courses.

Or

Find out about the fish in Irish rivers/seas. Make a poster/ booklet to show your findings.

Or

Make a poster of 'The Water Cycle' and label it.

Useful Websites/ PowerPoints uploaded:

The River Shannon PowerPoint

The Water Cycle PowerPoint

https://kids.kiddle.co/Rivers_of_Ireland

<https://www.twinkl.ie/go/resource/features-of-a-river-multiple-choice-quiz-tg-464>

<https://www.cfallon.ie/> Physical Map of Ireland, Book 'Small World Geography and Science' 4th Class

SPHE

To Do

In 'Weaving Well-being' we learnt about our busy minds and the importance of Mindfulness. Take some time out and listen to these Mindfulness videos and breathing exercises for kids. Practise some of your mindfulness skills.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iEEJT9cYsm0>

Mindfulness breathing video for kids <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CvF9AEe-ozc>

Mindful breathing -Rainbow breath Go Noodle

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=O29e4rRMrV4>

ART

To Do

Task 1: Draw and colour the Northern Lights (Aurora Borealis) Winter Landscape



The northern lights, one of several astronomical phenomena called polar lights (aurora polaris), which are coloured light visible on occasion in the night sky over some countries like Canada, Sweden, Norway, Greenland and even in Ireland in County Donegal on occasion.

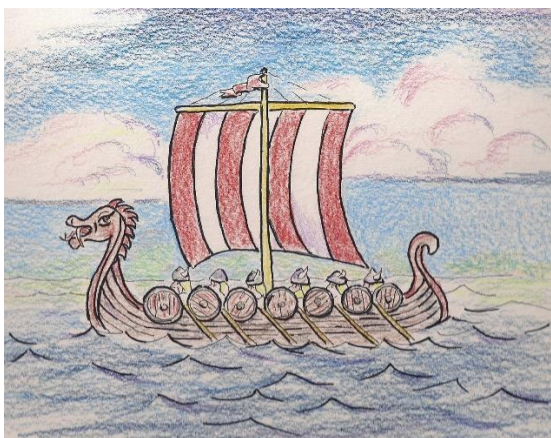
1. Use these Images and video of the Northern Lights <http://vimeo.com/21294655> to help you. This lesson is based on ideas from the artist Kathy Angelnik.

<http://kathy-angelnik.blogspot.ie/2015/01/northern-lights-winter-landscape-art.html>

2. You can experiment on white, black or coloured paper using oil, chalk pastels, crayons, markers or whatever medium you would like.

Or

Task 2 Draw a Viking Longship



Using pencil/ colours or whatever medium you would like draw a Viking Longship.

Use this useful link to help you <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=sEQn3vMD05g>

Suggested Recipe to try

***Recipe to try: Coffee or Lemon Squares**

Ingredients:

8oz self-raising flour

6oz butter/margarine

6oz castor sugar

3 eggs

1 tsp baking powder

1 tablespoon coffee essence or grated zest of 1 large lemon

Method:

1. Heat the oven to 180 degrees and combine all ingredients using an electric mixer. Spread the cake mixture evenly out into a buttered swiss roll tin and cook for 20 minutes. Leave to cool.
2. For lemon squares - Make a glaze by mixing the juice of your lemon with 3 1/2oz caster sugar. While your cake is still warm, prick the top all over with a cocktail stick and pour the glaze over. It will get nice and crunchy as it cools.
3. For coffee squares - make icing by combining 3 1/2 oz soft butter, 7oz icing sugar and 3 teaspoons coffee essence or black coffee. Wait the cake has cooled completely before putting icing on.
4. Cut into squares and enjoy!

(* means optional)

Useful websites:

English

Please note,

I would recommend that all pupils set up a Read Theory account using

<https://readtheory.org/auth/login>

These levelled reading exercises will help improve your reading fluency and comprehension.

Gaeilge

Bua na Cainte 4

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CJ Fallon

<https://www.cjfallon.ie/> (access to Maths your Maths 4, Busy at Maths 4, Spell Well 4, SESE- Small World History, Small World Geography/Science)

1. In the search bar go onto the website <https://www.cjfallon.ie/> (Click on yellow box free online resources)
2. Click on Primary and Filter the resources- e.g. level (primary), class (3rd/ 4th class), subject (SESE), series (Small World), title (Small World- Fourth Class History), Resource (online book)
3. Click the icon in the 'Actions' (icon looks like an eye)
4. Create an account with - Your Name, Email address and user type (student/parent) and click open book

Other useful websites:

<https://readtheory.org/auth/login>

www.ballinamuckns.ie (more resources and support)

www.twinkl.ie/ offer and enter the code IRLTWINKLHELPS.

<https://www.scoilnet.ie/go-to-primary/> (Good general website to access all areas of curriculum)

Gaeilge:

<https://seideansi.ie/rang-a-tri-se.php> - rules of verbs in the different tenses/grammar

<https://www.focloir.ie/> - useful for translating vocab (Bua na Cainte comprehension/questions)

<https://www.cula4.com/en/cula4-na-nog/shows/scealanlae/> (Good for listening/understanding/pronunciation)

Maths:

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/Search.aspx?Subject=16&AgeGroup=3>

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

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

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

English:

<https://soundcloud.com/harpercollinspublishers/the-worlds-worst-children-by/s-dqoZWNYMFFq> (David Walliams has free audio stories everyday at 11am. Very good for listening/recalling)

SESE:

Science- <https://www.exploratorium.edu/>

History/Geography- <https://kids.nationalgeographic.com/>

Art:

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

<http://www.iamanartist.ie/>

PE:

<https://rtejr.rte.ie/10at10/>

<https://family.gonoodle.com>

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

Fundamental Movement Skills at Home from the 'Move Well, Move Often' website

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

The Body Coach Joe Wicks

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