

English :

Poetry:

Revision - recall the poem that we covered in term 1

'Loner' by Julie Holder

<https://s3-ap-southeast-2.amazonaws.com/public.literacyplanet.com/eDMs/CompWorksheets/Years+7-8/loner.pdf>

Optional:

Complete the multiple choice activities under the poem.

To Do:

Listen to the poem 'Daffodils' by William Wordsworth (Click on play icon)

<https://www.poetryfoundation.org/poems/45521/i-wandered-lonely-as-a-cloud>

Read poem each day

<https://www.stcolmcilles.ie/uploads/1/3/9/5/13957485/daffodils.pdf>

Use this link to understand meaning of the poem

To Do:

Read chapters 5 and 6

Novel: Charlotte's Web - Free online Link to entire book

https://cleveracademy.vn/wp-content/uploads/2016/10/Charlotte_s_Web_.pdf

Charlotte's Web by E.B. White

Chapter One: Before Breakfast

- 1). Why did Fern yell at her mother?
- 2). What did her Dad carry out to the hoghouse?
- 3). How did her Dad say that she could raise the little pig?
- 4). What did Avery have when he came into the room?
- 5). Why did Fern blush after she had answered the teacher's question?

- 6). What name did Fern give to her new pet?

Chapter Two: Wilbur

- 1). What tasks did Fern love to do for Wilbur?
- 2). Where in the house did Wilbur live at first?
- 3). What did Mr. Arable make for Wilbur outside?
- 4). Where would Fern put Wilbur if he got tired walking?
- 5). What did Mr. Arable say would have to happen to Wilbur when he was five weeks old?
- 6). Who bought Wilbur from Fern?

To Do:

Answer 3 questions from Chapter 1 (number your answer, do not write out question)

Answer 3 questions from Chapter 2 (number your answer, do not write out question)

Phonics/Spelling:

Spellwell Week 20

To Do:

Complete all activities

Pick out 5 words from each activity each day and put those words into sentences

Reading and writing activities

To Do:

Reading Zone Unit 18 - 'Snow Zone'

Read the story each day and complete Activities in the order of B, C, D and A (one each day)

(Remember to leave activity A until the end) Please use a dictionary/online dictionary to help with your understanding

Grammar: Quotation Marks

To Do:

<https://www.primaryresources.co.uk/english/englishB6.htm> (Please view resources)

Complete Section E in your Reading Zone Book

Writing Genre: Procedural Writing

Examples can be found using the link below <https://pdst.ie/sites/default/files/PDST%20WRITING%20PROCESS.pdf> (Read page 14, examples on page 21 'How to play hurling' and page 22 'how to make pancakes')

To Do:

A video of you carrying out one of the above ideas and uploading to your portfolio (choose a different one to last week's)

Or

Write out your procedure of choice. Useful to use planner/template found on <https://www.twinkl.ie/> - see free access code at bottom of page. Search Procedure

Gaeilge:

Théama - Aimsir

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

To Do:

Bua na Cainte

Pg.119 'Caitheamh Aimsire' (use dictionary)

Write out a list of all pastimes on pages 119 and 121 (Irish and English)

Obair Bheirte Pg. 119

To Do:

Answer 4 out of 8 questions

Ar siúl in this context means 'going on'

Pg.120 Poem 'Mo Chairde' (use dictionary)

Answer 4 out of 8 questions

Pg.121 Complete whole page

Pg.122 Complete word search

Briathra Néamhrialta (irregular verbs)

Please keep an eye on Class Dojo for video clip to explain

Optional:

Read eleathanach 372 and translate one of the three pieces

Revision:

'Oró Só do Bheatha Bhaile'

To Do: listen to recording from the Irish Institute of Music and Song. Try to learn Chorus off (listen to each day)

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=l9hjQ2Pc1Bg&ab_channel=IrishInstituteMusic%26S
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Maths:

Busy At Maths, Chapter 21: Area

It is very important you go through each of the tutorials below and refer back to when completing this chapter.

https://data.cjfallon.ie/resources/20707/BAM5_Tutorial_067/lessons/BAM5_Tutorial_067/index.html

https://data.cjfallon.ie/resources/20707/BAM5_Tutorial_068/lessons/BAM5_Tutorial_068/index.html

https://data.cjfallon.ie/resources/20707/BAM5_Tutorial_069/lessons/BAM5_Tutorial_069/index.html

https://data.cjfallon.ie/resources/20707/BAM5_Tutorial_070/lessons/BAM5_Tutorial_070/index.html

https://data.cjfallon.ie/resources/20707/BAM5_Tutorial_071/lessons/BAM5_Tutorial_071/index.html

To Do

Busy at Maths:

Work your way through the exercises on pages 112-118. Complete in book if your own or else in copybook.

Master Your Maths

Please upload each day Monday to Thursday using portfolios

Revise over multiplication and division tables

Using a stopwatch a parent or older sibling could time how many correct tables you can recall correctly over 2 or 3 minutes

Use <https://www.splashlearn.com/> to practice tables also and engage in some of the Maths games

New log in code JIBEVH - check this out. Please ask me for your log in code through class dojo

Please use free tutorials accessible on <https://my.cjfallon.ie/> to revise over topics covered in term 1.

It is very important to go over topics covered in Maths to retain understanding of key topics

History:

Women in Science

To Do:

Read about Kathleen Lynn pg.94 'Small World' History book

Listen to podcast - Science and Medicine in the past (will be uploaded on class dojo) - *travel back in time to seventeenth century*

Ireland to meet Mary, who has been treated by Irish faith healer, Valentine Great rakes and hear the story of scientist Marie Curie as well as the story of penicillin.

Answer the following questions

What is a vaccination?

Name a strange cure or remedy for a heart condition.

What is penicillin?

To Do

Check out the links on Florence Nightingale and Marie Curie. Excellent comic pdf on [Florence Nightingale](#)

<https://www.natgeokids.com/ie/primary-resource/florence-nightingale-primary-resource/>

<https://kids.nationalgeographic.com/explore/history/women-heroes/marie-curie/>

Geography/Science

Topic - Germs and Disease

To Do:

Click on link

<https://www.dkfindout.com/us/human-body/body-defenses/germs-and-disease/>

Click on each of the 5 body invaders (labelled on human body)

Use the information to answer the following questions;

- 1). How do viruses reproduce?
- 2). How do viruses that cause the common cold spread?

Complete Quiz -

<https://www.dkfindout.com/us/quiz/human-body/quiz-yourself-on-lungs-and-breathing/>

S.P.H.E

To Do

Go to a quiet room in your house.

See podcast attached - 'your body'

Please tune into approximately 7minutes mindfulness meditation

<https://www.rte.ie/learn/2020/0515/1138669-take-a-moment-to-relax-with-mindful-moments/>

Optional -

Record something you are grateful for in your journal or diary.

ART - optional

Make a lava lamp

<https://www.roalddahl.com/things-to-do-indoors/video-makealavalamp>

P.E

This week we are incorporating the fundamental movement skill 'hopping' into the Dance strand of the P.E curriculum.

Optional:

Ask parent to set you up on

<https://app.gonoodle.com/login?source=Marketing%20-%20User%20Type%20Modal>

Search 'It's party time' from indoor recess

Check out this Physical Activity Tracker

file:///home/chronos/u-0adeb85cceca378f95

0d3c145c524a0b1074aa05/MyFiles/Downloads/Physical%20Activity%20Tracker.pdf

Check out videos shared by Longford GAA on our school website

www.ballinamuckns.ie

[Extension activities:](#)

Share your learning with RTE home school hub

<https://www.rte.ie/learn/2020/0329/1127121-home-school-hub-share-your-content/>

Access 'My Read At Home' Comprehension activities through [MyCJFallon](#)

Worksheets available and free to download on Twinkl (see previous note) www.twinkl.ie/offer and enter the code IRLTWINKLHELPS.

<https://readtheory.org/auth/login> I would encourage all the children to set this up. Levelled reading exercises to improve fluency and comprehension

Also - check out our school website

www.ballinamuckns.ie for further resources

to support your learning and for regular updates.

Stay Safe

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