

Hello girls and families,

We hope that you are all keeping well this week and that you are enjoying the learning that we have been sending home! We have received lots of wonderful emails showing us some of your best work, so well done on your fantastic efforts! This week, we only have included four days of learning activities as Monday is a 'Bank Holiday', a day off from schoolwork.

All of the work for this week is laid out in the grid below. As you know, these are only suggested activities, so please don't worry if you don't get it all done or if you can't access the internet. We have highlighted the work in the grid below that you will need to put into your copies.

### English

This week we are looking at a delicious smoothie recipe in our procedural writing. We have included some tips for your written work below to make sure you're keeping up the great work that we have done together all year!

- Remember a title and date on each piece of new work in your copy. A title needs a capital letter!
- Capital letters are needed for people, places, pets, days, months, titles and of course the start of a new sentence.
- Skip a line between each question to keep your work neat and tidy. Write the number of the question into your margin.
- Neat handwriting. Slow and steady wins the race!



### Mindfulness

- We have included a relaxing mindfulness video below, as we have to remember to look after our minds and keep them in good health. You can also look after yourself by doing some activities that you enjoy or that make you happy. These might include puzzles, board games, baking or cooking, playing with toys, or nature spotting in the garden/ within 2km from your home.



We miss teaching and learning with you all in school, but we know that you are doing a brilliant job at home. We look forward to hearing from you again during the week and seeing your wonderful pieces of schoolwork!

Ms Clinton and Mrs O'Malley

Second Class Suggested Schedule of Activities for the week of the 5<sup>th</sup> May 2020

Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> Bank Holiday	Tuesday 28 <sup>th</sup>	Wednesday 29 <sup>th</sup>	Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup>	Friday 1 <sup>st</sup> May
	<p><b>Literacy</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-My Read at Home wk 29.</li> <li>-Starlight, new focus words for 'Recipe for a Smoothie', read the recipe on p. 46.</li> <li>-Read for fun.</li> <li>-Spellbound Unit 29 begin, learn four spellings.</li> <li>-Read the poem 'The Owl and the Pussycat' and learn the first four lines.</li> <li>-My News.</li> </ul>	<p><b>Literacy</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- My Read at Home.</li> <li>-Starlight, find out the meaning of tricky words, answer question A out loud on p. 47.</li> <li>-Read for fun.</li> <li>-Spellbound Unit 29 continue, learn next four spellings.</li> <li>-Learn the next five lines in the poem 'The Owl and the Pussycat'.</li> </ul>	<p><b>Literacy</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- My Read at Home.</li> <li>-Starlight, look at p.48, read the sentence and point to the correct spelling of the word that you might use (Homophones - there, their or they're and its or it's).</li> <li>-Read for fun.</li> <li>-Spellbound Unit 29 finish, learn next four spellings.</li> <li>- Look at the poem 'The Owl and the Pussycat' and learn the next four lines.</li> </ul>	<p><b>Literacy</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Read for fun.</li> <li>-Check you know your spellings (You will only have learned the first 12, as Monday was a bank holiday)!</li> <li>-Just Handwriting, page 15.</li> <li>-Revise all of the lines in the poem that you have learned so far- we will finish learning the poem next week!</li> </ul>
	<p><b>RTE 2 11.00 or</b> <a href="https://www.rte.ie/learn/">https://www.rte.ie/learn/</a></p>	<p><b>RTE 2 11.00 or</b> <a href="https://www.rte.ie/learn/">https://www.rte.ie/learn/</a></p>	<p><b>RTE 2 11.00 or</b> <a href="https://www.rte.ie/learn/">https://www.rte.ie/learn/</a></p>	<p><b>RTE 2 11.00 or</b> <a href="https://www.rte.ie/learn/">https://www.rte.ie/learn/</a></p>
	<p><b>Maths</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Revise tables -1, -2 and -3</li> <li>-Master Your Maths week 29, Tuesday.</li> <li>- Watch the video on capacity. Decide what container can hold more or less on the worksheet below.</li> </ul>	<p><b>Maths</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Revise tables -1, -2 and -3</li> <li>-Master Your Maths week 29, Wednesday.</li> <li>- Experiment with the capacity of different containers in your home. Which hold the most liquid?</li> <li>- How we measure capacity, look at the poster linked below</li> </ul>	<p><b>Maths</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Revise tables -1, -2 and -3</li> <li>-Master Your Maths, Thursday.</li> <li>- Look at some containers around your house and find the capacity of the liquid in them (Litres/ l or Millilitres/ml). <b>Record 5 things in your copy.</b></li> </ul>	<p><b>Maths</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Check you know your tables -1, -2 and -3</li> <li>- Look at questions A, B and C on the maths page and try to answer these out loud. Estimate if you aren't sure!</li> <li>- PowerPoint quiz, test your capacity knowledge so far!</li> </ul>
	<p><b>Irish</b></p> <p>Comhrá, Gloine Bhriste (Broken Glass/ Sport), éist leis. Listen to the conversation. See links below.</p>	<p><b>Irish</b></p> <p>Pléasc an Balún, burst the right balloon for the word they call out- See links below.</p>	<p><b>Irish</b></p> <p>Leigh an scéal agus féach ar na pictiúir, read and look the pictures- See links below.</p>	<p><b>Irish</b></p> <p>What sports do you play? Can you say them all in Irish? Link below to check.</p>
	<p><b>Music</b></p> <p>Practise your recorder songs and try to play the song 'Amazing Grace' below</p>	<p><b>Geography</b></p> <p><b>Aerial Photographs. See links below.</b></p>	<p><b>SPHE/Mindfulness</b></p> <p>Listen to exercise below.</p>	<p><b>Science/Art</b></p> <p><b>Minibeasts and The Lifecycle of the ladybird. Watch clips and draw.</b></p>
	<p><b>Religion</b></p> <p>One day watch mass at 10am. Go over your prayers. See below</p>	<p><b>Religion</b></p> <p>I will send a helper. See videos</p>	<p><b>Religion</b></p> <p>The Spirit comes to the disciples. Fill in the blanks orally.</p>	<p><b>Religion/Music</b></p> <p>Revise songs. See below.</p>
	<p><b>P.E.</b></p> <p>Daily exercises with Joe Wicks</p>	<p><b>P.E.</b></p> <p>Daily exercises with Joe Wicks</p>	<p><b>P.E.</b></p> <p>Daily exercises with Joe Wicks</p>	<p><b>P.E.</b></p> <p>Daily exercises with Joe Wicks</p>

## Second Class Suggested Schedule of Activities for the week of the 5<sup>th</sup> May 2020

### English

- My News. Tell us your news. How are you? What have you been doing? Remember to use **capital letters, full stops and adjectives**.
- Reading, check out <https://www.worldofdavidwalliams.com/elevenses/> , [www.librariesireland.ie](http://www.librariesireland.ie) , [www.vooks.com](http://www.vooks.com) and [www.storylineonline.net](http://www.storylineonline.net)
- Starlight Combined Skills Book and Reader, [comprehension and questions](#) for Tuesday and Wednesday.
- Homophones [work for Thursday](#), also available by login on folens.ie. Watch the video <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SCtWH2AdvUE>
- and a Powerpoint for [there, their and they're](#).
- Starlight Focus/Tricky words and English poem 'The Owl and the Pussycat' below. See <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HpwAP36-w7E>

### Irish

- The following three Irish links may need to be copied into your internet browser, however the work for Thursday and Friday is accessible through clicking on it.
- Tuesday [https://content.folensonline.ie/programmes/AbairLiom/2nd\\_class/resources/Dialogue/AL\\_2C\\_ACT\\_Comhra\\_L04\\_002/index.html](https://content.folensonline.ie/programmes/AbairLiom/2nd_class/resources/Dialogue/AL_2C_ACT_Comhra_L04_002/index.html)
- Wednesday [https://content.folensonline.ie/programmes/AbairLiom/2nd\\_class/resources/Vocabulary\\_games/AL\\_2C\\_GAME\\_Balloon\\_L04\\_003/index.html](https://content.folensonline.ie/programmes/AbairLiom/2nd_class/resources/Vocabulary_games/AL_2C_GAME_Balloon_L04_003/index.html)
- Thursday [Leigh an scéal](#) and Friday [Caitheamh Aimsire](#)

### Maths

- Tuesday, [video](#) on capacity and worksheet on [comparing capacity](#) and Wednesday, we measure capacity in [litres and millilitres](#).
- Friday, [Planet Maths 2 p.133](#), also available on FolensOnline and answer the questions on the [PowerPoint](#). Click 'Open with Google Slides' on the top centre of the landing page, then click 'Present' on the top right corner to check your answers as you go along!

### Geography

- Aerial photos are photos taken from an aircraft. See links. [https://drive.google.com/file/d/1Zv5XqNwZ3uyrYBTcoTOr2Xwb0AgSvK\\_T/view?usp=sharing](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1Zv5XqNwZ3uyrYBTcoTOr2Xwb0AgSvK_T/view?usp=sharing)  
What can you see? Think about what your house and school would look like from the sky. Draw one of them and label.

### Science/Art

- Watch <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rKQfJFAHW8Q> and <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z6882hv/articles/z9fkwmn> . Look at this PowerPoint on the ladybird. <https://drive.google.com/file/d/1KjrSijShUPoUKrmQS3exE6b0YWB857fL/view?usp=sharing>. Now go for a walk today or explore your garden. See if you can find any mini beasts or insects. Lift some stones! How many can you find? What is your favourite? Draw it and label it.

### Music /P.E.

- Recorder '[Amazing Grace](#)': Scroll down to access the song. You may need to rotate the page!
- P.E. with Joe Wicks on YouTube or through Twinkl <https://www.twinkl.ie/home-learning-hub>

### Religion

- Tuesday - [Livestream](#) of masses in the Church of the Nativity of Our Lady, mass is said at 10am each weekday. Go over [your prayers](#). Tick off the ones you know.
- Wednesday - What happened after Jesus died? Look at following videos. <https://vimeo.com/173788252> and <https://vimeo.com/206577714>
- Thursday - <https://drive.google.com/file/d/1QPharSOCl9EvkZs8oEZvj2JFkYZYWvf0/view?usp=sharing>
- Friday – Go over these songs. [We are the Greatest](#) and [Happy in the Presence](#) and [Circle of Friends](#)

### S.P.H.E./ Mindfulness

- Listen to Sitting still like a frog <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=72gFiAU2nIs> and practise your Mindfulness

<b>New words for the week of the 4<sup>th</sup> May</b>
tastier
daily
healthy
yogurt
core
liquidise
smooth
refreshing

## The Owl and the Pussy-Cat

By Edward Lear

1. The Owl and the Pussy-cat went to sea  
In a beautiful pea-green boat,  
They took some honey, and plenty of  
money,  
Wrapped up in a five-pound note.

2. The Owl looked up to the stars above,  
And sang to a small guitar,  
"O lovely Pussy! O Pussy, my love,  
What a beautiful Pussy you are, you are,  
you are!  
What a beautiful Pussy you are!"

3. Pussy said to the Owl, "You elegant  
fowl!  
How charmingly sweet you sing!  
O let us be married! too long we have  
tarried  
But what shall we do for a ring?"

