Dear Parents,

I hope that you and your families are continuing to keep safe. Once again please find a list of suggested list of activities and exercises for the week ahead. I know that this can be a stressful time for families so please do not feel under any pressure to complete all activities, even just doing a small bit of work each day will be beneficial. I have set the class up on the app See-Saw which allows the children to send completed work to me to see how they are getting on and to provide them with feedback. Once the work is sent to the app, I will be the only person able to see view it. Each of you should have received an activation code via txt and instructions on how to set the app up and if your child would like to share their work you can login but if not that’s no problem at all its optional.

* Maths: [www.edcolearning.ie](http://www.edcolearning.ie) **Level:** Primary **Username:** primaryedcobooks **Passwword**:edco2020
* English [www.oxfordowl.co.uk](http://www.oxfordowl.co.uk) click on **My class login** – **My class name:** First Class Kenmare **My class password**: 1234
* Religion [www.growinlove.ie](http://www.growinlove.ie) **Login:** [trial@growinlove.ie](mailto:trial@growinlove.ie) **Password:** growinlove
* P.E <https://www.youtube.com/user/thebodycoach1> Joe Wicks PE lessons are live every morning at 9am

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| **Monday 27th April**  **Maths**   * Mental Maths Week 28 Monday * Tables -4 * Practise counting in 5’s to 30 challenge yourself by going forwards and backwards! * Ask a variety of addition questions to your child using their 100 square. * Time to shoot some hoops: <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/learning-to-count/place-value-basketball> * Tens and units, remember to first add the units: Operation Maths pg. 92 (copy/sheet)   **English:**  Spellings: /oy/ sound   * Go through spellings for the week and their meaning (Look, Say, Cover, Write, Check) * Watch Geraldine Giraffe on YouTube * <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aodJQr-WJLk> * Jolly Grammar pg. 56 * Put spellings into sentences   Reading:   * Starlight pg. 38 –Poetry: Predict what the poems are about before reading. * Discuss words in bold and their meaning. * Let’s do some online reading! Try your best to read a new book everyday on Oxfordowl.co.uk (see link above)   Writing:   * Write your news! I’d love to hear what you’ve been up to over the weekend. * Just Handwriting pg. 53   **Gaeilge:**   * Please check See-Saw   **Religion:**   * Theme 8: Lesson 1: Listen to the story ‘Jesus’ Last Words’ | **Tuesday 28th April**  **Maths**   * Mental Maths Week 28 Tuesday * Tables -4 * Practise counting in 5’s to 50 challenge yourself by going forwards and backwards! * Ask your child a variety of subtraction questions using their 100 square. * Making numbers: <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/place-value/place-value-charts> (Select TU up to 99) * Operation Maths pg. 93 (copy/sheet)   **English:**  Spellings: /oy/ sound   * Watch Kids Versus Phonics on You Tube * <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=g_FDezjoPMw> * Put spellings into sentences   Reading:   * Starlight pg. 38 – Answer A qus 1 – 6 in your copy, paper or orally. * Read an a book on Oxfordowl.co.uk   **Gaeilge:**   * Please check See-Saw   **Science:**   * How does a sunflower grow? Watch this youtube video:<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yPq_4aZRvSM> * Complete Folens Explorers pg. 56   **P.E:**   * Lets do a Body Coach workout! <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Na1rzigYlSU>   **Religion:**   * Theme 8: Lesson 1: Listen to the story ‘Pentecost’ complete pg. 46 in Religion book. |

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| **W’dnesday 29th April**  **Maths**   * Mental Maths Week 28 Wednesday * Tables -4 * Practise counting in 5’s to 80 challenge yourself by going forwards and backwards! * Ask a variety of addition & subtraction questions (use 100 square) * Odd coconuts: <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/learning-to-count/coconut-odd-or-even> (Odd numbers up to 100) * Adding and subtracting, remember units first: Operation Maths pg. 94   **English:**  Spellings: /oy/ sound   * Adverbs – use the power point to teach the children what an adverb is: <https://www.twinkl.ie/resource/au-l-623-adverbs-powerpoint> – (see link above to access Twinkl) get your child to give examples orally. Complete pg. 57 in Jolly Grammar * Put spellings into sentences   Reading:   * Read pg. 38 silently to yourself. * Read a book from Oxfordowl.co.uk * Focusing on: There, they’re, their this week. Watch the video which helps to explain when t use them correctly: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GEgtjrAcRIo>   Writing:   * Just Handwriting pg. 54   **Gaeilge:**   * Please check See-Saw   **Science:**   * Investigate: Do plants always grow in a straight line?   **Religion:**   * Theme 8: Lesson 2: Religion book pg. 47 complete and practise the prayer to The Holy Spirit. | **Thursday 30th April**  **Maths**   * Mental Maths Week 28 Thursday * Tables -4 * Practise counting in 5’s to 100 challenge yourself by going forwards and backwards! * Challenge: Ask your child a variety of addition and subtraction questions up to 20 without them using their 100 square ! * Even coconuts: <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/learning-to-count/coconut-odd-or-even> (Even numbers up to 100) * Adding and subtracting tens and units: Operation Maths pg. 95   **English:**  Spellings: /oy/ sound   * Revise what an adverb means <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yo8pzuE97EA>– get your child to give examples orally. * Put spellings into sentences.   Reading:   * Buddy Up ! - Read a favourite book to someone or get them to read it to you.   Writing:   * Focus on there, they’re and their: * Use the power point to see when we use there, they’re and their: <https://www.twinkl.ie/resource/t-e-596-there-their-and-theyre-homophones-powerpoint> * Starlight pg. 40 Answer A 1 - 8 and C 1- 4 - in your copy, paper or orally.   **Gaeilge:**   * Please check See-Saw   **P.E:**   * Lets do a Body Coach workout! <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QGYXh_G8X6A>   **Geography:**   * What happens in spring?: Complete Explorers pg. 58 * Go for a walk and look for the signs of spring. Can you see any of the animals and their babies? |

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| **Fun Friday 1st May**  **Maths**   * Mental Maths Week 28 Friday Review * Tables -4 (Test-mix them up when asking) * Maths games: Deck of cards ‘Shows Most’- divide deck of cards evenly between players. Leave your cards face down. Each player turns over two cards, whoever has the biggest total keeps all the cards. Player with most cards at the end is the winner. (Use cards Ace.2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9 and 10. Ace = 1) * Lets play Funky Mummy, click the link <http://www.ictgames.com/funkyMummy/index.html> * Even coconuts: <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/learning-to-count/coconut-odd-or-even> (Odd or even numbers up to 100)   **Gaeilge:**   * Please check See-Saw   **English:**  Spellings:   * Spelling test   Writing:   * Starlight pg. 41: Cinquain: A cinquain is a simple poem with 5 lines. Write a Ciquain about your favourite animal !   **Art:**   * Lets draw Sonic the Hedgehog: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=sx2fHwPpssc>   **Fun Friday Activity:**  Lets get baking!!  **Cake in a cup:**  35g plain flour  2 tablespoons coca powder  1/4 teaspoon baking powder  2 tablespoons granulated sugar  Pinch salt  60ml milk  2tablespoons vegetable oil  1 tablespoon Nutella or chocolate chips   1. Mix dry ingredients in the biggest mug you have. 2. Mix in wet ingredients until there are no lumps 3. Drop the Nutella/chocolate chips on top in the middle. 4. Put in microwave on high for 70 seconds |