Mr. Hussey – 5th Class 05.04.20 – 08.05.20

Hi all, hope you are all continuing to keep safe and well in these strange times. I must say a huge WELL DONE to all of you for the great work ye are doing and the engagement that I am getting on SeeSaw. I know its not easy to think of our home environment as our ‘school’ for now but ye are all doing really well, keep it up! I also know it’s difficult for parents who are still working either from home, out on the front line or providing essential services. I try to ensure that the work I have assigned is not too difficult that he children can hopefully work away independently but also challenging for them to get something out of the work. I must say I am really enjoying the engagement with you all on SeeSaw and while I know it’s not the same as the face to face we have in school, it is definitely better than no interaction at all.

Just a couple of tips going forward:

* Try to stick to the daily routine as much as ye can and not let it build up over the week.
* As we are encountering new concepts in Maths – You need to spend time looking at the videos I attach to the work and any issue at all, firstly perhaps you could ask mom and dad and then come to me.
* Get plenty fresh air and exercise! Not only is this good for our physical well being but it is great for our mental well being also.

Here is the outline for the work for the coming week.

***N.B.If you are engaging in Seesaw as the majority of you are, I will post the work in more detail there every morning, so be sure to check and read the activities there before you start your work! I may vary content depending on how the work is going in each subject. This is mainly for anyone that is not or cannot access Seesaw.***

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| **Tuesday 05.04.20:**  Gaeilge: Duolingo – Log in and do 10 mins practice.  Bun go Barr – Lch 85 – K (Use foclóir.ie for meanings of words in box)  Maths: Mental Maths – Monday & Tuesday and PS  Watch this video to recap on Pie Charts from last week: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SxSewF7E1-0>  Then do Operation Maths Pg 105 Q3  English: ‘Once’ – Continue reading – Pg 111-115  Log onto readtheory.org and complete 15 mins comprehension work. (Be sure you do pre-test first if not done last week)  Jolly Grammar – pg 62 – Complete the page (syllable work and noun phrases eg ‘The red convertible sportscar’)  History: See Projects section  **Wednesday 06.05.20:**  Gaeilge: Duolingo – Log in and do 10 mins practice.  Scéal – Scríobh píosa beag: ‘Mo Dialann sa bhaile’ – 10 nabairtí san aimsir chaite (Write a small piece called ‘My diary at home’ in the past tense)  Eg. Dhuisigh mé ar a hocht a chlog ar maidin (I got up at 8am)  Maths: Mental Maths – Wednesday and PS  Operation Maths Pg 105 Q4&5  English: go to the following link: <https://www.literacyshed.com/thewaybackhome.html>  Watch the video and write out a diary entry or recount (Retelling) of the story  Readtheory – Log in and complete another comprehension piece.  J.G - Spellings  Religion: Read the gospel of the Good Shepherd (Attached pg1) and complete the activity at the bottom of the 1st page. |
| **Thursday 07.05.20:**  Gaeilge: Duolingo – Log in and do 10 mins practice.  Mo theach – 5 nabairtí (5 sentences about your house – describe it/what rooms are in it/is there a garden etc.)  Maths: Mental Maths – Wednesday and PS  Watch these 2 videos:   1. Fractions Recap: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=n0FZhQ_GkKw> 2. Decimals Intro   <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BItpeFXC4vA>  Operation Maths Pg 106 Q1&2  English: Go to the following link: <https://www.literacyshed.com/thewaybackhome.html>  Watch the video & Write a dialogue between the boy and the alien (1 page). Write as a conversation  JG – Spellings  ‘Once’ – Read Pgs 116 - 120  Religion: Complete page 2 of the sheets attached and say the prayer at the end.    Science: See Projects section |
| **Friday 08.05.20:**  Gaeilge: Duolingo – Log in and do 10 mins practice.  Maths: Mental Maths –Friday Review and PS  Watch the 2nd video from yesterday again:  <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BItpeFXC4vA>  Operation Maths – Pg 107 Q.4  English: Jolly Grammar – Spelling Test (Get mam or dad to ask you 15 spellings and write them out – Correct them yourself)  Readtheory – Log in and complete a comprehension piece  Read a book of your choice in a quiet corner for 15mins.  Art: Attempt to draw with Don!  <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=k1YV_Y6dQUk>  PE: Complete Joe Wicks daily PE lesson!  <https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLyCLoPd4VxBuHn84_as427AwkVpahrqti> |

Primary Planet has free access at the moment too – See link here: <https://www.newsmagmedia.ie/Downloads.aspx?mag_id=2&cat_id=2>

Project work:

History:

* Unit 7 – Small World Pg 37 – Answer A & B

Geography:

* Follow the following link

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zvsfr82/articles/zjdkhbk>

* Read the information and watch the video attached to do with map reading.
* Copy the attached Zoo Coordinates Map into your copy and complete.

Science:

* Just before we left school we were planning on making our bridges! Now I would like ye to try this at home!

Watch the video and then create your own!

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?time_continue=312&v=76rCZ9S6qnE&feature=emb_title>

Other Resources available:

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| **Helpful websites** | **Textbook website links** |
| [www.twinkl.com](http://www.twinkl.com) | [www.cjfallon.ie](http://www.cjfallon.ie) |
| [www.scoilnet.ie](http://www.scoilnet.ie) | [www.edcolearning.ie](http://www.edcolearning.ie) |
| [www.primaryscience.ie](http://www.primaryscience.ie) | [www.seesaw.com](http://www.seesaw.com) |
| [www.askaboutireland.ie](http://www.askaboutireland.ie)  Kilmainham Gaol Facebook page are doing daily behind the scenes tours of the building. | [www.growinlove.ie](http://www.growinlove.ie)  Email: [trial@growinlove.ie](mailto:trial@growinlove.ie)  Password: growinlove  [www.pobble365.com](http://www.pobble365.com) |
| RTÉ Home School Hub (11am + 4pm Monday to Friday)  [www.rte.ie/learn](http://www.rte.ie/learn)  [www.rte.ie/player](http://www.rte.ie/player) | [www.mrsbrownart.com/drive](http://www.mrsbrownart.com/drive) |
| [www.nrich.maths.org](http://www.nrich.maths.org) | [www.focloir.ie](http://www.focloir.ie) |
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Have a great week!