

## Mrs. Fox 2<sup>nd</sup> Class Workpack Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> - Friday 27<sup>th</sup> of March

Dear Parents, Please note this is a suggested scheme of work for you to follow. It is a guideline and is designed to assist you in home-schooling your child during this very difficult period in our lives. Parents are encouraged to assist their children where and when they can, but please don't feel under pressure to complete items if they are causing difficulty. We would encourage parents to focus on the core subjects of English and Maths - the main thing is that children stay in touch with their learning and have a positive structure to their day over the course of the disrupted school term. Stay safe kids and remember to wash those hands!

My class were given a new blank copybook to take home for any written work. Please label this HOME SCHOOL 2020. This will be collected on return to school.

### English

#### PM Reading:

- Revise all pages of your PM reader.
- Choose 5 interesting words from the reader and research the meaning in a dictionary or online. Write these meanings into your copy book.
- If possible, practice reading any characters' lines/areas of speech marks (if your reader includes those) and record yourself expressively reading these sections - use this as a mini drama exercise for yourself. Listen back to the recording to hear your good attempts at expressive reading.

#### Drop Everything and Read:

- 15 mins a day: a book of your choice.  
Visit [www.scoilnet.com](http://www.scoilnet.com) and search for worldbook online & click on the ebook section. There are hundreds of e books available to read online for all levels and interests.

#### Spellings

- Each day, revise the given week and choose 5 of the words from that week to write an interesting sentence about.
- Monday (week 5), Tuesday (week 6), Wednesday (week 7), Thursday (week 8) and Friday (week 9)
- Complete a test on Friday of all of the words you chose to put into sentences.
- Revise 'Just Phonics' large workbook on pages 18, 19, 20 + 21. This is working on past tense adding -ed. Create a list of 20 words in the past tense found on these 4 pages, into your copybook.

#### Writing:

- Write a few sentences about what your PM reader was about. Mini book review.
- Write a piece of Free Writing / story on the following headings: 'The Day I lost my tooth', 'My mammy bought a motorbike!' and 'If I won €1 million'.
- Persuasive writing: write a paragraph trying to convince me why people should NOT live in Antarctica. (Think back on our research and videos).
- Write your news in the same style we write in class.

## Maths

### Tables:

- Revise: Monday (+6 / -6 ), Tuesday (+7 / -7), Wednesday (+8 / -8), Thursday (+9 / -9) and Friday (+10 / -10).
- Complete some addition or subtraction maths games on [www.topmarks.co.uk](http://www.topmarks.co.uk) to revise and practice these tables facts.

### Addition: (From Busy at Maths workbook)

- Write out 5 addition sums (no regrouping) from pages 67 + 68 into copybook.
- Write out 5 addition sums (with regrouping) from pages 51 into copybook.

### Subtraction:

- Write out 5 subtraction sums (no renaming) from page 109 into copybook.
- Write out 5 subtraction sums (with renaming) from page 138 into copybook.

### 3D shapes:

- Make a list of 8 objects in your house that resemble a 3D shape (e.g. Toy box = cuboid)
- Draw 4 of the 3D items from your house into copybook.

### Money:

- If possible, look at a shopping receipt that a parent might have. Choose 4 of your favourite things from the receipt. The total amount of the 4 items cannot be more than €10. Write the item, the price and show how you found the total.

## Gaeilge

- Revise over pg.78+79, 84+85 and 90+91. These are all poster pages with their vocabulary.
- Play 'Taispeáin dom \_\_\_\_' with these words with someone at home. One is teacher and one is student. Teacher asks e.g. 'Taispeáin dom rothar' and the student has to quickly find it. Play with more children and make it a fun race to find the word first. Reverse roles then so other person is teacher.
- Revise over clocks and time on pg.81 'Cén t-am é?' ..... 'Tá sé a naoi a chlog'.

## History

- Find out some interesting facts about explorers of Antarctica. (a topic already covered this year.)

## Geography

- Draw the continent of Antarctica and label some of the islands and places we talked about during research in class. (If you have access to a globe, map or google images)

## Art

- Look at Art for Kids Hub on Youtube (used in class) and choose 2 tutorials to follow and draw on the A3 page I gave you.
- Design a new book cover for the PM Reader or the book you are reading for DEAR time.

## PE

- Go for a walk, jog or cycle at least once a day.
- Practice the GAA skills Mairead has asked you to work on.

## Other

- Learn how to tie your shoe laces.
- Choose something you would like to be able to make on your own for lunch and ask an adult to help you learn how to do this.

Please see technology based learning links and suggestions below.

### Educational Websites for Revision

[www.scoilnet.com](http://www.scoilnet.com)

[www.primaryresources.co.uk](http://www.primaryresources.co.uk)

<http://www.twinkl.ie/offer> IRLTWINKLHELPS for a free months subscriptions

[www.topmarks.co.uk](http://www.topmarks.co.uk)

[www.mathletics.com](http://www.mathletics.com) free trial for home users

[www.mathplayground.com](http://www.mathplayground.com)

[www.oxfordowl.co.uk](http://www.oxfordowl.co.uk)

[www.storylineonline.com](http://www.storylineonline.com)

[www.cula4.ie](http://www.cula4.ie)

[www.gonoodle.com](http://www.gonoodle.com)

[www.teachyourmonstertoread.com](http://www.teachyourmonstertoread.com) Free On Computers

[www.starfall.com](http://www.starfall.com)

[www.phonicsbloom.com](http://www.phonicsbloom.com)

[www.sightwords.com](http://www.sightwords.com)

**Learn at home!**  
*Using tech.*

**Websites:**

- o Freckle.com
- o Lexialearning.com
- o Starfall.com
- o MysteryScience.com
- o Readworks.org
- o STMath.com
- o KhanAcademy.org
- o Gonoodle.com
- o Abcy.com
- o Xtramath.org
- o Zearn.org

**Apps:**

- o RazKids\*
- o Seesaw
- o Epic
- o Vooks
- o Book Creator
- o Magnetic ABC
- o Ten Frames
- o ABCMouse
- o Monster Math
- o Scratch Jr
- o Starfall
- o Let's Read

**Youtube:**

- o Kids Learning Tube
- o Free School
- o Homeschool Pop
- o StoryBots
- o Khan Academy
- o Smithsonian Channel
- o The Brain Scoop
- o Word World PBS
- o TED-Ed
- o Sci Show Kids
- o National Geographic Kids
- o Peekaboo Kidz
- o Storyline Online
- o Story Time with Ms. Becky
- o KidTimeStoryTime

**Podcasts:**

- o Brains On
- o Six Minutes
- o But Why: A Podcast for Curious Kids
- o Story Pirates
- o Circle Round
- o Smash Boom Best
- o Wow in the World
- o Eleanor Amplified
- o The Two Princes
- o Ear Snacks
- o KidNuz

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