



St. Josephs GNS - 3rd Class

Monday June 8th – Friday June 12th

Hello everyone,

I hope that you all had a nice week off enjoying the nice weather and the break from the school work. It's not long now until our summer holiday! For the coming week I would like you to continue to work on your work packs, if you have not completed them already. If you have already finished the work pack please see this week's suggested timetable below. Please do not feel under any pressure to complete all the work. This work is suggested for you so do as much as you can. Try to do a little work each day. Continue to send on pictures of your work also if you can to jcurtin@stjosephsfinglas.net.

Thanks again to all those who have continued to send on work. It is great to see all the great work you have been doing at home over the last few weeks. You are almost there, keep it going! I would also like to thank all the girls who entered the Crazy Hat competition. Your hats were amazing, so creative. Well done!

Project of the Week: This week's little project will be an art competition. Follow the YouTube link below to draw and colour in 'Summer Lemonade'. You can send your entries to me by email jcurtin@stjosephsfinglas.net. A prize will be sent out to the winner or winners.

YouTube Link: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oJwIVxHovkY>

If you cannot access the link, you can type 'Summer Lemonade Drawing' into the YouTube search and follow the tutorial

*Please see this week's Suggested Timetable below:

Suggested Timetable for the Week – 08/06/20 to 12/06/20

Monday 08/06	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • English: New Wave English: Begin a new week & Complete one day • Maths: Mental Maths: Begin a new week & complete one day • Writing: Continue with handwriting workbook (1 page) • Music: Cup Song: Today we are going to learn about percussion and Múinteoir Clóna shows us a famous percussion routine to the Cup Song on RTE Home School Hub @ 11am.
Tuesday 09/06	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • English: New Wave English: Complete next day • Maths: Mental Maths: Complete next day • Writing: Continue with handwriting workbook (1 page) • Gaeilge: Beimid ag foghlaim foclóir nua bunaithe ar an téama 'An Aimsir'. We will revise the theme of 'An Aimsir' (Weather) RTE Home School Hub @ 11am. • Exercise: Joe Wicks 5 minute Workout - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rN0h6EZd6TM
Wednesday 10/06	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • English: New Wave English: Complete next day • Maths: Mental Maths: Complete next day • Writing: Continue with handwriting workbook • Science: Make your own Parachute - Today with Múinteoir Ray we learn how we can catch some air and make our own parachute. • Exercise: 10 at 10
Thursday 11/06	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • English: New Wave English: Complete next 2 days – finish off the week • Maths: Mental Maths: Complete next 1 day • Writing: Continue with handwriting workbook (1 page) • Art: Pottery – Tune in to RTE Home School Hun @ 11am where múinteoir Clóna is going to show us how to make homemade clay and we will make our own pottery.
Friday 12/06	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • English: New Wave English: Complete next 2 days – finish off the week • Maths: Mental Maths: Complete next 2 days day – finish off the week & Friday Review • Writing: Continue with handwriting workbook (1 page) • Maths: Real Life Maths – Today on Home School Hub, we will learn about the 4 key operations of maths and how they are used as part of everyday life by everyone. • PE: Line Dancing - learn about movement through dancing and Múinteoir Clóna teaches us 2 great line dancing songs.

**If you are unable to watch RTE Home School Hub at 11am, you can watch each episode any time on the RTE Player using this link:*

<https://www.rte.ie/player/series/rt%C3%A9-home-school-hub/SI0000006854?epquid=IP000065950>

I hope that you are all keeping safe and well and enjoying this time at home. Do your best with the work and as always please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions or concern. My email address is jcurtin@stjosephsfinglas.net. Looking forward to hearing from you.

Useful Tips and Resources

English: Continue to work on your New Wave English workbook and practice your handwriting each day. If you have completed your handwriting book you can continue to practice in your free writing copies or in your diaries. It is really important that we practice our reading each day. Read the stories from your 'Get Set' textbooks. If you do not have this book, try to read from books you have at home. You can also find lots of stories to read online. Here are some examples:

<https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/for-home/>

<https://reading.ecb.org/>

www.storynory.com

You can also continue to practice spellings here: 'Spooky Spellings' online game (start on level 1 and work up)

<http://www.ictgames.com/mobilePage/spookySpellings/index.html>

Maths: Continue to work on your Mental Maths workbook by completing one day at a time (Don't forget the Friday Review). Please try to revise and practice your tables each week. Continue to use TopMarks.co.uk also. We will continue to use our Planet Maths books to work on different topics. This week we will look back on addition and subtraction. Remember to complete all work in your copies and not into the textbook. Here are some other useful maths websites that may help you to learn:

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/Search.aspx?Subject=16>

<https://www.khanacademy.org/>

www.mathplayground.com

www.math.rice.edu/~lanius/Lessons

Gaeilge: Keep practicing your Irish as much as you can while at home. Similar to RTE Home School Hub, TG4 have produced a programme to help with learning Irish at home called **Cúla 4 Ar Scoil**. This programme is aired everyday on **TG4 from 10.00am – 10.30am**. All the latest episodes can also be viewed on the TG4 Player by clicking in the following link:

<https://www.tg4.ie/en/player/home/?pid=6156396321001&series=C%C3%BAIa4%20ar%20Scoil&genre=Cula4>

Here are some additional links that may be helpful in practicing your Gaeilge at home:

www.teanglann.ie

www.cula4.com

www.seideansi.ie

History, Geography & Science: Here are some useful website for doing your own research at home. Why not research a topic you are interested in? For example; The Romans, The Egyptians, The Great Famine, World War II, The Titanic, different countries, animals, climates and so much more! Child friendly search engines:

www.ducksters.com

www.kids.nationalgeographic.com

www.kiddle.com

www.primaryscience.ie

PE: Here are some useful links to help you with getting active and playing games at home.

https://www.youtube.com/results?search_query=joe+wicks+5+minute+workout

www.gonoodle.com

Art: You can find some excellent ideas for art lessons here also.

www.scoilnet.ie/pdst/physlitArt

www.youtube.com/user/ArtforKidsHub

TWINKL is a website with lots of learning activities for all subjects. You can set up a free account on www.twinkl.ie/offer by entering the code IRLTWINKLHELPS.

Other helpful educational websites:

www.scoilnet.ie

www.seomraranga.com

www.primaryresources.co.uk

www.topmarks.co.uk

www.sparklebox.co.uk