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| Put spellings words(See Copy) into sentences in your Homework copy.  Remember to use capital letters, full stops and adjectives. | Go Noodle activities and movement breaks (online) – if you want to. Need to create your own account.     | Look through some of your family photographs (holidays, parties, etc.). Write six sentences about your happy memories in your Homework copy.  | Make up a story. Act it out. Put in some funny jokes and props. Dress in role and perform for an audience at home.    | The learning station movement breaks and RTE 10@10 DAILY 10 Minute exercises (YouTube).   |
| Cula 4 na nOg on TG4- Irish language Cartoons and games. Irish Spellings (See below) – The spellings are in test copies. Write them out in homework copy, with Spelling Steps. | Jigsaws  and Puzzles   Invent a New game and write some sentences to tell us how to play it.    | Drawing – follow some drawing tutorials on you tube. “How to draw a….”  Cut out magazines and newspapers and make a collage with glue.    | Baking. Follow the recipe. Then write it out afterwards in your Homework copy.   | Research a topic or project of your choice.  A European country of your choice.  |
|  Read a Novel of your choice. Design a new Book cover for it in your Homework copy ***or*** write six sentences about your favourite character. | Design a poster for your favourite movie, game or tv show on A4 paper. Colour. | Just Dance kids (YouTube) – guided dance videos   | Ask what you can do to help at home. Take on some extra responsibilities and chores around the house.   | Arts and Crafts –  Draw something from Nature from observing your Spring Environment: flowers, trees, birds. Colour or Paint.  |
| Do a Maths hunt in your house. Look for shapes, numbers, time, weight, lengths, measure things etc. List in homework copy. Extra:- Make up some real life maths problems + solve!  | Board Games.  Chess, snakes and ladders, draughts, scrabble, monopoly.     | Construction – Lego Bricks, blocks, Junk Art. Build a model using bricks or get creative and use recyclable materials to construct something.   | Create a treasure hunt for home. Follow directions and get someone to complete it.   | Make your own musical instrument from recyclables.  |
| Play Card Games  (To practice your +/-  addition and subtraction tables).  | Science Experiments – research and do some simple experiments under supervision.   | Handwriting Practice- Do one page each day of Ready, Steady, Write.  | Read a selection of books from different genres from the library or <https://www.worldbookonline.com/kids/home> Get Epic app:- set up your own account. | Play a game in your garden. Spend 20 minutes outdoors  Skip, kick a ball, throw and catch, play tennis.   |

**12th March 2020**

**Dear Parents/Guardians,**

**Due to our closure, we have prepared some ideas for the children to work on, during this period. On the reverse, please find a selection of work for the children to choose from. There is no expectation to complete all the activities on the reverse, please choose at your own discretion 😊**

**As we are unsure of our school closure period, please start at week 25 of English spellings of next week, and continue as usual with the next set of spellings for the following weeks (Wk 25 to 30 are glued in their test/spelling notebooks.) Please note Irish Spellings have also been glued into spellings notebooks.**

***And of course, please remember to take and enjoy your Easter holidays. Take care of yourselves and each other, and I look forward to seeing you shortly.***

**Until then,**

**Sharon.**

**More details below….**

**2nd Class: Monday – Friday**: **Workbooks**- Complete **one** exercise in “**New Wave Mental Maths**” each day. Read **one Irish story** in “**Leigh sa Bhaile**”, each day and write out the questions and answers in your Homework copy. Each week**, read** our chapters on France and Spain in “**Starlight, Combined Reading and Skills book**”. After reading these, please complete the Starlight activities for Units 3a and 3b of your skills book, using your Homework copy if needed. **Handwriting:** Do one page of “**Ready, Steady Write,”** per day.

 **English Spellings** : Do one Week at a time. (Wk 25…..See Copy) T**ables**: Revise Addition +1 to +12 and Subtraction Sub 1 to Sub 12. **Irish Spellings**: Do One week at a time.( Wk25,….See copy.)

Some access websites you might like to use, with permission: Duolingo for Irish and other languages, Read theory for English Comprehension. [www.askaboutireland.ie](http://www.askaboutireland.ie/) for English, Irish, History, Geography and Science. www.coolmaths4kids,com, mathplayground.com, [www.topmarks.co.uk](http://www.topmarks.co.uk/) for literacy and numeracy, <https://kids.nationalgeographic.com/> for SESE game, quizzes and information, <https://www.bbc.co.uk/history/forkids/>  [www.scoilnet.ie](http://www.scoilnet.ie/) , <https://www.worldbookonline.com/kids/home>. Also [www.twinkl.ie](http://www.twinkl.ie)

 If using a search engine for project work  use <https://www.worldbookonline.com/kids/home> and <https://kids.nationalgeographic.com/>.

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| **Silent h Week 25**  | **Silent c Week 26**  | **/are/ Week 27**  |
| belt | land | film |
| farm | quiz | kept |
| hour | scene | hare |
| ghost | scent | care |
| rhyme | muscle | share |
| rhythm | science | scare |
| honest | scissors | square |
| rhinoceros | crescent | nightmare |
| centimetre | gram | millilitre |
| metre | kilogram | litre |
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| **/ear/ sound Week 28**  | **tion Week 29**  | **/sion/ Week 30**  |
| grip | must | fist |
| milk | stuck | best |
| bear | nation | occasion |
| tear | station | division |
| pear | relation | revision |
| wear | action | invasion |
| swear | fiction | explosion |
| underwear | dictionary | television |
| weight | minute | fraction |
| volume | second | estimate |