

May 18th - 22nd School Closure

5th and 6th Class

Good morning boys and girls,

I hope you are all well and are enjoying the sunshine we have been getting lately. Hopefully it sticks around! You are all doing great work at home, keep doing your best, complete what you can and if you are finding anything difficult please let me know.

6th class pupils – Please ask your parents to check their emails. Also, thank you to those who have returned completed education passports to the school. If you have not done so please do. Thank you.

Ms Corr

Maths

- Mental Maths Week 32
- Tables Champion Week 31
- 5th Class Planet Maths - Rules and Properties
 - ❖ pg 146 Part A, B (if you have a calculator), C Q1
 - ❖ Pg 147 Part B, C, D. Try your best.
- 6th Class Planet Maths - Number Rules
 - ❖ Pg 168 Part A, D Try these.
 - ❖ Pg 169 A, B, C, D. Try your best.

English

- Spelling Workbook: Complete the last two pages of activities for Unit 16
- Anne Frank Novel: Read pg212-247 (you could read 7 pages each weekday).
- Anne Frank Questions attached on the website.
- Writing "A Day in the Life of a...":
Write a short story of how an inanimate object came to life such as a shoe, doll, teddy, pencil. Write the story from the perspective of the object (speaking as if you are the object). Use the documents attached on the website to help you. Read the planning example and story example. Use the planning template to help you to plan your story - this can be done on the sheet if possible or in your English copy. During and after your writing use the writing checklist to help you improve your writing.

You can do a second draft in your English copy if you need to. Best of luck, I hope you have fun writing it and maybe draw a picture of your object at the end!

Gaeilge

- Abair Liom: Léigh gach lá:
 - ❖ Scéal lgh 130, 131
 - ❖ Cómhrá lgh 132
- Dean iarracht na ceisteanna a dhéanamh lgh131: A agus D (Try these questions, don't worry if you find them very difficult just try your best to complete as much as you can).
- Speak a little Gaeilge aloud each day at home. Use pg154 Abair Liom for ideas on how to bring Gaeilge into conversation at home.
- Scríobh faoi "Bia" (use pg156 Abair Liom to help you write at least one paragraph about food - what foods you prefer and what other people like to eat).

Religion

- Read Grow In Love pg94-97.
- 6th Class - continue to complete 2 more pages of your Confirmation book to the best of your ability. Use the internet to help you find information if possible.

SESE

- Unlocking SESE read pg156-161 on 'Global Navigation'.
- Complete the "Checkpoint" activity on pg158. Complete Q1-3 pg160 if possible, you could use a map to find the directions from your home to somewhere you would like to visit once the restrictions are lifted and it is safe to do so again.
- If you get this finished you could also complete the extra activities in this chapter such as pg158 'Map Skills', pg159 'Map Skills' and 'Design and Draw' and the 'The Key to Literacy' activity on pg160.

PE

- Keep up with your movement each day! Some ideas to try at home:
 - ❖ Scoilnet Beyond the Classroom:
<https://www.scoilnet.ie/pdst/physlit/beyond/>
For lots of ideas and videos for skills such as catching:
<https://vimeo.com/412274551>

<https://vimeo.com/412274718> (as gaeilge)

- ❖ Circuits: you could try to complete the following activities for 30 seconds each. Take a 1 minute break between each round. Complete the circuit 4 times.
Jumping jacks, squats, hop on your left leg, hop on your right leg, burpees, high knees.

STEM Activity:

Make a boat which floats successfully in a sink or basin of water and can carry a cargo of at least one coin. Use whatever suitable materials you can find at home - empty egg cartons, tin foil, straws, scrap paper, paper cups, old sponges. Let your parents know before you complete the activity. Maybe you could have a competition at home - which boat can carry the most coins before it sinks?

Extra Activities:

Other activities you may like to do:

- **World Bee Day** will be celebrated on the 20th of May. Maybe you could try the following activities with your family to help save the bees:
 - ❖ 'No May Mow' - Ask your family to stop cutting your lawn for the month of May to allow clover and other important bee-friendly wildflowers to bloom.
 - ❖ Let wildflowers grow in your garden or plant bee-friendly flowers in your garden such as: dandelions, daisies, hogweed, clover, dead nettles, knapweed, honeysuckle, thyme, chives and sweet peas.
 - ❖ Find out more about bees:
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BXHAHHHki_E&feature=emb_title
 - ❖ Have a look at the "How You Can Save The Bees" booklet attached on the website for lots of ideas of how you and your family can help protect the bees.



- **Wellbeing Activity** - have a look at the 'Wellbeing Booklet' attached on the website. Complete some activities from this booklet such as 'My well-being activities' page 1 and 'Feeling positive emotions' page 3 and 4. If possible you could complete these activities on the sheets or use the back of your SESE copy or even a blank piece of paper.
- **Charades** - act out a TV show, book, film or song for others at home to identify.
- **Memory games** - close your eyes, someone moves something in the room. Can you tell what it is? To make it harder use the whole house.
- **Art Competition** - The 'Draw Your Hero' art competition involves drawing a picture of a person in your life who is helping you through this time. The details of the competition can be found on the website: www.drawyourhero.com

Project:

Continue your project work on World War 2 and VE Day. There are some documents on WW2 and VE Day attached on the website under May 11th. Information you could include:

- Countries involved and their role
- Leaders
- Timeline of events
- The Diary of Anne Frank
- War and Technology
- Famous battles