Home-school guidance 27 May – 8 June

Dear parent,

Please read the following information on ways you can help your child learn at home.

This is an overview of the work your child is covering over the next two weeks.

Please remember work sheets do not take the place of practical activities which your child requires to fully grasp new concepts/numbers etc.

I will also post up on Dojo guides to help you with the work pack.

We continue with our topic **going on an adventure** — The Jungle — what animals live in the jungle, what is the jungle like/weather and Summer

Please keep sending your favourite pictures of all the things that you have been doing at home. All your classmates will love to see these snaps

Send them to info@gaeloid.doire.ni.sch.uk and we will upload them to the school website. — as we cannot upload to the school site from Dojo!

Many thanks

Múinteoir Caroline

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Reading: Clár Luathléitheoireachta — (reading scheme) https://ccea.org.uk/learning-resources/clar-luathleitheoireacleite/cluichi-bhanda-1

This site includes interactive games to consolidate learnin scheme. If you have covered games **Cluichí Bhanda 1A** 1-6 move on to **Cluichí Bhanda 1B** – Cluiche 1-6 – please play these games with your child if possible as it also includes audio for all games and you can hear all the words. Move on to **1C** if you feel ready.

In the work pack you will have work sheets for this scheme —move on to Na Peataí (13) Ag priontáil (14) and An Long (15) if other work has been completed.

Seo mé, Dinnéar sa Zú, and Na Béir. -2/3 times per week

Click on the link below to listen to Seo mé, Dinnéar sa Zú and Na Béir—read along with the reader and your child. What words do they recognize?

https://www.leighanois.com/display2.php?articleid=6—Seo mé

https://www.leighanois.com/display2.php?articleid=54- Dinnear sa Zú

https://www.leighanois.com/display2.php?articleid=52 - Na béir

A chance to read along with your child as Gaeilge — listen to the story being read — Ag fás, An carr dearg and Spota— there are also interactive games — 'gníomhaíochtaí' — click on the correct picture etc.

https://www.rewardinglearning.org.uk/microsites/dreimire/scealta/index.asp

Stories to read along with your child:

https://www.seideansi.ie/dep/files/ulster/Ag_siopadoireacht_le_Mamai.html

https://www.seideansi.ie/dep/files/ulster/ls_maith_liom.html

Key words — Continue on with the key words in your pack. Ensure your child has grasped each word before you move onto new word — perhaps one/three new words per week. Use these words to practice writing skills — write them out using correct pencil grip. I have included the audio version of these words on Dojo Class Story — please refer to them if you need help with pronunciation.

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Continue with the **Key word games** included in your pack.

Interactive Key Word games:

http://www.leighleat.com/focail-is-coitianta.html

Phonics — Continue to play Snap/matching games to reinforce correct sound.

Consolidate those sounds already covered- c a d g o i r n l t h b s m p, e, f, u, d, and shh.

Only move on to the next sound when you are sure your child is confident in sounding out those already covered. This week **tee**—teidí te.

Léigh leat — **phonics in Irish**— http://www.leighleat.com/uladh.html
You will find a little rhyme/song for each sound, a character to help remember the sound and various pictures of objects which begin with that sound. Make use also of the interactive activities.

Writing — continue to practice the correct formation of each of these sounds — use practice sheet I have provided on site.

Practice handwriting skills — workbook - **Mo leabhar Scríbhneoireachta** - 2 pages every other day — practice correct pencil grip.

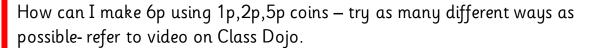
Stories — you will find lots of stories in Irish here. Try and listen to one every night if possible:

https://soundcloud.com/forasnagaeilge/sets/an-gum-1

Uimhearthacht / Numeracy

Airgead/money

How can I make 5p using 2p and 1p coins?



Work through the booklet in your pack — Cá mhéad atá sa phróca/How much is in the jar?

Interactive tasks to help with coin value -

https://ie.ixl.com/math/sr-infants/count-money-1c-and-2c-coins

Interactive games to help develop number value and coin recognition:

https://www.topmarks.co.uk/Flash.aspx?f=HigherAndLower https://www.topmarks.co.uk/money/coins-game

An t-am - the time

Continue building on concept of o'clock — Page 2 and 3 of booklet in pack - telling the time and draw the time — video on Class Dojo o'clock/a chlog

Top marks - interactive game —

https://www.sheppardsoftware.com/mathgames/earlymath/on_time_game1 .htm - level1

Sorting activities:

https://ie.ixl.com/math/sr-infants/classify-and-sort

https://ie.ixl.com/math/sr-infants/same-and-different



Uimhreas/Number

Number Formation activity book — continue to work through the book — try and use the practical activities as much as possible — e.g. show me ---- using your fingers/count out the number ----- using beads/coins etc.

Mata le chéile — Caibidil 5 lch 5-9 — 5-17 see Dojo Class Story for video on number value and addition.

Caibidil 6 lch 6-1 6-10 - 2 pages per day

An Domhan thart Orainn/The world around Us

We are going on an adventure – the jungle.

What animals live in the jungle? Can you recognize them?

How would we get to the jungle? - fly/boat/car? - use a map

Can you make some jungle animals using play dough? How about Lego/blocks — what animals have long legs/short legs/long neck etc.

Are these jungle animals different from the animals we see here — maybe you can find some in magazines to cut out and sort!

Camouflage – what is it? Why do some animals have it?

How about going on a Safari in your own house — what might you need? — here are a few ideas you might want to have in your hide!

- A camera
- Binoculars
- A notebook
- A torch
- A flask
- A lunch box
- A blanket

Play/ Art/Craft - developing fine motor skills

Shaving foam

Using a large tray or bowl, let your child squirt in the shaving foam. Encourage them to use their hands to explore how it feels, can they describe it? Encourage your child to write in the shaving foam, letters, their name, numbers or tricky words. You could add paint or food colouring and explore what happens when you mix colours. Can you draw some jungle animals?

Jelly play

This activity can get messy but is lots of fun!

Make some jelly, then put in in a large bowl or tray then let them play with it, it's as simple as that. Can they squeeze it with their hands? Can they cut it up using a knife and fork? They could try pouring it from one container to another, mash it with a vegetable masher or push it through the holes in a colander. All of these are great for building up those muscles needed for writing.

Keep active

Go Noodle You tube https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2UcZWXvgMZE – pick a few!

Joe Wicks - You Tube

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=H5Gmlq4Zdns - daily exercise

Teagasc Críostaí /Religion

Sé do Bheatha a Mhuire / Hail Mary

Learn the Hail Mary – see Class Dojo for audio

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New activities to use at home:

Age 4-5

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