



5th Class



Marathon Kids

Until November, the 5th class will be running in the Hub 4 days a week, gradually increasing the distance. These distances will eventually add up to a full marathon, with the final 1,600m being ran in Santry Stadium in November! Ensure your child is wearing appropriate running shoes every day this term.

Books We use

Maths - Maths My Way 5
Irish - Abair Liom 5
English - An assortment of textbooks and novels

Homework - Leigh Sa Bhaile
E for Irish Homework,
Work It Out 5 for maths homework.



5th Class Curriculum

This year the senior end of the school is starting the new Primary Maths Curriculum. This curriculum places greater emphasis on playfulness, problem-solving, reasoning, and real-life applications rather than practising skills in isolation. There's also a stronger focus on the child's disposition, so how children feel about maths, encouraging creativity, risk-taking, and engagement.

There's a large focus on child-led and independent study for 5th class. The children will be expected to do a lot more work on their own, both in class and for homework.

Encourage reading at home as much as possible. It is the best thing your child can do for building their vocabulary, attention span, and spelling.



Meet the Team

5th Class A - Conor
5th Class B - Kate
5th Class Support Teachers - Mick and Helen
SNAs - Siobhán and Sinéad



Attendance and Punctuality

Lessons start at 8:50, please ensure your children are in on time, as we begin each day with a check in to see how the children are doing, and prepare for the days learning ahead.

Regular attendance is very important, due to how fast the curriculum can move.

Days of note

Conor's Class:
PE - Monday
Art - Tuesday

Kate's Class:
PE - Wednesday
Art - Thursday

We saw "Bullied"!



Questions



Any questions, concerns, or topics you'd like discussed please email office@ralet.ie and put your child's teacher's name in the subject box.

Homework



Maths

- Work it Out- constant revision (occasionally new topics)
- Tables revision each week

Spellings

- Look, Say, Cover, Write, Check for 3 spellings each day
- One spelling strategy per night
- Spelling activities on Mon, Tues, Wed and revision on Thurs

Gaeilge

- Varied between Leigh sa Bhaile (Reading/Writing), Foclóir & Grammar

Project Work

- Project Work once a month, no other homework on that week. Topics and activities will be varied.

Wellbeing Wednesday

Occasionally Wellbeing homework will be set and replace all other subjects. This should be treated as important as the main academic subjects.

