

Hi Everyone. This is the 6th class work for the week ahead. There are only four days work here because of the Bank Holiday.

We are all aware of the difficulties facing everyone during these uncertain times. We know that everyone's home situation is different. Not everyone will have time to do all this work. If anything is too difficult for your child, they can skip it. We want to provide you with support, but we don't want to add any extra stress to your lives. We will focus on tasks that include revision and tasks that can be completed independently. We have included a list of suggestions at the end for extra activities for anyone that would like to try them.

We ask that your child complete the following tasks each day:

	Mon	Tues	Weds	Thurs	Fri
Daily Mental Maths Test+ Problem Solving Question (Week 28)	N/A				
Practice Tables (+ - × ÷) Visit Topmarks for games	N/A				
Read a Book of Choice	N/A				
Watch a short programme on Cúla4	N/A				
Write your 'Nuacht' for each day (3 sentences)	N/A				
Exercise Visit GoNoodle for indoor activities	N/A				

Four other tasks will be posted each week for your child to engage with. Details are available on the following pages:

Task 1:	Write a movie review
Task 2:	Art- Create a Movie Poster
Task 3:	History- The Children of the Rising
Task 4:	Maths- Reading Timetables

Task 1: Watch a movie and write a review

This task is meant to be FUN. How often do you get to sit back, relax, take out the popcorn and call it school? But we can also learn when we are watching. We can form an opinion on what we thought of the movie. Was it any good? How many stars would I give it? Would I recommend it to my friends to watch?

A lot of people choose what movies they watch by the reviews they read on the internet, in newspapers and in magazines.



So! lets get started on today's work!

Step One

This is the really important step. Choose a movie you have not watched before but think you will enjoy.

Step two

Sit back and enjoy the movie.

Step three

Ok so you've finished the movie now you need to start on your review. You can write your review in your copy. There are few things to include in your review before you submit it to me. Ask yourself:

Have I

Included the title of the film, the year it was made and who directed it?	
Opened my review with a strong first sentence that makes the reader want to read on?	
Included the genre of the film? i.e. Science Fiction/Drama/Comedy	
Mentioned the main actors by name?	
What age group is the movie for?	
Given a summary of the plot without giving away the ending?	
Given my opinion of the film?	
Mentioned the things you liked about the film giving an example?	
Mentioned the things you did not like about the film giving an example?	

Remember to give your review a title and use paragraphs. I can't wait to read your reviews and find out what movies I should watch next.

Task 2: Design a movie poster

Movie posters are important! They are usually the thing that catches our eye and make us want to see the film. There are two examples of well-known posters below.

This activity really ends with your own imagination. When you are doing this try and design a poster that you would be delighted to put up in your own bedroom. You can draw it, paint it, make a collage it really is up to you!

I have put together some steps to follow before you get started. Make sure you follow the steps closely at it will mean you make a better poster.



Step 1: Watch the Movie! Or Read the Book!

First things first: watch the movie (or read the book)- and do so carefully and closely.

Step 2: Identify Key Information

These are things that it will be important to include on your movie poster. The movie title, the names of the main actors and actresses, the director's name and an image that you think captures what the movie is about.

Step 3: Decide for yourself what the film is about

This is the most important part of the movie poster. You need to make the poster interesting enough for people to want to watch the film. Also you need to be sure the poster lets us know what the movie is about -without giving any of the story away-.

Step 4: Decide on the size of the poster

How big are you going to draw your poster?

Step 5: Decide what your poster will look like and get started

It is a good idea to maybe do a rough sketch before you start.

Once you have this done you're ready to start! I look forward to seeing your work.

Task 3: History of 1916 Rising

Over the last month we have been doing a lot of study on the 1916 Rising. Did you know that children played an important role in the Rising? In-fact you may even find some people in your own family have stories about that time. Your task is to read this short piece and answer the questions in your copy. Good luck!

The Children of the 1916 Rising The Easter Rising

Children played an important role in the 1916 Rising. Many children, despite their young age, were encouraged to fight for their country. Many died as a result. Some were sent looting in search for food and killed, caught in the crossfire. Other innocent children were killed whilst playing.

One such child was Seán Healy. Sean was one of ten children in his family. He lived in Phibsboro in Dublin. When he was 14, he left school to train as a plumber with his father, Christopher. The same year, he joined Fianna Éireann, a military training organisation for young boys.

Seán chose to fight during the 1916 Rising, despite Fianna Éireann deciding that their young boys should not be called to action. He travelled to Jacob's factory on the Tuesday of the Rising. He was sent to deliver a message to the commanding officer at Phibsboro Bridge. On his way to the location he stopped to check on his mother. He died after being shot in the crossfire.

Another child who played a role in the Rising was Charles D'Arcy. Charles joined the Irish Citizen Army when he was 13. On Easter Monday 1916, he reported to Liberty Hall to fight. From here, Seán Connolly led his army to City Hall. Charles took his position on the roof of a nearby shop. A British sniper shot him and he died. In 1941, he received a service-medal, posthumously, which his mother collected on his behalf.

It was not only children who fought during the Rising that died. Maggie Veale was an inquisitive child who wanted to see what was going on around Dublin. She used binoculars to look out of her window at home in Haddington Road. A British soldier shot her through the window. He had mistaken her binoculars for a gun.

Many other children were injured or killed during the Rising. James Hoare was the first recorded child to be taken by ambulance during the Easter Rising. Glass fell on him in the city. He was 13. In total, 41 children were killed during the events.



Liberty Hall after the 1916 Rising

Questions

1. Name two ways that children died during the Easter Rising.
2. What organisation was Seán Healy a part of?
3. Why do you think Healy defied his organisation's wishes for their boys not to fight?
4. What army did Charles D'Arcy join?
5. How did D'Arcy die?
6. Why do you think it took many years before D'Arcy was awarded a service medal?
7. Why do you think Maggie Veale's binoculars caused her death?
8. How many children died during the Rising?
9. Use your dictionary to explain the word 'posthumously'.
10. Why do you think children were sent looting during the Rising?



Task 4: Maths & Reading

Timetables

An important part of daily life is being able to work with timetables. Here is a Cinema Timetable. See if you can work out the answers to the questions.

Cinema Times		
Film	Time	Duration
The Fairy Tree	4:00 p.m.	_____
Charlie's Day Out	6:30 p.m.	100 minutes
Galaxy Warriors	7:15 p.m.	105 minutes
The Dealbreaker	9:00 p.m.	120 minutes

- Calculate the duration of the films in hours and minutes.
 - Charlie's Day Out
_____ hours and _____ minutes
 - Galaxy Warriors
_____ hours and _____ minutes
 - The Dealbreaker
_____ hours and _____ minutes
- Daisy went to see 'The Fairy Tree'. The film finished at 5:10 p.m. How long was the film in minutes? Add the duration to complete the timetable.
- Max's family went to see 'The Dealbreaker'. What time did the film end?

Bus Timetable

Using public transport is another time when we might use timetables. See if you can figure out these questions. The bus is travelling from Swords to Sandymount.

Bus Timetable	
Bus Stop	Time
Swords	10:15 a.m.
Santry	10:35 a.m.
Drumcondra	10:50 a.m.
O'Connell Street	10:55 a.m.
Ringsend	11:10 a.m.
Sandymount	11:20 p.m.

1. How long does it take to get from:

- a) Swords to Santry? _____
- b) Drumcondra to O'Connell Street? _____
- c) Ringsend to Sandymount? _____

2. How long does it take to get from:

- a) Santry to Ringsend? _____
- b) O'Connell Street to Sandymount? _____
- c) Swords to Sandymount? _____

School Sports Day

Sports Day	
Event	Time
Short Races	11:00 a.m.
Egg and Spoon Races	11:20 a. m.
Sack Races	_____
Long Races	12:00 p.m.
Lunch	12:30 p.m.
Teachers' Race	1:00 p.m.
Prizes	1:30 p.m.
Hometime	2:00 p.m.

a) How long do the short races last?

b) The egg and spoon races last for 25 minutes. What time will the sack races start?

c) Sarah's dad arrived at 11:00 a.m. and stayed until lunch time. How long did he stay?

d) How long did Sports Day last in total?

Additional Suggestions:

- Keep a Diary - these are very unusual and historic times we live in. Keep a diary of what's happening in your life and in the wider world. It will be really interesting to read in years to come.
- Project - research a person of your choice: a sports star/musician/actor/historical figure
- Make, draw or paint something and share it on Class Dojo. I would love to see it. Be creative. It can be anything (baking, art and craft, lego etc).
- Get Active with Joe Wicks - Live workouts on YouTube at 9 am every morning
- School TV programme on RTE starting at 11 am until 12 noon.
- **Dance Mat Typing**
<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zf2f9j6/articles/z3c6tfr> to improve your typing skills
- Reading : Something different to read. 6,000 books been made available online by Accelerated Reader for free. Use the below link to access the material <https://readon.myon.co.uk/library/browse.html>
- The following are available online at the times shown

FREE CELEBRITY CLASSES FOR KIDS IN LOCKDOWN

9:00	PE WITH JOE WICKS YOUTUBE.COM/THEBODYCOACH
10:00	MUSIC WITH MYLEENE KLASS YOUTUBE/MYLEENESMUSICKLASS
11:00	SCIENCE WITH MADDIE MOATE YOUTUBE.COM/MADDIEMOATE
11:30	DANCE WITH OTI MABUSE YOUTUBE.COM/OTIMABUSEOFFICIAL
13:00	MATHS WITH CAROL VORDERMAN THEMATHSFACTOR.COM
14:00	HISTORY WITH DAN SNOW TV.HISTORYHIT.COM
15:00	ENGLISH WITH DAVID WALLIAMS WORLD.OF.DAVID.WALLIAMS.COM
17:30	FOOD TECH WITH JAMIE OLIVER CHANNEL4.COM/KEEPCOOKINGANDCARRYON

Please encourage your child to share, share, share on ClassDojo! I will look forward to seeing what they all are up to. If there any problems with logins / passwords etc please don't hesitate to contact me. Remember, these are suggested activities not prescribed!