

Hi Everyone,

Thank you again for all your hard work and engagement this week. The main focus for this week again will be on the Transition Workbook, 'Mind the Gap'.

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 Questions (Week 35)					
Practice Tables (+ - x ÷) Visit Topmarks for games					
Read a Book of Choice					
Watch a short programme on Cúla4					
Write your 'Nuacht' for each day (3 sentences)					
Exercise Visit GoNoodle for indoor activities or Joe Wicks live Youtube @9.30am					

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

Task 1:	Transition Booklet (p13&14)
Task 2:	Transition Booklet (p15 & 16)
Task 3:	Transition Booklet (p17 & 18)
Task 4:	Transition Booklet (p19 & 20)
Task 5:	Transition Booklet (p21, 22 & 23)

Task 1-5: Transition Workbook

We hope that you are finding this workbook useful. It can be an anxious time for students starting secondary school so we hope that working through this booklet will bring opportunities to talk to your child about different concerns they may have. It is important to remind them that everyone will be in the same boat and that they will very soon get into a new routine for their secondary school.

Below is a suggested guide for the workbook this week.

Monday: School Rules (page 13) and Rumours (page 14)

Tuesday: Making Friends (page 15 and 16)

Wednesday: Worries (page 17), Similarities (page 18)

Thursday: Words (page 19), School Friends (page 20)

Friday: Thoughts (page 21 and 22), Questions about secondary school (page 23)