

Junior Infant's Work 11/5/'20 - 15/5/'20

Dear Parents,

I hope you are all keeping safe and well. This document outlines the children's work for the coming week. As always, the outlined work remains optional. Here are some general notes on the work I have selected. Following this will be a daily guideline as to how the work can be approached.

Blending Box 15

out	dish	loud	house	tin
mouse	chip	pain	ant	pan

*Blend 2 words per day and ensure to practise the blending process as often as possible!

Tricky (Sight) words: Attached is a board game based on Junior Infants sight (tricky) words. Roll a dice, count on that number of spaces and say the word you land on. First to finish is the winner ☺ this should help to revise words previously covered.

Gaeilge: 'An Aimsir' (the weather); this week we will revise some phrases we had learnt earlier on in the year... 'Cén saghas lá é?' (What kind of day is it?), 'Tá sé fuar' (It is cold).

Aistear: Our story this week is 'The Gruffalo'. Here is the YouTube link in order to listen to the story being read aloud: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=s8sUPpPc8Ws> . As always please listen to this story a few times and ask questions where possible throughout.

Monday 11/5/'20:

Jolly Phonics copy: Double sound 'ou': 'Jolly Phonics' copy. This double sound can also be written as 'ow', as in cow. Do some rainbow writing, draw some 'ou' words, for example; cloud, house, mouse...

Action for this double sound: Children pretend their finger is a needle and stab their thumb on the other hand saying 'ow'.

English Reading: Core Reader 2, 'The Duck Pond', p.21. Please note the 'sh' sound in *fish* and *splash!*

Maths: 'Busy at Maths', p.104, please find page attached.

Gaeilge: 'Tá sé fuar' (It is cold).

Tuesday 12/5/'20:

English Reading: 'Core Reader 2, 'The Duck Pond', p.22.

Activity: 'ou' worksheet, please find attached.

Maths: 'Busy at Maths', p.105, please find page attached.

Gaeilge: 'Tá sé fliuch' (It is wet).

Wednesday 13/5/'20:

English Reading: 'Core Reader 2, 'The Duck Pond', p.23.

Just Phonics: p.80

Maths: 'Busy at Maths', p.108, please find page attached

Gaeilge: 'Tá sé tirim' (It is dry).

Thursday 14/5/'20:

English Reading: 'Core Reader 2, 'The Duck Pond', p.24.

Skills Book: p.14, please find attached.

Grow in Love: p. 40 & 41

Gaeilge: 'Tá sé te' (It is warm).

Friday 15/5/20:

Gaeilge: 'Tá an ghrian sa spéir' (The sun is in the sky).

Aistear (play groups): 'The Gruffalo'

The children might like to try some of the following activities (only suggestions, entirely optional).

- Draw your favourite picture and write one sentence. Or, draw a map of the deep dark woods and label all the important stops along the mouse's journey ☺ (see attachment)
- If you happen to have some play dough you could try and make some of the animals in the story!