

Hi everybody I hope everybody had a lovely weekend. Thanks to all the people who have submitted work for me to correct. As both classes have now completed their Leigh sa Bhaile, Read at Home and Master Your Maths books this week I'm going to give some extra work in 4 topics Maths, Geography/Science, History and English.

Just to substitute for the Master Your Maths I have included some short Mental Maths exercises from the Planet Maths on pg 126-127. These are just short sums and are good for revision. They are completely at your discretion and if you want to leave them out it is no problem. The children might be delighted to have finished their Master Your Maths and might not want any more work. I have included the answers to the questions to help.

This week's Math's revision topic is Time. For 4th class the main computation procedure is the addition and subtraction of time with regard to hours and minutes. The key with addition is to remember that you cannot have 60 or more minutes as an answer and if you do you must subtract 60 from the minutes and add an hour to the hour column and get rid of the 60 minutes. There is an example of how this is done on page 144 of the Planet Maths. With subtracting in hours and minutes it is similar to normal subtraction except when it comes to crossing out and renaming an hour. Instead of carrying across a 1 hour you carry across a 6 to represent 60 minutes you then add the 6 to the number on top of the minute column and take that amount away from the number underneath. There is an example of how this is done on page 145 of the Planet Maths. I have included a link to a video underneath which the children can watch to help them. I would like the children to do Pg 144 Sec A on Monday and Pg 145 Sec B Q 1-2 on Tuesday of their Planet Maths books.

<https://youtu.be/OnPuCgkc77E>

In English I would like the children to do Sec B and C on pg 83 just continuing the work from last week from the story Eureka Eureka. Sec C is about using a simile. Here you can just explain that a simile is a comparison using either the work 'like' or 'as' and that it is very useful to really describe something well and to make the description very vivid and life like.

In History I would like the children to read through Unit 16 Transport Pg 80 – 85. Instead of giving them a written exercise I would love the children to design and draw a spaceship that would take humans to Mars. It can be absolutely any design the crazier the better and add a few labels to the drawing to describe any special features it might have. Please send me in the finished drawings as I'd love to put them up on the school website.

In Geography/Science the children will be learning about the Weather in their Small World Pg 110 – 114. When they have read through the chapter, I'd like them to do the Activities on page 112. I just want them to answer questions 1-4 they do not have to answer question 5.

You can send me on the children's Maths, English, History and Geography/Science work on Friday and I will correct and provide some feedback to you about them. Students can again handwrite the work or if it is easier, they can type it up instead. My email is david.doyle@aughacaslans.com. All the work I set including this extra work is completely optional and is at the discretion of you the parent it is not intended to add any extra pressure to you or your child and you are under no obligation to complete it.

Kind regards

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<u>Days</u>	<u>Dé Luan</u>	<u>Dé Mháirt</u>	<u>Dé Chéadaoin</u>	<u>Dé Déardaoin</u>	<u>Dé Aoine</u>
<u>Subject</u>					
<u>Léitheoireacht</u> <u>Gaeilge</u>					
<u>English</u> <u>Reading</u>					
<u>Extra Work</u>	Maths Planet Maths Pg 144 Sec A	Maths Planet Maths Pg 145 Sec B	English Word Wise Pg 83	Small World History Pg 80-85	Small World Geog/Science Pg110-114
<u>Mathematics -</u> <u>Master your</u> <u>Maths -</u>	Planet Maths Mental Maths Sec A Pg 126	Planet Maths Mental Maths Sec B Pg 126	Planet Maths Mental Maths Sec C Pg 127	Planet Maths Mental Maths Sec D Pg 127	
<u>Spelling/Table</u> <u>s</u>	Week 32 Sec A-B	Week 32 Sec C-D	Week 32 Sec E	Week 32 Finish all Sections	