

## Junior Infant's Work 15/2/21 - 17/2/21

Dear Parents,

I hope you are all remaining to keep safe and well. This document outlines the children's work for the coming week. As always, there is no pressure on anyone to complete the work. Again, please only complete the amount that you feel your child is capable of. Many thanks for your cooperation with everything to date. Here are some general notes on the work I have selected.

**Phonics:** Our new letter this week is 'y'.

1. Always begin by revising the other letters, 'satpin' etc. You can do this by showing your child the letters in the zipped bag and getting them to say the sound and not the letter name.
2. Go to YouTube and insert 'Jolly Phonics letter y' and you will hear the sound and song. You could also search 'Jolly Phonics Learn the letter y' and play this clip a number of times for your child. Encourage them to listen well and join in if you can! I will include the links below.

**Tricky Words:**

to	He	was	we
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\*Tricky Words are words we learn by sight, sounding them out won't help us read them.

**Gaeilge:**

Irish rhyme 'Lámha bosa'

Here is the link: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LJ4R5-OloEs> (4<sup>th</sup> rhyme on this video).

I've also included a recording:

<https://www.loom.com/share/6c398371ad4d4489aa4824d34178390a>

**Reading: Core Reader 1**

**\*This week we are doing a video call for Junior Infants at 11.40am on Wednesday the 17<sup>th</sup>. Please ensure you read the document entitled 'Google Meets Letter' prior to the call.**

## Monday 15/2/'21

**Phonics:** the letter 'y'.

'Jolly Phonics letter y' link:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IxevKQzZ3iA&t=54s>

**Jolly Phonics Copy:** trace over the 'y', and draw some 'y' words. Can you think of any words that start with y...like yellow, yes, yo-yo..

**Reading:** Core Reader 1: 'A Wet Day' p. 3

Here is the recording explaining this page:

<https://www.loom.com/share/198cb6a952d8478e93f3736be15ce10c>

**Tricky Words:** was, we, to

**New Words:** day, wet, sit, in

**Maths:** 'Busy at Maths' (Small Book) , p. 18

**Gaeilge:** Follow this link: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LJ4R5-OloEs>

## Tuesday 16/2/'21 Pancake Tuesday ☺

**Phonics:** revise 'y'. Play the YouTube clip again.

**Just Phonics:** (Big Book) p. 60 & 61.

**Reading:** Core Reader 1: p. 4

Link explaining this page:

<https://www.loom.com/share/e168cda1aa7e4c49911fcdbb8800812a>

**New Words:** had, pen, Mark

**Maths:** 'Busy at Maths', (Small Book) p. 14

**Gaeilge:** follow previous link given on Monday

'The Runaway Pancake': as today is Pancake Tuesday you might like to listen to this story ☺

YouTube Link: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=K1QRqpAOHu0>

## Wednesday 17/2/'21:

**Phonics:** My Sounds Booklet: p. 29 (revision of 'y')

**Reading:** Core Reader 1: p. 5

Video link explaining:

<https://www.loom.com/share/403877ca5a95430ebaa4dd1371face0b>

**New Words:** jet, made, he

**Tricky Words:** he

**Maths:** 'Busy at Maths' (small book) p.15

**Gaeilge:** follow previous link

**Grow In Love:** p. 60 & 61

Today is Ash Wednesday, the beginning of lent. Lent is a time when we try in a very special way to say sorry to people we have hurt. It is a time to turn back to God and to look forward to Easter. During lent we might give up something we like.