**Second Class Homework for Week Beginning 4th May**

**Monday 4th May**

* It is a Bank Holiday so there’s no assigned work for today!

**Tuesday 5th May**

* **Maths:** Table Toppers- Unit 30 F- Revision 21, 22, 23 and 24.
* **English:**
* Starlight: Read *page 54* ‘A Bear Called Paddington.
	+ Highlight and discuss the focus words
	+ Complete *page 55*.  Complete part A in your copy using full sentence answers and then complete parts b and c in your book.
	+ \* Challenge: Look at the green box at the bottom of the page and think about the 3 things you would take with you if you were going to live in another country. Think about the things you would miss the most if you left without them and **why** you would miss them. Write about these in your copy
	+ Independent reading of a novel of your choice and read three pages aloud to parent/ guardian.
* **Spellings**: Learn spellings fist, best, occasion, division, revision, invasion, explosion, television, fraction, estimate.
* **Religion: Communion Preparation Sheet.**To be learned: May the Lord accept this sacrifice at your hands for the praise and glory of his name, for our good, and the good of all his Holy Church.
* Revise all prayers and responses covered learned so far.

**Wednesday 6th May:**

* ​**Maths:** Master Your Maths- *Pages 64 and 65* (Week 30)
* **English:**
* Grammar: Question words, Who What Where When Why and How.
* Starlight: Read and complete *page 56*  in your book.
	+ If you would like to practise this type of grammar online you can at the following websites;
	+ <https://www.learnenglishfeelgood.com/esl-who-when-where-what1.html>
	+ <https://www.englisch-hilfen.de/en/exercises/questions/word_order4.htm>
* Writing: Invent and write your own question and answer sentences for the words *who, what, where, when, why and how.*
* Reading: Re-read Starlight page 54. Do some independent reading of a novel of your choice and read three pages aloud to parent/ guardian.
* **Spellings:** Learn spellings- fist, best, occasion, division, revision, invasion, explosion, television, fraction, estimate.
* **Religion:** Communion Preparation Sheet

**Thursday 6th May**

* **Maths:** Master your Maths-Week 30 Test, *page 95*
* **English:**
* Starlight *page 57*- Re-read page 54 and use this to complete page 57.
* Read the blue box at bottom of page 57 and complete on another page- Draw Paddington with appropriate adjectives that describe his appearance and character around him.
* **Reading:  Online Reading of Collins Big Cats Supplementary Readers;**
1. Parents to log onto <https://connect.collins.co.uk/school/teacherlogin.aspx>
2. Click Teacher Login.
3. Enter the following username: parents@harpercollins.co.uk.
4. Enter password: Parents20!
5. Choose a Collins Big Cat Reader. Books bands go from easy to difficult. Red, yellow and blue are easier. Green, orange, turquoise and purple are more challenging. Gold, white and lime are most challenging. Experiment and choose a book that is not too easy but not too difficult. Something you will enjoy reading!
6. Listen to the book being read and read it silently.
7. Read novel aloud to a parent/ guardian.
* Spellings: Learn spellings: fist, best, occasion, division, revision, invasion, explosion, television, fraction, estimate.
* **Spelling- Gaeilge:**
* Try to learn the spelling and meaning of these words.
* *Liom - I*
* *Leat - you*
* *Leis - he*
* *Léi - she*
* *Is maith liom an bád – I like the boat*
* *Is meaith leat an madra – you like the dog*
* *Is maith leis an ceapaire – He likes the sandwich*
* *Is maith léí an bhábóg – She likes the doll*

\* Tip: If you go into focloir.ie you can type in the words and check the pronunciation! Beside the Irish spelling you will see a CMU. If you click on C it will give you the Connacht pronunciation, M for the Munster pronunciation or U for the Ulster pronunciation of each word.

**Religion**: Communion Preparation Sheet**.**

**Friday 6th May**

* **Maths:**
* Capacity: Watch the following video.
* <https://www.khanacademy.org/math/cc-third-grade-math/imp-measurement-and-data/imp-volume/v/liter-intuition>
* Estimate how much water is in a litre. How many cups do you think are in a litre?
* Check how close your estimate was by getting an empty litre carton and filling it or you can get a jug and fill it to the 1 litre mark.
* How many cups in a ½ litre or a ¼ litre? How did you work this out? Remember how to get a 1/2 we divide it into 2 equal parts and to get a ¼ we divide each ½ again into 2 equal parts.
* Find cartons in your house that contain 1 litre. How many did you find?
* Complete the following online activities about capacity
* <https://ie.ixl.com/math/class-2/which-metric-unit-of-volume-is-appropriate>
* <https://www.khanacademy.org/math/cc-third-grade-math/imp-measurement-and-data/imp-volume/e/estimating-volume>
* **Reading:**
* Online Reading of Collins Big Cats Supplementary Readers. Refer back to Thursday’s work for instructions on how to access.
* **Spellings:**
* Learn spellings: fist, best, occasion, division, revision, invasion, explosion, television, fraction, estimate.
* Put words from list into 10 super sentences in homework copy.
* Ask someone to test you on the spellings.
* **Religion:** Communion Preparation Sheet.

**ADDITIONAL WORK FOR WEEK BEGINNING 5th May**

**Art: Imagination portrait**

* I know there are some great imaginations in 2nd class and I would love to know the thoughts that in your head when you let your mind wander!
* What goes on in your head when you start to daydream?
* How could you create a symbol for this?
* Have a look at this image and see if you can find out what the girl is daydreaming about.

<https://www.pinterest.ie/pin/409686897353616410/>

* Now create your own imagination portrait using pencils or any other materials you like.
* You can cut out a photo of yourself to stick on your portrait or draw a picture of yourself.

**SESE Geography Project: Cardinal directions**

* Watch these videos to find out about what cardinal directions are.
* <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Te0Td0QVoj0>
* <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pIuVN5GcB60>
* <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yOv_6yyuJJg>
* Can you draw a map of your house and see if you can find out which direction is North, South, East and West?
* Remember the sun rises in the East in the morning and sets in the west at night time. When you are facing to the east the direction to your left is called north and the direction your right is called south.
* Put some pictures or photos of some places to the north, south east and west of your house.

*Buried treasure game*

* When you have figured out where north south east and west are in your house you can play a fun game called buried treasure.
* Hide an object around your house and make sure the person who is going to find it is not looking.
* Give cardinal directions (north, south, east and west) to help them to find it.
* For example, you could say take 4 steps to the north, now take another 2 steps to the north, take 2 steps to the east, to help them find what you have hidden.

**Reading for Enjoyment:**
Read something you find interesting and enjoyable every day! Reading is so important as it helps with spelling, comprehension, vocabulary and writing.

**Keep a Diary:**
You can start a diary writing down anything that you are doing each day. You can also draw some pictures and write about your thoughts and feelings in your diary. It will be a nice thing to have in years to come as this time will too become part of history.

**RTE Home School Hub:**
The RTE School hub is full of interesting and exciting activities to make good use of your time so check it out. <https://www.rte.ie/player/series/rt%C3%A9-home-school-hub/SI0000006854?epguid=IP000065950>

**PE Activities:**

* Gaelic Training with St Colmcilles every Sunday morning from 11- 11:30am via Microsoft Teams for children born 2012-2014. For more information email conor.brennan.gpo.meath@gaa.ie or phone Conor at +447596098004.
* Get out for a walk or why not try to jog a little each day you can build this up gradually.
* PE with Joe: Starts at 9am each day.
* <https://www.youtube.com/results?search_query=joe+wicks+school+workout>
* PE with Coach Ciarán: Our basketball coach Ciaran has also a you-tube channel and the children can find these lessons at <https://www.youtube.com/results?search_query=coach+ciaran>
* Spell your name exercise challenge. <https://www.730sagestreet.com/spell-your-name-workout/>   Print out the picture and use it to remind you to keep exercising every day. It is great fun and after you have spelled your name, you can change it up and spell the names of your family members, friends and pets.
* Children can continue practicing the Gaelic skills that they have learned this year, bouncing, throwing, catching and soloing the ball.
* Children can continue practicing the tennis skills that have learned this year, throw, bounce, hit, bounce and catch.
* Children can continue practicing the soccer skills that they have learned this year- dribbling, kicking the ball at a target, passing the ball.

**Music**:

Revise tinwhistle songs from throughout the year!

**Work to be emailed;**

Work that could be photographed and e-mailed to me on Friday 8th May;

* English sentences – Who, What, Where, When, Why and How Questions and Answers.
* English sentences using weekly spellings.
* English Written task- 3 Things I would take with me if I was going away to another country.
* Art Task- Imagination portrait.
* SESE Project
* Video / Voice Recording of Reading