

Scoil Naomh Eltin

Home-School Assignments

Class Level: 1st Class A

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Week Beginning: Tuesday 5th May



Dear Students,

I hope that you are staying safe. We are all missing our friends more and more as the weeks go on but by staying at home, you are helping to save lives.

Congratulations to you on the fantastic work you are doing. I know it's a strange way of doing school work but well done to you all. I love seeing the pictures of your work that your parents send to me. I can see that you are trying your very best.

This week I would like to see some SESE work that you have completed. You can choose what pages to show me. Also, if there is anything else that you have done or created that you are really proud of then please send a picture to me, I would love to see it.

Get some fresh air when you can, chill out, play games and help out at home. There are lots of things you can do to help older brothers and sisters and the adults in your home.

Stay safe and keep washing your hands.

Mr. O Donovan

Dear Parents,

Another word of thanks to you all for your continued co-operation. Being both parent and teacher can be taxing but I can see that you are doing a great job

If you have not received an email from me, please let me know by emailing me at nick.odonovan@scoilnaomheltin.ie. At the moment, email is our way of contacting you and your child. Also if you have had issues in downloading or doing the school work, please let me know and I will assist you in any way that I can.

I want to reiterate the message that the school work that I assign is not intended to put stress or pressure on you at this time. The priority continues to be for you and your family to stay safe and healthy. There is no obligation to print any of the pages that I assign. Simply completing the work in copy books is ok. Of course, if you prefer to print the pages, continue to do so.

If you have any questions regarding the school work plan or anything related to it, please contact me at nick.odonovan@scoilnaomheltin.ie.

Stay safe and take care.

Nick O Donovan

Gaeilge: Duolingo: 10 mins per day

Bua na Cainte: pg 126-129

Maths: Busy at Maths: 131-134

Mental Maths: Monday - Friday

Manga High: Online Tasks

Tables Game: Shoot the Sheriff

Online Games:

- [tps://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/daily10-](https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/daily10-)
- <https://mathsframe.co.uk/en/resources/resource/116/telling-the-time> -

Literacy: Fun at the Circus: pg 59 - 62

Skills Book: pg 111,112,114,115

- Handwriting: As the children were starting to learn cursive writing I think it is very important to continue this. The following link allows you to practice cursive letters with your child. You will see an explanation as how to form the letter correctly on the top right-hand side of the page. If you could first demonstrate how to form the letter correctly for your child this would be great - then allow them to practice. Drawing out the blue and red lines for your child will also be a great help. Encourage your child to use cursive writing when they are writing freely, completing exercises etc. <https://www.newwavehandwriting.ie/>

Spellings: >ow<

town	down
brown	clown
frown	lockdown
crown	one
gown	two

SPHE: "What is important to me" Worksheet

Creative Art: Music and Art: Listening and Drawing Activity

SESE: Blue Star Challenge

Senior students have been busy learning about Europe and the EU this school year and would appreciate everyone's help to complete their project. Our challenge is to celebrate Europe Day on May 9th but this can be done anytime between May 5th and May 15th. Simply choose a European country, make its flag and email a photo to liam.murray@scoilnaomheltin.ie (feel free to include some text about the picture such as the country being celebrated as well as the students involved and the class level they are in).

If you have a special connection to a European country why not get creative and take a photo of anything in your household linked to that country - traditional dress, traditional food, traditional dance. Its your choice! Get creative, take a photo and

upload using this form. Anything connected to a European country (including Ireland) is acceptable!

Please be advised that photos might be shared on the school website and might be included in an application to be forwarded to the Blue Star Programme team (<https://www.bluestarprogramme.ie/>) on the week of May 18th. The deadline to email a photo is Friday 15th May.

- Instructions on how to access the ebook version of all the necessary books have been included at the end of this school work plan and also in an email I have sent to all parents. If you are having difficulties then please do not hesitate to contact me.

- You do not need to print the pages of the books if you do not want to. Children can answer all questions in their copies. Please encourage children to write freely in their copies also.
- **If you would like to send some pictures of your child's work then please feel free to do so, as I would like to post some pictures on our class page on the Scoil Naomh Eltin Website. This week I ask you to send via email, some pictures of your child's Maths work. I also suggest allowing your child to chose an item of work he/she is proud of or pleased with and send it to me also. This can be literally anything (eg; writing, maths, art, craft, sports/exercise videos, baking, lego etc, etc).**

Thank you all for your co-operation in these unprecedented circumstances. We are all striving to deliver the curriculum to your children in a new way and your help is greatly appreciated.

Please contact me with any questions at nick.odonovan@scoilnaomheltin.ie

Kind regards

N. O Donovan

Monday	*Bank Holiday*
Tuesday	<p>Maths:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Mental Maths Tuesday 2. Manga High 3. Busy at Maths pg 131 Question 4 &5 4. Shoot the Sheriff <p>English:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Fun at the Circus: pg 59 2. Skills Book: pg 114 3. Reading: DEAR Time 4. Spellings <p>Gaeilge:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 10 mins of Duolingo. 2. Bua na Cainte: pg 126 <p>SESE:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Blue Star Challenge. Create a flag for a European Country of your choice <p>Extra:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Free Writing • Soccer skills. Pass the ball to a family member/wall using left foot and right foot. • Typing.com (If you do not have login details, please email me)
Wednesday	Maths:

1. Mental Maths Wednesday
2. Manga High
3. Busy at Maths pg 132
4. Shoot the Sheriff

English:

1. Fun at the Circus:pg60 &61
2. Skills Book: pg 115
3. Reading: (DEAR Time)
4. Chose some words from your text - put them into new sentences
5. Spellings

Gaeilge:

1. Duolingo
2. Bua na Cainte pg 127

SPHE:

1. What is important to me worksheet (see end of document)

Extra:

- Creative Writing: The Best Dream I Ever Had"
- Hurling Skills: "soloing" balance or bounce the ball on the hurley. See how many you get.
- Mindfulness: <https://app.smilingmind.com.au/> Log on and choose a program. (Children will have used this in classroom/with Mr. O Leary so will be reasonably familiar)

Thursday**Maths:**

1. Mental Maths Thursday
2. Manga High
3. Busy at Maths: pg 133
4. Shoot the Sheriff

English:

1. Fun at the Circus: pg 62
2. Skill Book: pg 111
3. DEAR Time
4. Silly Sayings: Put the new Silly Sayings into new sentences
5. Spellings

Gaeilge:

1. 10 mins of Duolingo per day
2. Bua na Cainte: pg 128

Creative Art

1. Favourite Song Activity: Pick your favourite song or a song you are enjoying at the moment. Listen to this song and begin to sketch/draw. You can draw what this song makes you think of, how it makes you feel or something that happens in the song. Remember: Draw not write!!

Extra:

- The Body Coach Workout:
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HCtg5QDD_r0&list=PLyCLoPd4VxBtWi7RnRLz6qHgOqWiB_LrH

Friday	<p>Maths:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Mental Maths Friday Test2. Manga High3. Busy at Maths: 1344. Shoot the Sheriff <p>English:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Fun at the Circus: Read your favourite page2. Skills Book: pg 1123. Spellings <p>Gaeilge:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Bua na Cainte: pg 1292. Duolingo: 10 mins <p>Extra</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Press up Challenge: See how many press ups you can do.

How to access online resources:

<p>Manga High</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Go to https://www.mangahigh.com/en-gb/ and click the Log In button. 2. Enter the log in details provided to you last October which were stuck into your Homework Journal (if this has been lost please or if you haven't received log in details email nick.odonovan@scoilnaomheltin.ie) 3. Complete the assigned games before the deadline (the games will require you to try a number of times before you succeed - don't give up!) 4. Students are free to complete other games in Manga High but one particular challenge will be assigned each day
<p>Duolingo Suggestion: use earphones or a headset for this as listening is required.</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Go to https://www.duolingo.com/welcome and select "School" and continue 2. Next Select "Regular - 10 mins/day" 3. Select the "Know Some Irish Already" option and take the "Placement Test" (don't be discouraged if the placement test only unlocks a small percentage of the course - if it unlocked close to all the course you would be fluent already!) 4. Complete the registration by creating a profile (age, name, email account and password required) 5. Now everyday students can log in and improve their Irish through challenges. Use the tips button on each course to learn some new words before trying the challenges.

Instructions for Accessing Online Books

To access 1st Class Literacy program (Fun at the Circus and Skills Book) follow these steps;

1. Go to www.gillexplore.ie/products
2. On this web page there will be 3 drop down menus at top of page; "All titles" , "All subjects" , "All class levels"
3. Set thesedrop down menus to "Primary Titles" , "English" , "1st Class" respectively.
4. 4 options will appear for you. The 1st Class Skills Book will be the first of these.
5. Click on the Skills Book icon and this will bring you to a page where you will be able to access all relevant resources for 1st Class by simply clicking on them.

For accessing the Bua na Cainte book;

1. Go to www.edcolearning.ie
2. Login in with the following details:
 - Username:primaryedcobooks
 - Password:edco2020

Do not use your own account.

To access the 1st Class Maths program (Busy at Maths) follow these steps:

1. Go to <https://my.cjfallon.ie/dashboard/student-resources/?levels=0&classes=0&subjects=0&serieses=0&booktitles=0&types%5B0%5D=Book+Sample>
2. This page contains several sections and boxes to tick. Please ensure that the correct boxes are ticked. Level: Primary, Class: 1stClass, Subject: Maths, Series: Busy at Maths
3. The ebook version of "Busy at Maths 1" and "Busy at Maths1 Shadow Book" will be listed at the bottom of the page
4. Click on the 'blue eye' icon under the "actions" section to access either of these books.

To access the 1st Class SESE program (Small World) follow these steps;

1. Go to <https://my.cjfallon.ie/dashboard/student-resources/?levels=0&classes=0&subjects=0&serieses=0&booktitles=0&types%5B0%5D=Book+Sample>
2. This page contains several sections and boxes to tick. Please ensure that the correct boxes are ticked. Level: Primary, Class: 2nd Class, Subject: SESE, Series: Small World
3. The ebook version of "Small World 2" will be listed at the bottom of the page
4. Click on the 'blue eye' icon under the "actions" section to access this book books.

It is important to me...

...do my best at school;

...be honest and trustworthy;

...be famous;

...have a few close friends;

...be happy;

...have the newest things;

...help and look after others;

...be healthy;

...be independent;

...have an exciting time;

...be popular in school;

...listen to and respect my family;

...be responsible;

...do the right thing;

