

## **Parents and Guardians of Ms. Barry's 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> Class**

In addition to the work distributed yesterday afternoon

The following is a list of how you can keep some level of schoolwork or normality going at home.

### **Maths**

- The best thing you can do is go over topics already covered in class by ensuring they complete a test from Brain Teasers daily.
- Revise tables with children. Keep practicing them over and over!!
- Ensure they log onto Mangahigh daily and do the allocated tasks and play some of the fun maths based games on topics we have covered in class. All students have their username and password <https://app.mangahigh.com/login/student>

### **English**

- Practice writing sentences using capital letters, commas, apostrophes, question marks and full stops.
- Listen to your child read Reading Zone Unit 23 & 24 aloud. Also get them to complete the written activities in each of these Units, have a read over them yourself once they are completed. Spend a week on each Unit.
- Listen to your child reading 2 pages of a book/novel each night. Discuss the book title, the blurb, characters, setting, plot etc. Ask child to summarise the story in their own words and ask specific questions about the story.

### **Active Learning**

These links below provide you with some fun activities to help keep your children active and engaged during the day

Twinkl is an excellent website for resources and worksheets and they are currently offering a free month to parents. This website is incredible. You will find so much here.

<https://www.twinkl.ie>

Scoilnet Primary is another website with a wealth of worksheets and topics for researching.

<https://www.scoilnet.ie>

<https://app.gonoodle.com/sign-up?source=Marketing%20-%20User%20Type%20Modal> Go Noodle-active breaks (free sign up)

Joe Wicks The Body Coach Kids Workout

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fAUckPMJKSY>

If you or your child are a member of the local library, you can access an App or website called Borrow Box which is free. Note to register you need your library card which has your membership number on the back. <https://www.borrowbox.com>

Vooks <https://www.vooks.com> free one month, sign up required. You can watch and discuss books together with your child. It is designed to provide children with 20 minutes a day of read aloud time and activities.

The following is the list of work children received yesterday:

### **Maths**

- Brain Teasers-continue Tests
- Create 10 word problems for your class
- Mangahigh-tasks will be allocated, can also play games
- Top marks –another website to practice tables through fun games

### **English**

- Handwriting
- Write newspaper article on Coronavirus
- Stories-free writing copy
- Debate starter-points for and against
- Report-favourite sportsperson/famous person
- Synonyms 15 each for happy, sad, said, went

### **Gaeilge**

- 10 things in kitchen
- 10 things you do daily
- 10 things you eat

- 10 things you can see in each room of the house
- Interview brother/sister

### **S.E.S.E**

- Finish March Project
- Research topic of interest & do project
- Project-Construct Rocket/Boat- e.g. Research how rockets dismantled
- Research famous explorer-Christopher Columbus
- Famous person
- Person-Research-create object that reflects that person
- STEM Challenge: Build a robot from material found about the house.

### **P.E**

- Record each day how long you can hold the plank for
- Record number of jumping jacks you can do in 2 minutes

### **S.P.H.E**

- Water Safety-research & design a brochure

### **Religion**

- Lent & Easter Sheets

General mindfulness colouring sheets