**Senior Infants Work plan week beginning April 20th 2020**

Dear Parents/Students,

We hope you are all well and not missing school too much. We have prepared some work to keep you busy this week. Please do what you are able to do and don’t worry if you can’t get everything done. If you wish, please send on some pictures/samples of the children’s work. We would be delighted to see them.

If you want to contact us directly please email – [lconroydbrennan@gmail.com](mailto:lconroydbrennan@gmail.com)

Keep up all that great reading, enjoy the sunshine and don’t forget to help out at home.

Above all, stay safe and hopefully you will be able to see your friends very soon.

Deirdre Brennan & Laura Conroy.

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| **Subject** | **Topic** | **Workbook activities and Suggested Activities** | **Suggested Websites/apps** |
| **English** | **Reading – Stop that Dog!**  **Phonics** | Continue reading as far as page 18.  Write the new words (as listed on back cover) on card and practice daily. Encourage your child to find their new words in the story.  **Reading Zone Workbook pg 59 & 60**  **Just Phonics workbook pg 48 & 49**  To learn the shape and sound of ‘sh’. Listen for the ‘sh’ in words, read and write words containing the sound  **Just Handwriting pg 39 & 40**  **Other activities:**   * Read daily – Oxford readers are available in ebook form on the oxford owls website * Encourage your child to write their own News daily i.e. Day, weather, one thing they did the previous day etc. * Free writing – writing on a topic of choice * Download ‘**Jolly Phonics**’ and ‘**Teach Your Monster to Read**’ apps to practice phonics and reading | Folensonline.ie  Educateplus.ie  Oxfordowl.co.uk  [www.starfall.com](http://www.starfall.com)  Jolly phonics app  Teach your Monster to read app  Star fall |
| **Maths** | **Money** | **Busy at Maths pg 104 - 106**  **Suggested Activities:**   * Expose your child to real coins/money is the best way to teach him/her. * Collect as many 1c, 2c, 5c, 10c and 20c coins as you can. Place them in a pile in the centre of the table. Give your child five plastic cups/containers. Write the correct amounts on each one. Get your child to sort the coins into the correct containers, etc * Ask your child to help you make a small play shop. Collect a number of easily sourced items. Use post-it notes or pieces of paper as price tags. Give each item a price tag. Ask your child some questions e.g. * How much does the packet of cereal cost? * Which is dearer/more expensive: the apple or the orange? * How much does it cost for two apples and two oranges? * I have 18c. Have I enough money to buy the banana and carrot? * Which item is the cheapest/dearest? | Topmarks.co.uk  Hit the Button app – useful for practicing addition facts within 10 |
| **S.E.S.E (Social, Environmental, Scientific education)** | * **Planet Earth in Space** | Explore the sun, moon, Earth and stars   * A selection of powerpoints are available on twinkl.co.uk on this topic. * Revise the names of the planets in the solar system * Which planet is nearest to the sun? * Which planet is farthest away from the sun? * Design a poster of all the planets in the solar system and label them. | Twinkl.co.uk  Folensonline.ie -folens explorers |