

Monday 22nd – Friday 26th June

THEME: The End of 4TH Class!

Girls, I want to say a massive well done to you all for all your super work in 4th class.

It was a privilege to teach you and I am only sorry that our year together was cut short. You continued to impress me working so hard from home since March.

Well done and thank you!

With that in mind there is no formal work for this week, just a few activities that you might enjoy doing.

Have fun!

READING:

Another reminder about J.K. Rowling's unpublished book that can be read online. It is called The Ickabog and she is

posting a chapter or two every weekday between 26th May and 10th July on The Ickabog Website.

J.K. Rowling also has an illustration competition for you to enter if you would like to and you never know your illustration might be included in the finished book when it is published in November!

Read pages 1 -10 of the Primary Planet magazine

online.flowpaper.com/7a630787/TPP93online/#page=

Then do the following quiz

www.theprimaryplanet.ie/news/posts/quiz-40-part-i-june-08/

VIRTUAL TOURS:

Unfortunately we missed out on our school tour this year but you might enjoy the following virtual tours from Reginald's Tower in Waterford to as far away as San Diego Zoo in the U.S.A.!!

We are very lucky here in Waterford to have so much heritage on our doorstep!

Here you have access to the Copper Coast mines near Bonmahon and the Waterford Treasures Museum and Reginald's Tower in Waterford City.

<https://coppercoastgeopark.com/3DTours/surface.html> Tankardstown Copper Mine on the Copper Coast- Surface, over the mine

<https://coppercoastgeopark.com/3DTours/tankunderground.html> Underground

<https://coppercoastgeopark.com/tankardstown-3d-tours/> Read a bit about

Waterford's Copper Coast and the Copper Mine at Tankardstown

<http://www.waterfordtreasures.com/medieval-museum/the-experience/virtual-tour>

Museum Tour

<http://www.waterfordtreasures.com/reginalds-tower/the-experience/virtual-tour>

Reginald's Tower

Here is a link to the San Diego Zoo where you can log into cameras for all the animals!

If you click on 'Plants and Animals' and then on 'Videos' you can watch videos from the animals in the zoo

zoo.sandiegozoo.org/live-cams

FUN SCIENCE:

It is that time of year again when we dream of sunny days eating ice-creams. Well how about making your own “Ice-cream in a bag” with your parents’ permission!

Ice Cream in a bag

Ask someone at home to help you with the measurements if you need help.

Ingredients:

- ☐ **300ml of double cream**
- ☐ **200ml of milk (can be any type of milk)**
- ☐ **2 tbsp of sugar**
- ☐ **1 tsp of vanilla extract**
- ☐ **700g of ice cubes**
- ☐ **5 tbsp of salt**
- ☐ **2 large zip lock bags**

Method: (how to make it)

1. Add the milk, cream, sugar and vanilla to one ziplock bag.

Put the milk, cream, sugar and vanilla into one of your ziplock bags and mix well. Make sure to push any air out of the bag and zip it closed.

2. Add the ice and salt to the second ziplock bag.

Put the ice and salt into the second ziplock bag and mix it around.

3. Put the ice cream bag into the bag with the salt and ice.

Put the bag with the ice cream mix into the bag with the salt and ice. Push out the air and seal it.

4. Move it around!

Move the ice cream bag around the ice for around twelve minutes - this will give it the consistency of soft serve. Feel free to keep moving the ice cream around to make it harder if you wish!

You can use different flavouring if you want! Try adding in some chocolate chips, some slices of banana or maybe some strawberry cut up!

Why not add some sprinkles too!

ART:

Your parents have been amazing helping you and encouraging you to keep working at home so how about making them a Thank You card! I'm sure they would really appreciate it. (Maybe you could clean your room or do some other jobs at home too.)

Here are some nice art ideas that you might enjoy doing over the summer.

<https://artprojectsforkids.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/03/Draw-Like-Chagall.pdf>

<https://artprojectsforkids.org/how-to-draw-an-eye/>

<https://artprojectsforkids.org/draw-hot-air-balloon/>

REFLECTIONS:

I am attaching three pages for you to print off and fill in or to copy the headings onto a page. If you do decide to do these exercises it might be nice to put them away safely and we could add them to your portfolio in September.

The first one is called “My Lockdown Memories 2020”, the second is titled

“School’s Out for Summer” and the third one is named, “End of Year Memories”.

If you have any other pieces of written or art work that you are very proud of we can add it to your portfolio in September also!

I hope you enjoy reading the attached poems!

HAPPY HOLIDAYS XXX