

It's hard to believe this is our last week in Senior Infants! Here are a few fun activities to keep your girls going for the last week. You are also welcome to finish any workbook pages.

- Story 'Sharing a Shell' by Julia Donaldson  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VpJumAZx1t8>
- Time Capsule (see below) – Fill in the pages and decorate. Store the pages with some photographs or mementoes in a safe place.
- Baking (see recipe below) – Make your own ice-cream in a bag. You can add your own favourite flavour eg. Oreo, strawberry, cookie dough etc. Enjoy!
- Summer acrostic poem writing (see template below or make your own) – Write a poem about summer. Each line must start with a word which has the letter s/u/m/m/e/r at the start. We have done these in school before.
- Song singing 'Mr. Sun' <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hlzvrEfyL2Y>
- Cosmic Kids Yoga – 'Mimi the Mermaid'  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=U1UcBGIf50>
- Come Outside video – 'Dandelions'  
[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=z6DdFup\\_3s4](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=z6DdFup_3s4)
- Art activity (see ice-cream template below) – Colour in the ice cream scoops, cone and cherry for on top. Cut them out and stick them together on a piece of paper. You could also add sprinkles or syrup.
- End of year poem – read the poem below for your daughter. Explain that she will be moving into First Class next year and she will have a new teacher but I will make sure to visit her in her new classroom and say hello.

You have all worked so hard this year and we are very proud of each one of you. We hope you all have a wonderful summer and, although you will have a new teacher and classroom, we look forward to seeing you and catching up in September. Best wishes for a bright fun-filled summer! ☺



# My Time Capsule 2020

By: \_\_\_\_\_

# My Little Hand



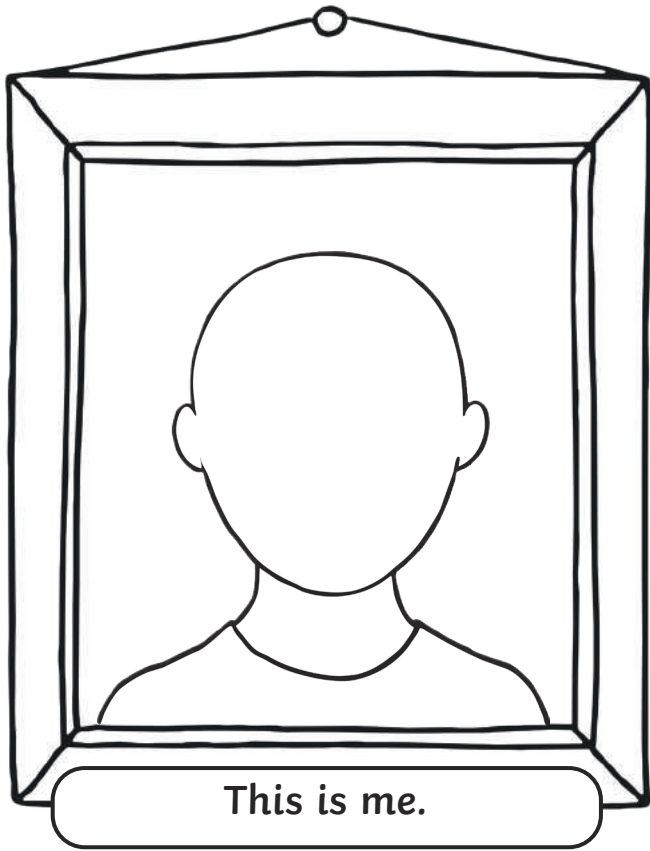
To remember a time,  
When my hands were small.  
My little fingers,  
Created this all!

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Trace around your hand and include some colourful designs or create a handprint.

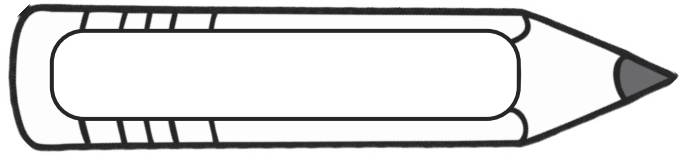


# All About Me



This is me.

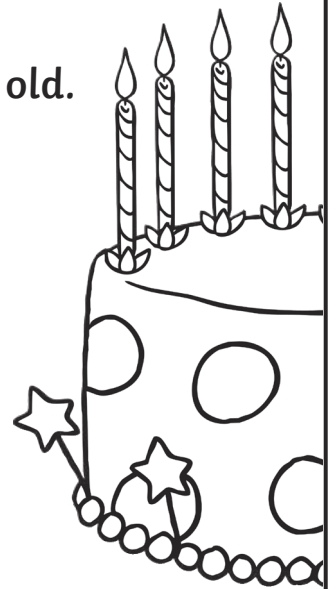
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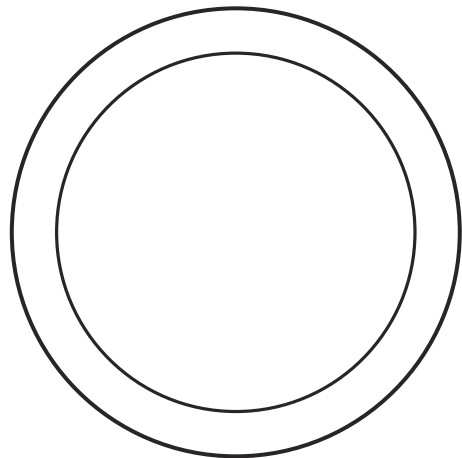
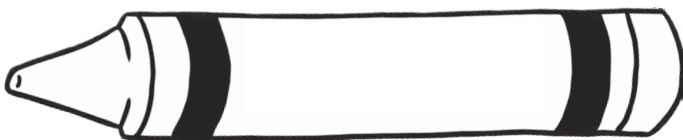
I am  years old.



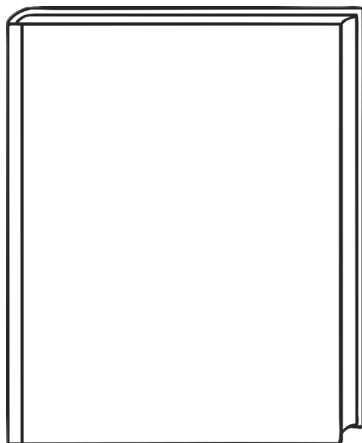
My favourite food is:



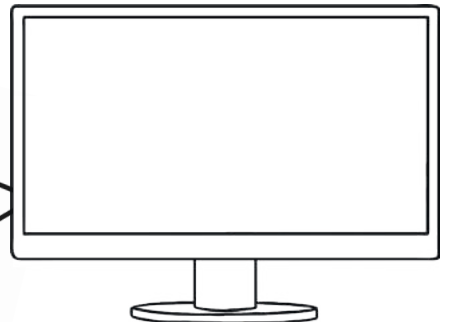
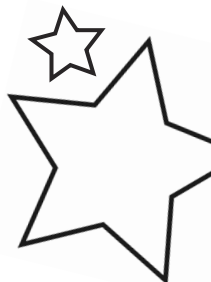
My favourite colour is:

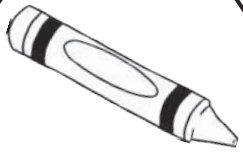


My favourite book is:



My favourite television show is:





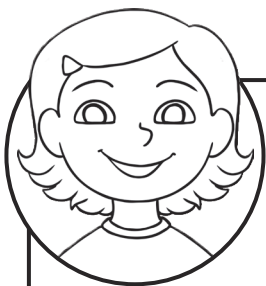
This is my best colouring!

Níl aon tinteán mar do thinteán féin



There's no place like home

# Safe at Home



I am staying safe at home with....

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Today I am feeling \_\_\_\_\_

because \_\_\_\_\_

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The best thing about being safe  
at home is ...

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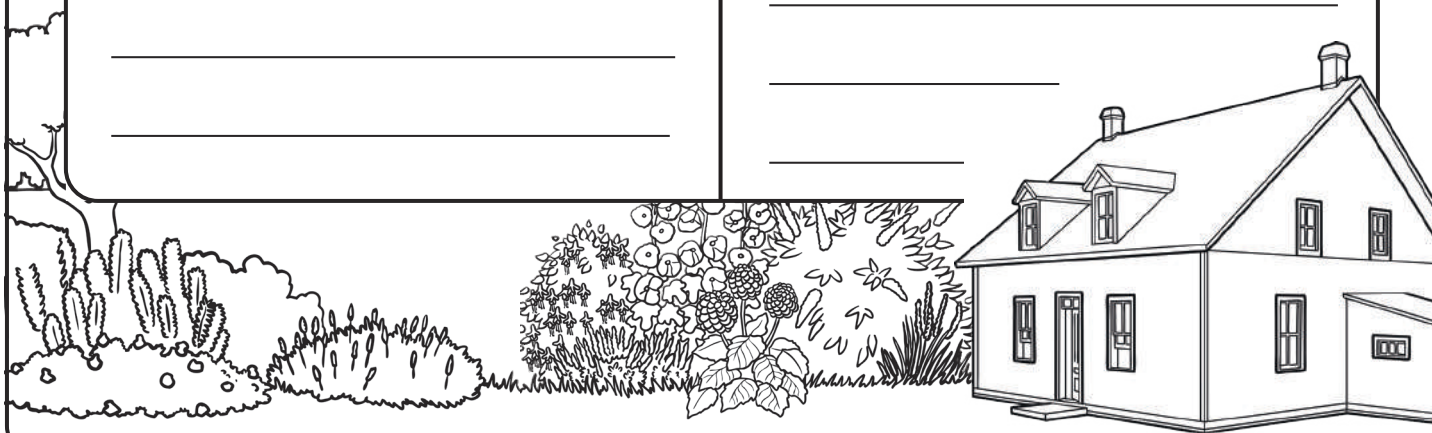
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Something I miss is...

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# Ice Cream in a Bag



## Ingredients

300ml cream

2 tbsp caster sugar

1 tsp vanilla essence

2 trays of ice cubes

6 tbsp rock salt

Optional: fruit, crushed biscuits, sprinkles or chocolate chips

## Equipment

1 medium zipped bag

1 large zipped bag

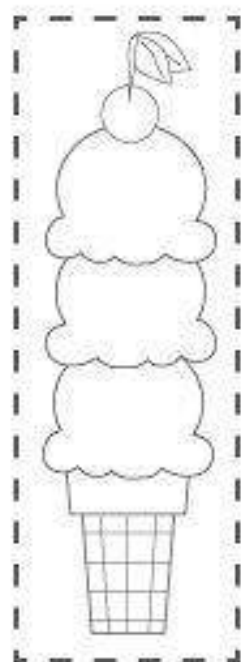
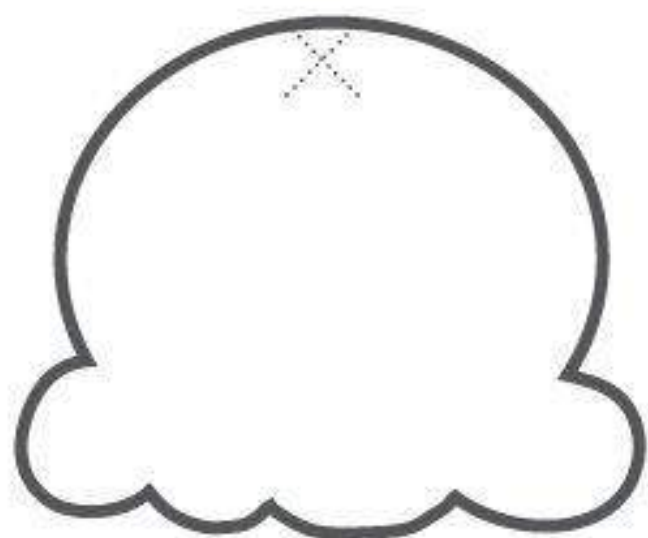
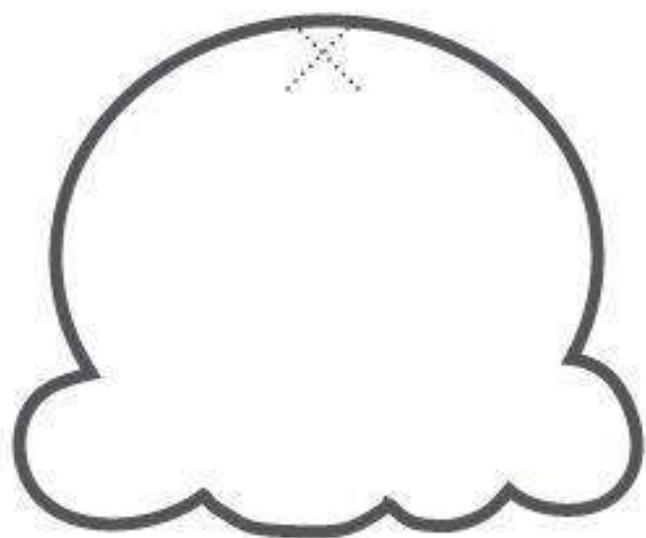
Tea towel or gloves

## Method

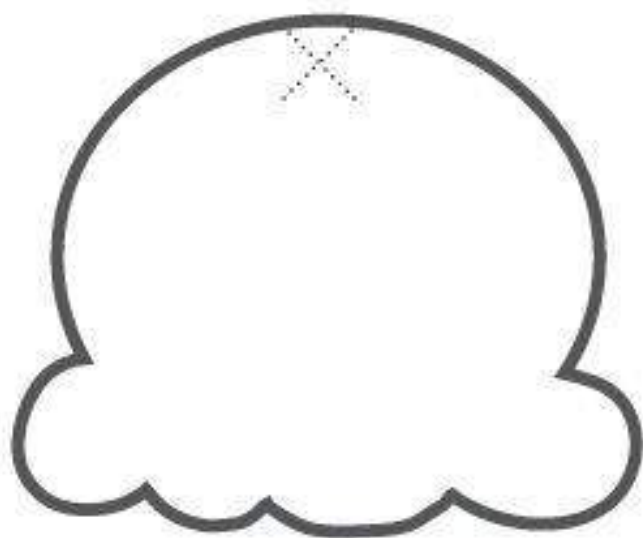
1. Place the cream, sugar and vanilla into the medium-sized zipped bag and combine the ingredients. Be sure to zip up the bag securely first. You can add optional extras at this point.
2. Place the ice into the larger zipped bag. Spoon the salt over the top of the ice in the larger zipped bag.
3. Place the medium bag containing the cream mixture inside the larger bag on top of the ice and salt and zip up the bag securely.
4. Shake and massage the bag wearing gloves or covered in a tea towel for 5-10 minutes, until the mixture becomes the consistency of ice cream.
5. Once ready, remove the bag of ice cream and give it a wipe to remove the salt from the outside of the bag.
6. You can snip a hole in a corner of the bag and squeeze out the ice cream into a bowl or cone







ice cream  
cone





Dear Senior Infants

We think you're very special,  
And we just wanted you to know,  
This year has been amazing,  
We're so sad to see you go!  
We've done so much together,  
We've laughed and smiled and learned,  
After such an exciting journey,  
Enjoy the summer break you've earned.  
Remember to come and visit,  
We would love to see you grow,  
You have a lot to learn ahead,  
But there is one thing you should know:  
The thing that makes you wonderful,  
And will shine through all you do,  
Is just to be yourself,  
And be proud that you are you!

From Mrs. Mc Carthy, Mrs. Southard and Ms. Kavanagh.