

12<sup>th</sup> June 2020

### Home Learning Pack for Senior Infants

Hello everyone,

I think it's time for some fun! The activities on Seesaw this week are a variety of art and crafts, science, song and dance. We have covered all the topics we would have worked on in school. There may be some gaps but please rest assured they will be caught up on in the autumn term. There are some pages left in the children's books that they can finish if they wish and you can still upload any completed work on Seesaw for me to give feedback.

Thank you for all the wonderful photos, videos and messages on Seesaw. There has been great engagement and I am very proud.

Please remember that if you have any concerns or queries, I can be contacted via Seesaw or via the school email – [office@njs.ie](mailto:office@njs.ie) or [principal@njs.ie](mailto:principal@njs.ie). Ms Mc Sweeney, all of staff and I are here to help and support everyone in any way we can. Best wishes to everyone and hope that you all stay safe and well.

Kathy Macdougald

Outline of Activities for Week beginning June 15<sup>th</sup>, 2020

**THERE ARE NO KEY TASKS THIS WEEK**

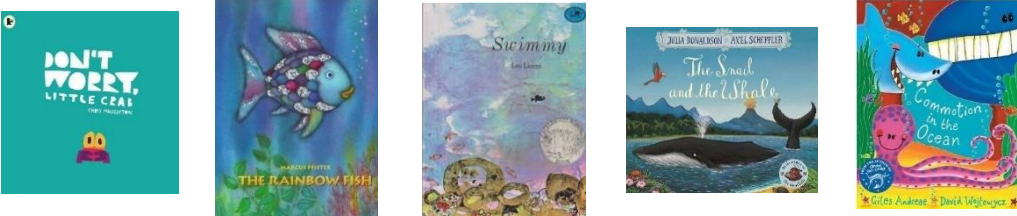


This week our Aistear topic is **THE BEACH**

We are so lucky to have the most beautiful beaches in Ireland on our doorstep (after Mayo of course!). I hope you get to spend lots of time at the beach over the summer. Don't forget to stay safe in the sun and wear sun-cream and a hat.


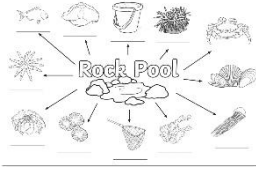

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<p>READING</p>	<p>There is a variety of sea and beach related stories on Seesaw for you to enjoy:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• “Don’t worry little crab” read by Tom Hardy! (Last Tom story I’m afraid!)</li> <li>• “The Rainbow Fish” which has an activity attached on ‘the qualities of a good friend’</li> <li>• “Swimmy” which is a story about leadership, and working together</li> <li>• “The snail and the whale” (this is the movie version 25mins)</li> <li>• “Commotion in the ocean”</li> </ul> 
<p>SPHE</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Staying safe in the sun activity on Seesaw: draw the items you should pack to keep safe in the sun</li> </ul>  <p>This is an opportunity for you to talk to your child about the importance of staying safe in the sun by using sun cream, a sun hat, sunglasses and drinking lots of water.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• This might also be a good opportunity for you to look up the PAWS water safety programme as this was not covered this year by Senior Infants. (Links in Seesaw)</li> </ul>  <p><a href="https://online.flowpaper.com/7efd0784/PAWS1ENGLISHWEB/#page=1">https://online.flowpaper.com/7efd0784/PAWS1ENGLISHWEB/#page=1</a></p> <p><a href="http://paws.edco.ie/junior-and-senior-infants/">http://paws.edco.ie/junior-and-senior-infants/</a></p>
<p>ART ATTACK!</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Shark Attack: Anna has made a little video to show how she made her shark picture</li> <li>• Another video from Anna on how to make an octopus!</li> <li>• Yet another video on how she decorated pebbles from the beach!</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The last activity is hopefully going to inspire the children to create some beach art.</li> </ul> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: center;">     </div>
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<b>WRITING ACTIVITIES</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Message in a bottle</li> <li>Labelling the rock pool</li> <li>Rainbow fish: Characteristics of a good friend</li> <li>Drawing and labeling a pirate treasure map.</li> </ul> <p>Anna has made a video to show how she created</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; align-items: center;">    </div> <p style="text-align: right;">hers.</p>
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<b>SCIENCE</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Make a sail car and race it. Anna made a video to show you how she created her sail car. Hope you enjoy!</li> </ul> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; align-items: center;">   </div> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Yet another video! This one shows you how to make 'no freezer' ice-cream. This is a fun science experiment which needs a few ingredients from the shop so might be a good one for the summer. (Also, the music track we used on the video was a hit when I was ten! Can you guess what it could be?)</li> </ul>
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<b>GREEN SCHOOLS</b>	<p>Ms. Stapleton has suggested the following art project for you</p> <p>Bugey Woogies using egg cartons:  <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SLun3X8QqVE&amp;feature=emb_title">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SLun3X8QqVE&amp;feature=emb_title</a></p>
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<b>P.E.</b>	<p>Ms. Kavanagh has suggested the following activities for you to keep active.</p> <p>Around the sock Challenge:  <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=c9lm8Y7koqE&amp;feature=youtu.be">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=c9lm8Y7koqE&amp;feature=youtu.be</a></p> <p>Sock Ladder Challenge:  <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BA4XN3Pynig">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BA4XN3Pynig</a></p> <p>Speed Bounce Challenge:</p>
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The Stork Balance Challenge

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aDxT-56hGL0>

Spotty Dogs Challenge

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bfh4SY6zT8M>