



Anne Marie's Room: Children in 1st, 2nd and 4th Class

Dear Parents,

This week's theme is SUMMER. Activities are presented by subject (Maths, English, Irish, Art and Wellbeing). I am also including a Virtual School Tour as a suggested activity.

An updated choice board of additional activities that children can work on if they wish, is outlined below. If you have a question or wish to share your child's work, please send me a message on the Class Dojo.

We have two Zoom calls this week. Our class meeting is on Tuesday at 2pm and our active session with Clare is on Wednesday at 1.30pm. The links will be shared on Class Dojo.

Happy learning!

Anne Marie

Maths: Capacity

We are learning about litres, $\frac{1}{2}$ litre and $\frac{1}{4}$ litres. Here are some **practical activities** to try at home:

Many things that we buy come in 1 litre (1L) containers.



- Find containers in your home that are measured in litres and draw or list them.
- [Measuring activity 1](#): Estimate how cupfuls and jugfuls of water will fill the containers. Then measure and find the difference. You can draw a table in your copy and fill in your answers. (From *Mathemagic*, CJ Fallon).
- [Measuring activity 2](#): Estimate if these containers hold less than a litre, about a litre and more than a litre. You can replace or add different containers. You can draw a table in your copy and fill in your answers. (From *Busy at Maths*, CJ Fallon).
- [Extension activity](#): Estimate and measure in $\frac{1}{2}$ and $\frac{1}{4}$ litres. (From *Mathemagic*, CJ Fallon).

Tutorials and Videos

- Activity 1 [Which Container Holds Most?](#)
- Activity 2 [Sorting](#)
- Activity 3 [Calculating](#)
- Activity 4 [Interactive Game](#)

English: Postcards

This week, we are learning to write a postcard.

Postcards usually have a picture on the front, an address, a greeting, a message, a sign off and a stamp.



- View this [presentation](#) which explains each part (from Twinkl)
- Read this [postcard from London](#)

Activity:

Create your own postcard(s). Include all elements and design your own stamp. Draw a place you have visited before or somewhere you would like to visit and write about your experience.

You can:

- Draw out your postcard in your copy or on some paper. Be sure to include both sides.
or
- Use one of the templates to help with ideas.

[Template 1 \(with prompts\)](#)

[Template 2 \(blank\)](#)

- Read Write Think have a digital postcard creator online. You can try it out [here](#).

IRISH: Summer and At the Beach

"An Samhradh" is the Irish for summer. In these lessons, children explore "An Trá" (the beach).

Videos:

1. [Practise the seasons](#)
2. [Practise the months of the year](#)
3. [At the beach](#)
4. [Drawing pictures of the beach](#)

Draw and label a picture of the beach.

Include the following words (from *Bua na Cainte*, Edco).

Litriú  **LITRIÚ - An Trá**

	 an trá	 an ghrian	 buicéad
 spád	 portán	 liathróid	
 bád	 sliogán	 éan	
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Art and Wellbeing

- Click [here](#) for some summer art ideas
- Try a guided relaxation session ([Seaside](#) and [A Day at the Beach](#) from the PDST)
- Reflect and check in using this [Wellbeing Bingo](#) (From YoungMinds)

Enjoy a Virtual School Tour

Zoos

You can take a tour of Dublin Zoo on their special webcams or decide to go further afield. There is a link to an aquarium too!

- Dublin Zoo
 - [Elephants](#)
 - [Penguins](#)
 - [African Savanna](#)
- [Edinburgh Zoo](#)
- [Marwell Zoo \(UK\)](#)
- [San Diego Zoo](#)
- [Houston Zoo](#)
- [Clear Water Marine Aquarium](#)

Suggested activities:

Draw five animals you spotted, using the [activity sheet](#) or some paper! You might like to do some further research on a specific animal.



Choice Board

Continue on with Sounds in Focus or find a question that you haven't answered to revise	Try a Daily 10 Challenge	Find a quiet place to do 15 minutes of reading	Practise your handwriting	Choose an activity from our Active Padlet
Play a game of Sight Word Smash	Practise your touch typing on BBC Dance Mat	Try the Teddy Town challenge on NRICH	Check in your Shadow Book for a Maths question you can work on	Play "Got It" on NRICH
Check out the Teagasc Science at Home Experiments with a parent	Take some time to do some drawing. You could listen to some music too.	Choose a 10@10 session	Read a story in Irish here	Design and draw an obstacle course. Test it out!

Weekly Learning Guide

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