

Mrs. Nevin's Pupils

Dear Students,

I really hope you are all keeping well and not missing school too much. I know you are all doing great work at home. Please keep up the work and keep safe. We will see you all again soon.

Dear Parents,

I know the class teachers have already set work for the students and therefore this is just a guide if you are looking to continue with your child's work in learning support and resource in Maths or English. I realise that it may not be possible to get it done in addition to work already set by class teachers, therefore please just do what you can, if you can't fit it in, that's perfectly acceptable also. It may be the case that you can incorporate a little bit, whatever works for you.

Students that I take out For English/ Typing

Outline of work

Reading, comprehension, language:

1. Read for 5/10 mins in a paired /shared setting **if possible** (with an adult, older brother/sister etc.) Monday – Friday. Discuss any new words or vocabulary encountered and recall the events or information that you have read about. If you can make a word bank of all the new words you encounter and go back over the meaning of them daily (the same as we do when in school – remember the flashcards!!)

I know a lot of you have your own books at home, any book will do, if you run out of books scoilnet.ie has 'World Book Online' free to all for this period. It has over 700 really good books. Remember to access through www.scoilnet.ie

Phonics, Spelling, Typing

2. Touch, Type, Read, Spell programme - please do this for 10 mins. a day Monday – Friday. It incorporates learning to type along with a comprehensive phonics/spelling programme. It is quite easy at the beginning but builds up as you improve. Your passwords and login details are in your homework journals, the site is www.ttrsonline.com . I can access this as administrator and check on how you are all getting along.

Please note: Reading Eggs are also offering free subscription for next few weeks, it's an excellent resource for reading and phonics. www.readingeggs.com

Students I take for Maths

1. Continue with Mental Maths / Tables books as normal. One/Two sections per day- Monday – Thursday.
2. Use this time to learn your tables (all if possible), Multiplication and Division 1-12. There are some great apps for practising tables. Just look in the Google Playstore and type in tables practise. Remember to recite them daily. When I finished up with you, you were all on different sets. Just pick up from where you left off.
3. **If** you need more work, Twinkl.ie has lots of interesting maths resources to keep busy and learning. Download and print off worksheets for your class level, if it is something we have already covered , consider it revision. IXL.com is a good Maths and English website.

If anyone wishes to contact me for further guidance please email me on

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Wishing you all the very best.

J. Nevin