

Dia dhaoibh go léir!

Well done on making it to June and on all the hard work that you have done in very difficult circumstances. We have received some really wonderful work between photos and presentations, audio and video recordings, as well as Art. Obviously, there are no certainties, but we truly hope that we will all be together again in an actual classroom for the new school year in September. In the meantime, we have some put together some work for you to enjoy/get through/practice over the next 2 weeks.

As always, please submit some (or all) of your work to nickernsfarrellblackwell@gmail.com. We love to hear from you and would be delighted to hear from some more of you. We have asked that you send work on Wednesday or Friday (once a week is plenty) but that is completely at your own discretion and we are happy to receive it whenever you get a chance. There is no pressure to send every page you have done. ***Feel free to email any questions that you may have; we would be delighted to help.***

Some feedback:

- Rule your page when writing in your copy 😊!
- Use the **CUPS strategy** at the end of your writing: particularly for spelling.
- Use full sentences and re-read at the end to check.
- You have done lots of practice in cursive writing, make sure you use cursive when you are writing in your other workbooks/copies.
- Go over a half set of tables each day if you can. This is really important for going into 3rd and 4th class for all of you next year.

Study Ladder is still in operation. There are Maths, English, Science, Music, Art and other activities on it with lots of variety. Well done to those of you who have been working away on it. We have sent the logins to the email addresses we have, so if anyone has yet to mail if you pop a quick email we will forward on the login.

We have set out some options for learning again for you to do in your own time. The main themes for the coming 2 weeks are: **Floating and Sinking and Water Safety**. We will put documents on the website on this page to support you in looking at these themes. There are also some other documents with a range of topics to read and to do activities in English and Maths. Choose what is best for you from these.

We understand that some days you may not be able to do as much work as other days. Do your best and make time where you can keep up with your learning. It is very important to read a little every day, you can read from your books at home or books online. Just as before, Homeschool School Hub is a great resource on RTE at 11am each day and at 10am on TG4 for some Irish learning. You can also get additional materials on the RTE website also (rte.ie/learn).

Speak to you really soon,

Ms Blackwell & Ms Farrell