**Weekly Plan 15th February 2021– First Class – Ms. Kenny**

Dear Parent/s,

I hope you are all keeping safe and well? I would again like to say thank you to you all for all the great work the boys are doing at home. I am very proud of you all and the work you are sending to me on seesaw.

As this week is mid-term, we will only have one zoom call. This will be on Tuesday at 10.30 and it will be music with Ms. Anna Kelly. We had a lovely lesson last week and learnt all about the accordion! I look forward to seeing as many boys as possible on zoom and I will send the login details as soon as possible.

Here is a plan of work for first class for the week starting the 15th February. This is just a guide; please feel free to do what you can. There is no work for Thursday and Friday as this is our mid-term break and I would like to wish you all a lovely break and hopefully you will get a chance to get out for some fresh air and exercise.

If anyone has any questions or needs help with anything please email me or contact me through seesaw. My email address is ykenny@stbrendansps.ie

Keep safe and try your best,

Kind regards,

Ms. Kenny

**General English for the Week**

Poem– Daffodil- I will email the poem and post it on seesaw – it is also included in your green folder of your book pack.

**Ms. Kenny’s reading group**

 ‘The Rubbish Monster’ book – story: Little Kangaroo’s Hiccups –read page 16 of the story. Learn the new words for ‘Becky and the Dinosaur’ on page 55. Write the new words on to flash cards if you think it helps. Record yourself reading a page or two of the story during the week and send in to me via seesaw.

Spellings learn two words each night: looked, people, make

**Ms. Mulqueen’s reading group 1**

Read one page of the book ‘Lion in the Mud’ each day – up to end of book page 30.

Spellings learn one word each night: too, are, back

Ms. Mulqueen would be delighted to hear your reading too – please send in via seesaw!

**Ms. Mulqueen’s reading group 2**

Books and instructions will be included in book pack.

Ms. Mulqueen would be delighted to hear your reading too – please send in via seesaw!

**Monday**

**English**

Let’s talk literacy Unit 11 page 62 finish the letter using the words in the box.

Reading – work from your reading group (either Ms. Mulqueen’s group or Ms. Kenny’s group)

Read a book on Epic or a book you have at home

**Maths – money**

**Cracking Maths Practice book page 27**

**Tables 12+**

**Gaeilge – Cóta Nua**

[www.folensonline.ie](http://www.folensonline.ie)

Once logged in please click on abair liom C – resources, click on lesson, click 9 Cóta Nua, póstaer, scéal - press play and listen to the story a couple of times. Then answer the cesitenna. I will upload the story and questions to seesaw also.

Click on póstaer – amhrán Tá an aimsir ag éirí fuar – listen to the song each day this week – I will also upload the video to seesaw.

New Words: cóta (coat), hata (hat), scaif (scarf), lámhainní (gloves), buataisí (boots), geansaí (jumper), bríste (trousers), t-léine (t-shirt), fear an tsiopa (shop keeper), sparán (purse), puball (puball). I will put a video on seesaw to help with the new words.

**SESE** – Science Energy and Forces – Sound

Watch the following YouTube video – The Magic of Sound

<https://youtu.be/UO3N_PRIgX0>

Explorer’s Book page 48 – How are sound effects made? If you want upload a video of the sound effect you created to seesaw!

**Tuesday**

**Zoom Call – First and Second class Music Appreciation lesson with Ms.Anna Kelly and class teachers – 10.30am.**

**English**

Let’s talk literacy page 63 – write a letter to someone in your family to thank them for a present they gave you.

Reading – reading group work and read a book on Epic or a book you have at home

**Gaeilge – Cóta Nua**

Click on póstaer – amhrán Tá an aimsir ag éirí fuar – listen to the song each day this week – I will also upload the video to seesaw.

Abair liom C page 49 – tarraing ciocal thart ar an túslitir cheart – ‘s’ nó ‘f ‘ – draw a circle around the correct initial sound ‘s’ or ‘f’

Sparán (purse), funneog (window), fáinne (ring) sú (juice), fón (phone), subh (jam), scaif (scarf) , fiacla (teeth)

**Maths money**

Cracking maths practice book page 28

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**SESE – Investigate: High and Low Sounds**

**Explorers book page 49**

**Pancake Tuesday – Activity on seesaw and some links to find out more about pancake Tuesday /Shrove Tuesday.**

[**https://www.cbc.ca/kidscbc2/the-feed/shrove-tuesday-a-day-of-forgiveness-and-pancakes**](https://www.cbc.ca/kidscbc2/the-feed/shrove-tuesday-a-day-of-forgiveness-and-pancakes)

[**https://youtu.be/bzYlQXHDv2s**](https://youtu.be/bzYlQXHDv2s)

**Wednesday**

**English**

Seesaw activity – listen to the story ‘Best Friends Forever’ and then write a letter to all your class, telling them your news from the past few weeks.

If you do not have seesaw please write a letter on a page or in your copy.

Please send me a photo of your letter and I will share the letters on seesaw with the other boys in first class to read.

Reading – reading group and read a book on Epic or a book you have at home

**Maths**

**Money**

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**Gaeilge – Cóta Nua**

Click on póstaer – amhrán Tá an aimsir ag éirí fuar – listen to the song each day this week – I will also upload the video to seesaw.

Seesaw – spot the difference activity

**SESE** – go for a walk and listen to what sounds are all around you. Think about whether they are high or low sounds. Listen out for animal noises, voices, birds and squeaky hinges!

**Religion** – What would you give up for Lent? Seesaw activity – if you do not have access to seesaw draw a picture and write a sentence about what you would give up for lent.