

Hello First Class.

I hope you are all well. Keep up your reading practice and keep recording the titles of the books you are reading. Here is your work for this week. Do as much as you can but don't worry if you can't get it all done. Just try your best.

Kind Regards, Ms.Nugent.

## ENGLISH

Spellings: Spellbound All Units now completed. Please complete any unfinished or missed sections in the book.

Reading and Writing: (Complete over the course of the week)

1. Read At Home Book. Revise pages 9 to 12. . Answer the 5 questions orally.

2. Sightwords. Read the story " The Best Thing In The World". This story contains all of the 220 Dolch basic sight words. Revise Pgs. 1 and 2 from last week. Read Pgs. 3 and 4 this week. (Pages enclosed). Chat about the story when completed.

3. Starlight. Folens- Resources accessible free online

Combined Reading and Skills Book. Pg. 66 Theme- Holidays. SubTheme/Summer at Home  
Genre: Narrative.

Text: Reading Text "The Circus Comes to Town" .

Teach the new focus words: circus, colourful, pretended, clumsy, acrobats, tightrope, trapeze, perform and explain their meanings.

Read the text and then have a chat about it. What's it about? Talk about the pictures etc. Check for tricky words or any words your child doesn't understand. Take turns with your child reading the text lots of times to develop fluency, to learn the new words and for enjoyment and understanding.

Pg. 67 Comprehension and vocabulary .

- A. Answer the comprehension questions 1-6. For extra practice write these sentences in your copy.
- B. Fill in the missing words in the sentences. Find 2 compound words (words made up of 2 words), in the reading text pg. 66 and write them in your copy. Write these words in your own sentences.

Pg.68 Grammar.

Complete Sections A,B and C. Optional: Write the sentences from these sections into your copy for good handwriting practice. Nouns-naming words. Verbs- action words.

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Pg.69 Writing. Write a story about something that happened on your Summer holidays. Use the plan from Pg . 65. Write the completed story into your copy. Draw the picture.

Extra (Optional) Activities:

1. Write a poem about a circus.
2. Write a story about a visit to the circus.
3. Paint or draw a picture of a colourful clown or the circus tent.

MATHS

1. Busy at Maths Book. Complete Pgs.142 to 146. See Home/School Links Sheet 24 (Addition) for activities to help with understanding this topic . Teach the language for this topic. Refer to the bottom of each page(blue section) for the language associated with addition /regrouping. Always add the units side first , when adding tens and units, then regroup when necessary.

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2. Write some sums from the above pages into your Maths copy for extra practice .

3. Tables. Revise  $+9$  to  $12+9$  and  $-9$  to  $21-9$

SESE History - Story.

(Textbook Small World First Class) Accessible free online Resources at [cjfallon.ie](http://cjfallon.ie))

Pgs. 92 and 93 Egyptian Hieroglyphics. See enclosed sheets . Print to complete or Write into a copy.

Read the text on page 92 about the development of paper and the formation of Egyptian hieroglyphics. Have a chat about what you read. Talk about the pictures and practice reading the word labels a few times until they become familiar.

Complete sections A,B and C on pg. 93.

Optional- In your copy write some 4,5,and 6 letter words using Egyptian hieroglyphics or write your own message.

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P.E.

- 1.Log onto youtube P.E. with Joe (30 minute children's lessons)
2. Play outside.    3. Go for a cycle.    4. Go for a walk.

ART (online activities) Optional:

Youtube artforkidshub

DrawingwithDon

[www.crayola.com/freecolouringpages](http://www.crayola.com/freecolouringpages)

See Also :1. English- Draw or paint a colourful clown or circus tent.

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Grow In Love

Veritas free access to resources.....log in on [www.growinlove.ie](http://www.growinlove.ie)

Email [trial@growinlove.ie](mailto:trial@growinlove.ie)    password:growinlove

All lessons now completed.

- 1.Prayers for the year can be revised on pg. 64 of the pupil's book.
2. Prayers for the Mass (Mass Responses) can be practiced on pgs. 64 and 65. This will serve as preparation for First Communion next year.

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1.Ceacht 27– An Circin Rua ( The Red Hen) .   Pupil’s book pgs.136-137 .

Story and vocabulary can be accessed if you wish to listen to it on [folensonline](#) website(free access for parents at the moment).

Complete the written exercises A and B .

2. Suil Siar 4. Pgs.138 and 139. Revision . Complete sections A, B and C.

Practice reading the sentences and words lots of times. Practice the words and phrases with your family. Don’t worry if you don’t understand everything...just try your best.

3. Revise: Ceacht 9 Cota Nua (A new Coat).      Read back over pages 44 to 49 lots of times to revise vocabulary. Story accessible online at [Folens.ie](#)

**Note:** Don’t forget to watch the school hub programme on   Rte 1-   Monday to Friday.