



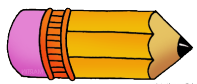
# *Connecting with Parents*



Primary 6

May / June

## Classwork



In Primary Six our work is now presented in topic form to tie all areas of learning together as much as possible.

This leaflet outlines what we will be covering in January / February in Numeracy and Literacy and through the theme of **Actions & Consequences** so that home learning can be organised to support your child if you wish.

**Please Note:** - *Not all aspects of each subject are included in this document and all children work at different levels of ability.*

### Numeracy

**Number** - Continuing tables and general number work including function machines, averages, money, algebra, roman numerals and ratio.

**Data Handling** - reading and constructing venn diagrams, tree diagrams, tables and graphs for various purposes



**Shape & Space** - Symmetry, area of triangles, triangles

Measures—calculating weight, capacity, volume and revision of area and perimeter.

**Literacy** (Class Novel— Estelle's Reward (big book)



**Grammar** - use of commas in lists, in written work and also revision of all grammar.

**Sounds**— cious/tious, odd bods, adjacent vowels and consonants.

Children will have access to Home Reads and we encourage you to read with your child when possible.

## World Around Us

**Healthy Living** - how to lead a healthy life including, looking at the effects of alcohol and smoking on the human body, what is a drug? and keeping clean (hygiene).



**Weather** - we will look at the how hurricanes, bush fires, floods and other kinds of natural disasters / extreme weathers can influence people's lives.

**Vikings**- looking into the arrival of the Vikings in Ireland.

## Personal Development and Mutual Understanding

This will involve the pupils looking at conflict and dialogue, speaking up for themselves, healthy habits and problem solving.

We will be continuing with circle time and the Special Box



## Thinking Skills and Personal Capabilities



TSPC is a cross—curricular aspect of the primary curriculum. Through numeracy, literacy and other areas of the curriculum the pupils will become engaged in problem solving activities and discussions which will require them to take on different roles and develop confidence.

### Other Information

- Early Morning Club begins at 8am.
- All homework must be checked and signed.
- Dinners are £2.60.
- Swimming continues at £2.00 per swim .
- Please ensure you return all forms which require a signature promptly.
  - School closed Monday 7th May; Thursday 24th, Friday 25th and Monday 28th May
  - School will finish on Thursday 29th June at 12:15pm.
- School telephone number: 91814325



### Useful Websites

**Please feel free to contact Mr Barr or Mrs Bingham for more advice on how to support your child at home**