

Junior Infant Work

Please complete the below work **only** with your child over the coming weeks. There is no need to complete homework as well.

Literacy:

- “Oxford Reading Tree” books- read two books daily each week. 4 books in book bags. Ask your child to re-tell the story using their own words. Encourage your child to use time connectives- first, next, then, etc. Ask your child questions about the story to ensure comprehension.
- “My Sounds Booklet”- complete two pages daily.
- “Jolly Phonics Word Book”- instructions inside book cover.
- “Tricky Words” – 8 new tricky words included. **Teach** 4 words per week to your child. Look for tricky words in the environment and in books.
- Read a book from home daily to your child.

Numeracy:

- Practise the formation of number 4 saying the rhyme “ Down and across and down once more, now I’ve made the number 4”.
- With 4 items (pencils, pasta shapes, pots etc) ask your child to tell you all the ways of making 4. E.G 3 and 1 make 3, 2 and 2 make 4. This is called the Story of 4.
- Repeat the above with the number 3.
- **Teach** your child how to write the number 5 saying the rhyme “ Draw the back and the belly, then the hat. It’s a five! Watch out, it might come alive!”
- With 5 items, ask your child to tell you all the ways of making 5.
- “Busy at Maths”- pgs 23-28