**Week 3 school closure: Mon20th- 3rd April Junior Infants**

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| **English** | New Jollyphonics Sound for the week: **ai . The action is to cup your hand over your ear, if you are hard of hearing. Listen to this a few times during the week.**  **Heres a link to the song and picture on Youtube:** <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0sM4JVgym40>  Keep revising rhymes: Hey diddle diddle/Pat a cake/ 5 swinging monkeys  **Rhyme of the Week:**  ig. Help your child think of words that rhyme with “ig”.  Write 4 or more into their writing copy.  Listen to these story The Gingerbread Man . <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/stories/GingerbreadMan.aspx>  Have your child retell the story. What was your favourite part?  Draw a story map of what happened- this is just a picture of who he met first in the correct order. It helps a child to sequence the story.  Just handwriting: complete pg 15 g, pg 17qu  Sounds Like Phonics: pg 77. Read the sentences with your child and match.  Keep reading their readers. If your child has finisnhed their book, I will put up a link on our webpage to show you where you can access the next Rainbows reading book. |
| **Maths:** | **Complete the counting game** <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/learning-to-count/gingerbread-man-game>  Practise writing numbers 1-5. Complete Busy at Maths pg 86 and 87  Make sets of 10 with your lego/dolls/toy animals etc. When your child is counting them, make sure they put their finger on each one as they count.  Keep practising days of the week .  Extras: lots more games on websites : www.topmarks.co.uk |
| **Irish** | Look back at website during week for ideas on Irish lessons. |
| **The world around us** | Go on a spring walk around your garden. What signs of spring can you see.  Find a flower and name the parts of it : Stem/leaf/root/petal.  Easter: discuss with your child what things we do at Easter time. They can draw an easter picture if they like. There are more links to easter activities on the web page. |
| **PE** | Joe wicks-The body coach. Live on youtube 9am each morning for 30 minutes.  Rinka Irealnd- “Workout with Sandra “live on Rinka Ireland facebook page at 9am for 30 minutes |
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