

# St. Patrick's P.S., Eskra

Supporting your child's learning- Year 7  
June 2020 - Mrs. McCallan and Mrs. Barrett

Your child is learning:

- About the importance of **Friendship**.
- To revise the x2 to x12 multiplication and division tables.
- To describe the properties of regular and irregular 2-D shapes in terms of sides, angles, symmetry and tessellations.
- To describe the properties of 3-D shapes in terms of faces, edges and vertices.
- To apply his/her knowledge, understanding and skills to complete problem-solving challenges.
- To develop his/her comprehension and listening skills.
- To develop his/her spelling skills and to extend his/her range of vocabulary.
- To revise grammar rules taught this year.
- To apply accurate punctuation in written work.
- To write non-chronological reports.
- To improve handwriting and overall presentation of work.
- To develop research skills.
- To prepare for the Sacrament of Confirmation (Postponed).
- To make preparations for the transition from primary to secondary school.
- About the characteristics of a healthy lifestyle including personal development and healthy relationships.
- About the life and work of Raphael and Botticelli.
- Cross – Country, Gaelic and multi-sports skills.
- **To be creative.**

You can help by:

- Talking with your child about the importance of **Friendship**.
- Encouraging your child to refer to their Maths and English Pocket books, their Grammar Essentials Book and the Internet, when completing work.
- Checking your child's work for mistakes and assisting them with any corrections, if required.
- Asking your child questions about the book he/she is reading in relation to the story-line, characters, the meaning of difficult words, etc.
- Encouraging your child to use a dictionary to assist them with spelling and vocabulary work.
- Encouraging the highest standards of handwriting and presentation of work.
- Reciting x2 to x12 multiplication and division tables together.
- Helping your child to research using books, the Internet, NewsDesk, etc.
- Looking at the layout and language of non-chronological reports.
- Talking about personal safety at home.
- Encouraging your child to exercise regularly and to adopt a healthy lifestyle, including talking about their feelings.
- Praying together and helping your child to prepare for Confirmation (Postponed).
- **Encouraging your child to be creative through art and craft, physical exercise, ICT, etc.**

Suggested websites: [www.c2kschools.net](http://www.c2kschools.net) (NewsDesk)

[www.abcoaching.co.uk](http://www.abcoaching.co.uk)

[www.studyladder.com](http://www.studyladder.com)

[www.whiterosemaths.com](http://www.whiterosemaths.com)

[www.bbc.co.uk/teach](http://www.bbc.co.uk/teach)

[www.explorifywellcome.ac.uk](http://www.explorifywellcome.ac.uk)

Suggested Apps:

Math Bingo

Math Magic

7 – 11 KS2 Maths

Operation Maths

Super Speller

Flip-It App

**\*Please refer to the Home Learning section of our website for more websites and APPs.**