**NEWTOWNMOUNTKENNEDY PRIMARY SCHOOL**

**Curriculum Update: September/October 2020**

**A recommendation has come from parents as part of our School Self Evaluation 2012 for more Parent Teacher Communication re Curricular Programmes.**

**Class: \_\_\_6th \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Teacher: \_\_Mrs. Gillick\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

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| **Subject** | **Topics Covered** |
| **Maths** | revision of number: place value/fractions/addition/subtraction/riddles/puzzles/word problemsAddition/SubtractionAverages/Data |
| **English** | Daily Journal (gratitude, intentions, mini-wins, lessons learned)Reading & comprehensions Read aloud-The Refugeelibrary readingProcedural WritingCapital LettersSpellingsforme.ie online spelling programme: assessment/differentiation phasePoetry: Jack Prelutsky |
| **Gaeilge** | Mé FéinMo ChlannOiche ShamhnaAmhrán: An Maidrín Rua/Peigín Leitir MórCeisteanna PearsantaAn Aimsir Chaite/An Aimsir Láithreach |
| **Other** | **Geog**:Natural Features of Ireland**History**: History of Trees in Ireland**Science**: Autumnal changes, morning dew, tree & leave identification **Art**: Weaving, Drawing, Pastels in Nature, Tie Dye with Blackberries, ogham alphabet drawings A study of Bordalo II , a portugeuse artist, collage with wrappers, Haunted houses (silhouettes)**P.E.** Shuttle runs, timed circuits, relays, games, GAA with Jackie, yoga in the classroom, chair yoga, daily mile. Inclass soccer blitz.**Music**: Music Generation with Joan Bimbam Song & Body percussion**SPHE**: Covid restrictions, guidelines, and procedures (handwashing/sanitising/pods etc)Reflections on lockdown- my experienceWellbeing WallClass Code of behaviourA good classmate is/isn’t/does/saysCompliment CardsCyberBullying/Screen TimeGoals for 6th classPrivilege system to support steps/stamps**Religion**: New beginnings, meditation, St Patrick’s Breastplate, daily prayer, dreams , zoom assembly, **NURTURE**: groups with Mr. O Brien |
| **Croke Park Hours:****Teacher Inservice** | Morning SupervisionGoogle Classroom Inservice |
| **School Events/Activities** | GAAMusic Generation |