**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 problems  Addition/Subtraction  Averages/Data |
| **English** | Daily Journal (gratitude, intentions, mini-wins, lessons learned)  Reading & comprehensions  Read aloud-The Refugee  library reading  Procedural Writing  Capital Letters  Spellingsforme.ie online spelling programme: assessment/differentiation phase  Poetry: Jack Prelutsky |
| **Gaeilge** | Mé Féin  Mo Chlann  Oiche Shamhna  Amhrán: An Maidrín Rua/Peigín Leitir Mór  Ceisteanna Pearsanta  An 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 experience  Wellbeing Wall  Class Code of behaviour  A good classmate is/isn’t/does/says  Compliment Cards  CyberBullying/Screen Time  Goals for 6th class  Privilege 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 Supervision  Google Classroom Inservice |
| **School Events/Activities** | GAA  Music Generation |