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| ***Monday 7th December 2020*** | ***Tuesday 8th December 2020*** |
| No Homework  (the kids were fantastic while recording today!) | **Sound of the day: ‘ai’**  Trace the sound “ai” on the table and in the air with index finger while saying it. Think of words/objects that have ai in it (rain, tail, sail, snail)  <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XEwgpl4rSbE&list=PL4Lm2K-C_b0eSqQS4yHcQW3KaFIiDCFug&index=20&ab_channel=StJuliansPrimarySchool>  **Just Phonics:** p.40 (ai)  **Poem**: I made myself a Snowball    **Writing:**  Write 3 words that have “i” in the middle on a sheet of paper! Send it to me on SeeSaw ☺  [Image result for making snowballs clipart](https://www.google.ie/url?sa=i&rct=j&q=&esrc=s&source=images&cd=&cad=rja&uact=8&ved=0ahUKEwjlv5rKi9_XAhWnDsAKHQP8AicQjRwIBw&url=https://vectortoons.com/product/a-boy-making-a-big-snowball/&psig=AOvVaw1yCQQ_j4sEur-_jHxs_Uvl&ust=1511883634040902)  **Gaeilge:** Dia dhuit. Dia is Mhuire dhuit |
| ***Wednesday 9th December 2020*** | ***Thursday 10th December 2020*** |
| **Sound of the day: ‘j’**  Trace the sound “j” on the table and in the air with index finger while saying it. Think of words/objects that has j in it  <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XEwgpl4rSbE&list=PL4Lm2K-C_b0eSqQS4yHcQW3KaFIiDCFug&index=20&ab_channel=StJuliansPrimarySchool>  **Just Phonics:** p.31 (j)  **Poem**: I made myself a Snowball  **Gaeilge:** Dia dhuit. Dia is Mhuire dhuit  **Writing:**  Write 3 words that have a “m” in it on a sheet of paper! Send it to me on SeeSaw ☺ | **Sound of the day: ‘j’**  **Tip: Keep practising sounds and actions for each sound.**  **Sound Bag:** Revise all sounds done to date as well as sound bag activities  **Jolly Phonics Workbook:** p.21 (j) Sound out the words on the bottom right of page as well as writing    **Poem**: I made myself a Snowball  **Gaeilge:** Dia dhuit. Dia is Mhuire dhuit  **Writing:**  Write 3 words that have “j” in it  on a sheet of paper! Send it to me on SeeSaw ☺ |

Additional Notes:

* Keep up practicing the blending because we are doing loads of “reading” in class everyday practicing sounds and blending. You can even create made up words as long as it gets the kids sounding out and blending together (robot talk, roller coaster talk, fast talk).

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CWjWjqL4sdE&ab_channel=WordplayEnglishLanguageCenter>

* Please ask your child if they need new whiteboard markers as some have run out.
* In Aistear for the next 2 weeks we will be doing the Post Office.
* For sounds this week, let your child try and make up 3 CVC words. They can use their sound cards to make them and then write them on a page.
* In school we are practicing for our virtual Christmas concert (the excitement is real!). For costumes, children will be allowed to wear Christmas jumpers, Santa hats, antlers anything at all!! This is just early notice, so everyone has time to look for these items. I will give plenty of notice as to when we will need them.