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| ***Monday 12th October 2020*** | ***Tuesday 13th October 2020*** |
| **Sound of the day: ‘c’** (Song, action and formation)  Trace the sound “c” on the table and in the air with index finger while saying it. Think of words/objects that begin with this sound  <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3xPyZQ67mak&list=PL4Lm2K-C_b0eSqQS4yHcQW3KaFIiDCFug&index=7>  **Oral Language:** Days of the week/ months of the year/seasons (they can sing or say these). Talk about our theme of the month: Autumn  **Just Phonics:** p.14 (c)  **Poem**: Five Little Pumpkins  **Gaeilge:** “Róllaí Póllaí” | **Sound of the day: ‘k’**  Trace the sound “k” on the table and in the air with index finger while saying it. Think of words/objects that begin with this sound  **Sound:** Revise sounds **‘k’** **Song, action and formation**  <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3xPyZQ67mak&list=PL4Lm2K-C_b0eSqQS4yHcQW3KaFIiDCFug&index=7>  **Oral Language:** Days of the week/ months of the year/seasons (they can sing or say these). Talk about our theme of the month: Autumn  **Just Phonics:** p.15 (k)  **Poem**: Five Little Pumpkins  **Gaeilge:** “Róllaí Póllaí” |
| ***Wednesday 14th October 2020*** | ***Thursday 15th October 2020*** |
| **New Sound of the day: ‘e’**  **Sound Copy** – go over **all** sounds. **This is so, so important**  <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kb2YX6xW7s0&list=PL4Lm2K-C_b0eSqQS4yHcQW3KaFIiDCFug&index=8>  **Just Phonics:** p.17 (e)  **Maths:** sheet  **Oral Language:** Days of the week/ months of the year/seasons (they can sing or say these). Talk about our theme of the month: Autumn  **Poem**: Five Little Pumpkins  **Gaeilge:** “Lámh, Lámh eile” | **Sound Copy** – go over all sounds (s,a,t, i, p, n, c, k, e)  Think of words that begin with all of these sounds  **Tip: Keep practising sounds and actions for each sound.**  **Oral Language:** Days of the week/ months of the year/seasons (they can sing or say these). Talk about our theme of the month: Autumn  **Maths:** sheet  **Poem**: Five Little Pumpkins  **Just Phonics:** p.13 (revision of satipn)  **Gaeilge:** “Lámh, Lámh eile” |

Additional Notes:

* There has been a massive improvement in the whole class when putting on their own coats. Continue to have your child practice putting their own coats on before school as a way of practicing. This video might help <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5J7Slnawmm0&ab_channel=allmomdoes>
* Well done to all the children last week doing all their homework. Thank you all so much also for uploading everything to SeeSaw. There has been a massive improvement in pencil grip. Keep watching it and eventually it’ll just come naturally to them.
* In Aistear this week, we are continuing to learn about Halloween. From costumes to old traditions like apple bobbing which a lot of them may never have even heard of before. Maybe have a chat with them about what Halloween was like for you when you were younger.
* If you would like to see some of the things we are doing in school at the moment, click on to our Facebook page and Instagram page. Both are just called “Ballinagar NS”.
* Over the next few weeks, we will be doing a lot of painting in art (wish us luck!) so please make sure your child has an old top for painting brought in. Again thank you all for your continued support with homework and everything in between! ☺