

St. Patrick's P.S., Eskra

Supporting your child's learning- Year 7

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Your child is learning:

- About the importance of **Forgiveness**.
- To revise the x2 to x12 multiplication and division tables.
- To round decimal numbers to the nearest whole number.
- To convert from one metric unit to another.
- To estimate and measure length, perimeter, area and volume.
- To understand and use scale in the context of simple maps and drawings.
- 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 apply accurate punctuation in written work.
- To write instructions.
- To write character descriptions (story/composition writing).
- To improve handwriting and overall presentation of work.
- To develop research skills.
- To recall the story of the Prodigal Son and to recite the Confiteor.
- About traditions associated with Shrove/Pancake Tuesday.
- About St. Valentine and the true meaning of Ash Wednesday and Lent.
- Smart tips and rules for using the Internet safely.
- About the importance of personal safety and good mental health.
- To prepare art and/or poem entries for Feis Thir Eoghan.
- To prepare for the Sacrament of Confirmation.
- French numbers and colours.
- About ships and shipwrecks, including the Titanic.
- Tag Rugby, swimming and multi-sports skills.
- **To self-manage.**

You can help by:

- Helping your child with his/her homework.
- Revising number and language facts each night from your child's Tables And Grammar Rules folder.
- Reciting the x2 to x12 multiplication and division tables together.
- Reading with your child.
- Talking with your child about the importance of showing forgiveness.
- Praying together and attending Mass together.
- Looking at the layout and language of instructions.
- Encouraging your child to exercise regularly.
- Helping your child to research using books, the Internet and CdRoms.
- **Encouraging your child to manage his/her own belongings, tidy his/her room, etc.**

Suggested websites: www.mathsisfun.com www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/ks2 www.primarygames.com

www.teachingtimestables.co.uk www.titanicbelfast.com

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Suggested Apps: [Math Bingo](#), [Math Magic](#), [Mathboard](#), [Mathsmagic](#), [Super Speller](#)