

# St. Patrick's P.S., Eskra.

Supporting your child's learning- **Year 7**  
**September 2018- Mrs. McCallan and Mrs. Barrett**

Your child is learning:

- About the importance of showing **kindness** to others.
- Language associated with addition, subtraction, multiplication and division.
- To revise x 2, x 5 and x10 multiplication and division tables.
- To make equivalent fractions.
- To add and subtract fractions with different denominators.
- To simplify fractions.
- To collect, organize, record and represent data.
- To design and use a data collection sheet.
- To construct, label and interpret a range of graphs, tables, diagrams, spreadsheets and databases.
- To understand, calculate and use mean, mode, median and range.
- To apply his/her knowledge, understanding and skills to solve problems.
- To develop his/her listening and comprehension skills.
- To develop his/her spelling skills and to extend his/her range of vocabulary.
- To use capital letters, question marks, exclamation marks, commas and apostrophes appropriately.
- To revise compound words and plural nouns.
- To use a range of digital sources to research information.
- About the life and work of Roald Dahl.
- How to write recipes.
- How to use the Sacred Space in our classroom and school foyer.
- To make preparations for our Beginning Of Year Mass and the Sacrament of Confirmation.
- To devise class rules and to revise corridor, playground and lunch-time rules.
- About the geography and culture of France.
- About the life and works of the famous artists, Pablo Picasso and Paul Cézanne.
- About how seasonal change affects living things during autumn.
- About life in Victorian times.
- To prepare lines, songs and dance routines for the Christmas Performance of Oliver Twist.
- Gaelic football, dance and cross-country skills.
- About the different roles within a group and how **to work with others**.

You can help by:

- Assisting your child with his/her homework.
- Revising number and language facts each night from your child's Tables And Grammar Rules book.
- Helping your child to learn words and their meanings from their Dictionary Book.
- Reciting x 2, x 5 and x10 multiplication and division tables together.
- Talking with your child about the importance of showing **kindness**.
- Praying together and helping your child prepare for our Beginning of Year Mass and for the Sacrament Of Confirmation.
- Talking to your child about the importance of demonstrating positive behaviour.
- Helping your child to research using books, the Internet, NewsDesk, etc.
- Discussing the various roles when working in a group such as scribe, reporter, etc., and the importance of listening to others and taking turns.

Suggested websites: [www.c2kschools.net](http://www.c2kschools.net) (NewsDesk)

[www.mathsisfun.com](http://www.mathsisfun.com)

[www.roaldahl.com](http://www.roaldahl.com)

[www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/ks2](http://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/ks2)

Suggested Apps: [Math Bingo](#),  
[Math Magic](#),  
[7 – 11 KS2 Maths](#),  
[Operation Maths](#),  
[Super Speller](#)