

RTÉ Home School Hub Lesson Plan for 5th May to 8th May 2020

Tuesday 5th May	Class 1-2 Subject (Topic) English (Similes)	Class 3-4 Subject (Topic) Visual Art (Dream Catcher)	Class 5-6 Subject (Topic) Geography (The Sun)
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1-2 = Today we are going to explore how poets communicate with us in their writing through using comparisons or similes. Múinteoir Ray sings us a beautiful song to illustrate the lesson.

3-4 = Today we are going to learn about how the Native Americans used dreamcatchers. We will also build our own dreamcatcher.

5-6 = Today Múinteoir Cliona teaches us about how the sun effects our seasons and what it means for us.

Wednesday 6th May	Class 1-2 Subject (Topic) Science (Designing and Making)	Class 3-4 Subject (Topic) Gaeilge (Teilifís)	Class 5-6 Subject (Topic) History (Myths)
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1-2 = Today we learn how design and engineering is all about ideas. We design and build our own crisp protector!

3-4 = Today we will learn all about Teilifís with Múinteoir John.

5-6 = Today Múinteoir Clíona will to be reading a mythological story and teaching us all about myth and folklore.

Thursday 7th May	Class 1-2 Subject (Topic) Physical Education (Games)	Class 3-4 Subject (Topic) English (Procedural Writing)	Class 5-6 Subject (Topic) Mathematics (Time and Speed)
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1-2 = Today Múinteoir Ray will be teaching us all about coordination by getting us moving with some indoor ball skills, drumming and even making our own hip-hop beatbox!

3-4 = Today we will learn how we use procedural writing to complete specific tasks such as recipes, directions and science experiments.

5-6 = Today we will explore the relationship between time, distance and average speed and how we can use maths to help us with these every day.

Friday 8th May	Class 1-2 Subject (Topic) Music (Listening and Responding)	Class 3-4 Subject (Topic) Geography (Counties of Ireland: Connacht)	Class 5-6 Subject (Topic) English (Parsing)
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1-2 = Today we will learn that historically music, songs and rhymes were an important way for children to play. Today we are going to listen to some traditional songs, and we are all going to sing along together!

3-4 = Today we will learn all about the counties in Connacht

5-6 = Today we will learn all about nouns, verbs, adjectives, adverbs and articles. And Múinteoir Clíona will to show you how to practise a new skill called parsing.

RTÉ Home School Hub Notes:

1. RTÉ Home School Hub is on RTÉ2 Monday to Friday at 11AM.
2. RTÉ Home School Hub Extra is on RTÉ2 Monday to Friday at 12:00PM and at 4:10PM
3. RTÉ Home School Hub is also available with ISL on RTÉ 2 Monday to Friday at 1pm and is also available on RTÉ Player.
4. The class groups are divided as follows:
 - **1st - 2nd Class** – Múinteoir Ray
 - **3rd - 4th Class** – Múinteoir John
 - **5th - 6th Class** – Múinteoir Clíona
5. Additional bespoke activity sheets are available for each episode of RTÉ Home School Hub. These are available for each class group and can be downloaded in both Irish & English where appropriate at <https://www.rte.ie/learn/>
6. All episodes of RTÉ Home School Hub and RTÉ Home School Hub Extra are available to watch as catchup on RTÉ Player at <https://www.rte.ie/player/>
7. Tailored audio content is available based around the daily lesson themes on the RTÉ Home School Hub Podcast which is available at <https://www.rte.ie/radio/radioplayer/html5/#/podcasts/series/31814>
8. A weekly 'Big Kids Quiz' is also available each Friday for 1st-3rd class & 4th-6th class groups on the RTÉ Home School Hub Podcast at <https://www.rte.ie/radio/radioplayer/html5/#/podcasts/series/31814>
9. RTÉ will also add additional educational based content on <https://www.rte.ie/learn/> with existing collaborations with institutions such as IMMA, Fighting Words, Microsoft DreamSpace, Irish National Heritage Park, Science Foundation Ireland, UCD Insights Lab, Blackrock castle Observatory for example. Other collaborations will be curated and added weekly to the 3 individual RTÉ Home School Hub class sections.

We would ask that any social media activity related to the RTÉ Home School Hub is tagged with **#RTEHomeSchool**

Please note that this is the provisional broadcast schedule for this week and it may be subject to alteration.