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Language and Literacy	SESE	Mathematics and Numeracy
<ul> <li>Researching relevant information for projects.</li> <li>Presenting projects to their classmates and others classes/teachers.</li> <li>Beginning Class Novel "The Wreck of the Zanzibar".         <ul> <li>Prediction exercises based on the cover.</li> <li>Developing a character profile for narrator.</li> <li>Various written activities based on characters from the novel (diary entries, letter writing etc)</li> </ul> </li> <li>Free writing 3 times per week.</li> <li>Dictation sentences 3 times per week. Working through Fry's list 3 to assess spelling</li> </ul>	Geog:      Homes – What types of homes are there?     Homes from around the world.     Comparing and contrasting between homes from different climates.  Sci:     Hedgerows habitat     Badgers     What materials are our home built from? Why?  History     Homes from the past – How have they changed? What is still the same?	<ul> <li>Identifying maths around the home.</li> <li>Place Value         <ul> <li>Thousands, hundreds, tens, units.</li> <li>Recognise and convert.</li> <li>Rounding to nearest thousand, hundred, or ten.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Recognising, completing and creating number patterns.</li> <li>Practicing estimating strategies using real-life examples. How much will the shopping be? How much will the petrol cost? How long will it takeetc.</li> <li>Revision of times tables. Each week a new focus (6, 7, 8, 9)</li> <li>Children completing word problem in pairs each morning (Brainsnack CD – On Drive)</li> </ul>
informally.	TUENAE	The Auto
Physical Education:     Beginning the Athletics Strand.	THEME	The Arts Visual Arts Music Drama
<ul> <li>Walking, running and jogging around the yards in a non-competitive setting.</li> <li>Practicing the relay handover adhering to rules.</li> <li>Practising the standing jump with and without approach run.</li> <li>Measure and compare both jumps above to see which is longer.</li> <li>Following PSSI lessons for Athletics strand 3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> <a href="http://pssi.pdst.ie/pdf/ath/ath/clipdf">http://pssi.pdst.ie/pdf/ath/ath/clipdf</a></li> <li>http://pssi.pdst.ie/pdf/ath/ath/clipdf</li> <li>http://pssi.pdst.ie/pdf/ath/ath/clipdf</li> <li>http://pssi.pdst.ie/pdf/ath/ath/clipdf</li> <li>http://pssi.pdst.ie/pdf/ath/ath/clipdf</li> <li>http://pssi.pdst.ie/pdf/ath/ath/clipdf</li> </ul>	Homes  All content not related to overall theme/project will be italicised.	<ul> <li>Arts:</li> <li>Designing home from the future.</li> <li>Building piece of new technology from a futuristic home (junk art)</li> <li>Artistic reflections during music study.</li> <li>Music</li> <li>Study of Disney's Fantasia.</li> <li>The Sorcerer's Apprentice – Children creating comic strip based on the music. Discussing the story and feelings coming through in the music.</li> <li>Rite of Spring – Children create one large piece of art (can be abstract/realism) based on what they imagine when listening to the piece.</li> <li>Recognising the instruments from the orchestra playing music. Identify sound and label high/low tone instruments.</li> </ul> Drama



Class: 4th Class **PETNS Monthly Template** Teacher: Eoin & Sarah Month: September • Creating still-images of home-life in the past. (integrated with History) Gaeilge **Learn Together SPHE** Sa Bhaile/ Me Féin Dia duit/daoibh. Me at Home What does democracy mean? Dia's Muire duit/daoibh Feidhmeanna Teanga What do I contribute at home? How does the government of Ireland work? Who Conas atá tú? Tá mé go Cé mhéad duine atá sa What does my family contribute at can vote, how do we vote? maith. theaglach? Is cúpla sinn. home? Who are the main political parties, what do they Tá...i mo theaglach Is mise ... stand for and who are their leaders? (Involving IND Tá mé/sé/sí ... d'aois gruaig...ort/ort/air/uir **Healthy Habits of Mind** research) thi What is our mental health? Taking part in class elections for Student Council, Briathar - Cheannaigh, Ith, Τá What can we start doing in this new Green Schools, and Forest Schools (running súile...agam/agat/aige/ Chuaigh aici Na paistí ag scríobh gach school year to help look after our mental campaign, making speech etc.) Tá mé i mo chónaí... maidin – an lá, an dáta agus health? Táimid inár gcónai... an aimsir ar dtús. Gach Creating classroom contract to display on Tá siad ina gcónaí... seachtaine ag cur isteach wall. Revising whole school rules. briathar nua nuair atá sé mhúineadh. Paistí ag éist le comhráite,

agus ag déanamh comhráite ag baint le Béal Beo 4.