





For Multi-Grade Classes

Up to and including Second Class/P4

Teaching Schemes

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Introduction

Grow in Love is based on the Catholic Preschool and Primary Religious Education Curriculum for Ireland (2015). This curriculum was approved by the Irish Episcopal Conference and was granted the Decree of Recognitio by the Holy See in 2015. While the Grow in Love series has been designed for use with the single class, many teachers are required to teach in a multiclass situation. This publication seeks to assist such teachers. It is a practical manual consisting of six teaching schemes designed to cover all possible multiclass situations between Junior Infants/P1 and Second Class/P4, in both the Republic of Ireland and Northern Ireland.

The complete *Grow in Love* series consists of eight separate programmes, one corresponding to each of the eight classes in the primary schools of the Republic of Ireland, and to each of the seven classes in the primary schools of Northern Ireland. This publication seeks to integrate materials from a number of programmes from Junior Infants/P1 to Second Class/P4 in order to facilitate the teacher in a multiclass situation and to present the combination in the format of a teaching scheme.

The six schemes in this manual cover all the possible splits in this part of the school:

Two-way split

Scheme 1: Junior Infants/Primary 1 and Senior Infants/Primary 2 Scheme 2: Senior Infants/Primary 2 and First Class/Primary 3 Scheme 3: First Class/Primary 2 and Second Class/Primary 4

Three-way split

Scheme 4: Junior Infants/Primary 1, Senior Infants/Primary 2 and First Class/Primary 3 Scheme 5: Senior Infants/Primary 2, First Class/Primary 3 and Second Class/Primary 4

Four-way split

Scheme 6: Junior Infants/Primary 1, Senior Infants/Primary 2, First Class/Primary 3 and Second Class/Primary 4.

One of the consequences of combining programmes is that the original sequencing of lessons is altered. Inevitably, this leads to a shift of focus in the theme(s) within a particular year. A new sequence of lessons has been outlined for each term of each year in all of the above combinations. To ensure a level of continuity in the development of the new sequencing, care has been taken to group together lessons with similar or equivalent themes.

Where it was felt that certain lessons were 'core' to the overall thrust of a particular year's work, these lessons were repeated in subsequent years. This repetition is most likely to be found in the lessons relating to sacramental preparation.

In these schemes, 'GIL' means *Grow in Love*, 'T' means term, 'L' means lesson and 'SL' means Seasonal Lesson. Much more detailed information on content, pedagogical approach and doctrine, and teaching and learning strategies, is given in the teacher's manual for each year.

Junior Infants/Primary 1 and Senior Infants/Primary 2

Cycle

Two-year cycle

Core Resources

- Grow in Love Teacher's Kit for Junior Infants/Primary 1
- Grow in Love Teacher's Kit for Senior Infants/Primary 2

Points to be noted

- It is possible to teach this straightforward split class by teaching *Grow in Love* for Junior Infants/P1 during the first year and then *Grow in Love* for Senior Infants during the second year. Alternatively, such a split class could be taught the two-year cycle of *Grow in Love* for Junior Infants/P1 and *Grow In Love* for Senior Infants/P2 using the following scheme, which mixes both programmes.
- There is a choice of lesson offered in Year Two, Term 1, Lesson 8.

Prayers to be revised

None

New prayers to be taught

- Sign of the Cross
- Glory be to the Father
- Morning Prayer
- Night Prayer
- Grace before Meals
- Grace after Meals
- Prayer to Guardian Angel
- Our Father
- Hail Mary

Using JI/P1 and SI/P2

Using JI/P1 and SI/P2

TERM 1		TERM 1	
1. God is with us	SI/P2T1L1	1. I have a name	JI/P1T1L1
2. God created our world	SI/P2T1L2	2. I have a family	JI/P1T1L2
3. Thank you, God, for our world	SI/P2T1L3	3. I can share love with my family	JI/P1T1L3
4. God asks us to care for the world	SI/P2T1L4	4. We are all in one family	JI/P1T1L4
5. Autumn: September or October (SL)	JI/P1 SL1	5. God created the world	JI/P1T2L1
6. I belong in my family	SI/P2T2L1	6. God created us we are special!	JI/P1T2L2
7. My family belongs in a community	SI/P2T2L2	7. We can care for the world	JI/P1T2L3
8. We all belong in one human family	SI/P2T2L3	8. We remember (November) SI/P2 SL1	or JI/P1 SL2
9. We can pray to God	SI/P2T2L4	9. Advent light	SI/P2T3L1
10. God gives us good news!	JI/P1T3L1	10. Mary says 'yes'!	SI/P2T3L2
11. We get ready to welcome Jesus	JI/P1T3L2	11. Jesus is born	SI/P2T3L3
12. The good news: Jesus is born!	JI/P1T3L3	12. Gifts for the baby	SI/P2T3L4
13. Visitors to the stable	JI/P1T3L4		
TERM 2		TERM 2	
1. Simeon and Anna meet Jesus	SI/P2T4L1	1. The Holy Family lived in Nazareth	JI/P1T4L1
2. Jesus grew up in Nazareth	SI/P2T4L2	2. The Holy Family visited Jerusalem	JI/P1T4L2
3. Lent (Ash Wednesday)	JI/P1 SL4	3. Lent (Ash Wednesday)	SI/P2 SL2
4. St Brigid	SI/P2T5L1	4. We listen to stories	SI/P2T6L1
5. God cares for us in spring	SI/P2T5L2	5. Jesus feeds the people	SI/P2T6L2
6. Jesus and the children	JI/P1T5L1	6. Jesus calms the storm	SI/P2T6L3
7. Jesus is the Good Shepherd	JI/P1T5L2	7. Jesus heals the man who was blind	SI/P2T6L4
8. The Last Supper	SI/P2T7L1	8. St Patrick (17 March)	JI/P1 SL3
9. Jesus dies on the cross	SI/P2T7L2	9. The Last Supper	JI/P1T6L1
10. Jesus is alive!	SI/P2T7L3	10. Jesus dies on the cross	JI/P1T6L2
		11. An Easter surprise	JI/P1T6L3
TERM 3		TERM 3	
1. Places to pray	JI/P1T7L1	1. A place to gather	SI/P2T8L1
2. The church – a special place to pray	JI/P1T7L2	2. A place of prayer	SI/P2T8L2
3. Water is wonderful!	JI/P1T8L1	3. Thank you, God, for food	JI/P1T9L1
4. Welcomed with water	JI/P1T8L2	4. At Mass we give thanks	JI/P1T9L2
5. A baby's Baptism	SI/P2T9L1	5. Mary (May)	SI/P2 SL3
6. John baptises the people	SI/P2T9L2	6. Jesus teaches us	JI/P1T5L3
7. Mary (May)	JI/P1 SL5	7. We can live as Jesus taught us	JI/P1T5L4
8. We can grow in love	SI/P2T10L1	8. Summer (June)	JI/P1 SL6
9. We continue to grow in love	SI/P2T10L2	9. Grow in Love! (Last week of school)	JI/P1 SL7

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Senior Infants/Primary 2 and First Class/Primary 3

Cycle

Two-year cycle

Core Resources

- Grow in Love Teacher's Kit for Senior Infants/Primary 2
- Grow in Love Teacher's Kit for First Class/Primary 3

Points to be noted

• In most instances it is possible to teach this straightforward split class by teaching *Grow in Love* for First Class/P3 during the first year and then *Grow in Love* for Senior Infants/P2 during the second year. Alternatively, such a split class could be taught the two-year cycle of *Grow in Love* for Senior Infants/P2 and *Grow in Love* for First Class/P3 using the following scheme, which mixes both programmes.

Prayers to be revised

- Sign of the Cross
- Glory be to the Father
- Morning Prayer
- · Night Prayer
- Grace before Meals
- Grace after Meals
- Prayer to Guardian Angel
- Our Father
- Hail Marv

New prayers to be taught

- Some Mass responses
- Praying a decade of the *Rosary*
- Prayer before Communion
- Prayer after Communion
- Act of Sorrow
- Prayer to the Holy Spirit
- Journey Prayer

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YFAR ONE	

Using SI/P2 and First Class/P3

Using SI/P2 and First Class/P3

TERM 1		TERM 1
1. We belong together	First/P3 T1L1	1. I belong in my family SI/P2T2L1
2. We belong to the Church	First/P3 T1L2	2. My family belongs in a community SI/P2T2L2
3. God loves us	First/P3 T1L3	3. We all belong in one human family SI/P2T2L3
4. God is with us	SI/P2T1L1	4. We can pray to God SI/P2T2L4
5. God created our world	SI/P2T1L2	5. Jesus First/P3T2L1
6. Thank you, God, for our world	SI/P2T1L3	6. Jesus had many friends First/P3T2L2
7. God asks us to care for our world	SI/P2T1L4	7. Jesus healed people First/P3T2L3
8. The Rosary (October)	First/P3 SL1	8. Jesus taught his friends how to live First/P3T2L4
9. Celebrating the Saints (1 Novemb	er) First/P3 SL2	9. At Mass, Jesus' friends gather
10. Advent light	SI/P2T3L1	together First/P3T2L5
11. Mary says 'yes'!	SI/P2T3L2	10. We remember (November) SI/P2 SL1
12. Jesus is born	SI/P2T3L3	11. Waiting for the light First/P3T3L1
13. Gifts for the baby	SI/P2T3L4	12. Jesus is the light First/P3T3L2
		13. The waiting is over First/P3T3L3
TERM 2		TERM 2
1. All who heard him were amazed	First/P3 T4L1	1. We can lose our way First/P3T5L1
2. We listen to the Gospel at Mass	First/P3T4L2	2. The lost sheep First/P3T5L2
3. Lent (Ash Wednesday)	First/P3 SL3	3. We celebrate God's forgiveness
4. Simeon and Anna meet Jesus	SI/P2T4L1	in the Sacrament of Reconciliation First/P3T5L3
5. Jesus grew up in Nazareth	SI/P2T4L2	4. Lent (Ash Wednesday) SI/P2 SL2
6. We listen to stories	SI/P2T6L1	5. St Brigid SI/P2T5L1
7. Jesus feeds the people	SI/P2T6L2	6. God cares for us in spring SI/P2T5L2
8. Jesus calms the storm	SI/P2T6L3	7. St Patrick (17 March) First/P3 SL4
9. Jesus heals the man who was bline	d SI/P2T6L4	8. The Last Supper SI/P2 T7L1
10. Jesus in Jerusalem	First/P3 T7L1	9. Jesus dies on the cross SI/P2T7L2
11. Jesus is risen!	First/P3T7L2	10. Jesus is alive! SI/P2T7L3
TERM 3	F: ./D2.T01.4	TERM 3
1. 'I am with you always'	First/P3 T8L1	1. We offer gifts First/P3 T6L1
2. 'I will send a helper'	First/P3 T8L2	2. 'Do this in memory of me' First/P3T6L2
3. 'Go and share the Good News'	First/P3 T8L3	3. We are nourished by receiving Holy Communion First/P3 T6L3
4. A place to gather	SI/P2T8L1	4. A baby's Baptism SI/P2 T9L1
5. A place of prayer	SI/P2T8L2	5. John baptises the people SI/P2 T9L2
6. Mary (May)	SI/P2 SL3	6. God made the world First/P3 T9L1
7. Inter-Religious education lesson	First/P3 SL5	7. God made us we are special First/P3 T9L2
8. Living in love	First/P3 T10L1	8. We can <i>grow in love</i> SI/P2T10L1
9. Growing in love	First/P3T10L2	9. We continue to <i>grow in love</i> SI/P2T10L2

Scheme 2

First Class/Primary 2 and Second Class/Primary 4

Cycle

Two-year cycle

Core Resources

- Grow in Love Teacher's Kit for First Class/Primary 3
- Grow in Love Teacher's Kit for Second Class/Primary 4

Points to be noted

• In most instances it is possible to teach this straightforward split class by teaching *Grow in Love* for Second Class during the first year and then *Grow in Love* for First Class during the second year. Alternatively, such a split class could be taught the two-year cycle of *Grow in Love* (First/P3) and *Grow in Love* (Second/P4) using the following scheme, which mixes both programmes.

Prayers to be revised

- Sign of the Cross
- Glory be to the Father
- Morning Prayer
- · Night Prayer
- Grace before Meals
- Grace after Meals
- Our Father
- Hail Mary
- Some Mass responses
- Praying a decade of the *Rosary*
- Prayer before Communion
- Prayer after Communion
- Act of Sorrow
- Sanctus (Holy, Holy)

New prayers to be taught

- Confiteor
- More Mass Responses
- Agnus Dei (Lamb of God)
- The *Rosary* (Joyful Mysteries)

YEAR ONE

Using First/P3 and Second Class/P4

Using First/P3 and Second Class/P4

TERM 1

1.	Our class – a circle of friends	Sec	cond/P4	Γ1L1
2.	Jesus chose followers	Sec	cond/P4	Γ1L2
3.	We are Jesus' followers	Sec	cond/P4	Γ1L3
4.	The Rosary (October)		First/P3	SL1
5.	Jesus		First/P3	Γ2L1
6.	Jesus had many friends		First/P3	Γ2L2
7.	Jesus healed people		First/P3	Γ2L3
8.	Jesus taught his friends how to live	е	First/P3	Γ2L4
9.	At Mass, Jesus' friends gather			
	together		First/P3	Γ2L5
10.	Celebrating the saints (1 November	er)	First/P3	SL2
11.	Prepare the way of the Lord	Sec	cond/P4	Γ3L1
12.	Messengers of God	Sec	cond/P4	Г3L2
13.	The birth of Jesus	Sec	cond/P4	ГЗLЗ

TERM 2

1.	All who heard him were amazed	First/P3T4L1
2.	We listen to the Gospel at Mass	First/P3T4L2
3.	St Brigid (1 February)	Second/P4 SL4
4.	Lent (Ash Wednesday)	Second/P4 SL3
5.	Choices	Second/P4T5L1
6.	Zacchaeus made bad choices	Second/P4T5L2
7.	We can be forgiven	Second/P4T5L3
8.	We offer gifts	First/P3 T6L1
9.	'Do this in memory of me'	First/P3T6L2
10.	We are nourished by receiving	
	Holy Communion	First/P3 T6L3
11.	The death of Jesus	Second/P4T7L1

TERM 1

YEAR TWO

1.	We belong together	First/P3T1L1
2.	We belong to the Church	First/P3T1L2
3.	God loves us	First/P3T1L3
4.	The Rosary (October)	Second/P4 SL1
5.	Jesus: healer, helper, friend	Second/P4T2L1
6.	Jesus heals Simon Peter's mother-in-law	Second/P4T2L2
7.	Jesus heals Jairus' daughter	Second/P4T2L3
8.	Jesus gives his followers the Law of Love	Second/P4T2L4
9.	At Mass, Jesus' followers gather together	Second/P4T2L5
10	. Celebrating the Saints (1 November)	Second/P4 SL2
11	. Waiting for the light	First/P3T3L1
12	. Jesus is the light	First/P3 T3L2
13	. The waiting is over	First/P3T3L3

TERM 2

TEF	RM 2	
1.	Nothing is impossible with God	Second/P4T4L1
2.	At Mass we listen	Second/P4T4L2
3.	We can lose our way	First/P3T5L1
4.	The lost sheep	First/P3 T5L2
5.	We celebrate God's forgiveness in the Sacrament of Reconciliation	n First/P3T5L3
6.	Lent (Ash Wednesday)	First/P3 SL3
7.	'Do this in memory of me'	Second/P4T6L1
8.	At Mass, we thank God	Second/P4T6L2
9.	At Mass, we receive Holy Communion	Second/P4T6L3
10.	Jesus in Jerusalem	First/P3 T7L1
11.	Jesus is risen!	First/P3 T7L2

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YEAR ONE

YEAR TWO

Using First/P3 and Second Class/P4

Using First/P3 and Second Class/P4

TERM 3

1.	The Resurrection	Second/P4T7L2
2.	'I am with you always'	First/P3 T8L1
3.	'I will send a helper'	First/P3 T8L2
4.	'Go and share the Good News'	First/P3 T8L3
5.	Inter-religious education lesson	Second/P4 SL5
6.	God created us	Second/P4T9L1
7.	God wants us to be happy	Second/P4T9L2
8.	Living in love	First/P3T10L1
9.	Growing in love	First/P3 T10L2

TERM 3

1.	'I am with you always'	Second/P4T8L1
2.	'I will send a helper'	Second/P4T8L2
3.	'Go and share the Good News'	Second/P4T8L3
4.	Inter-religious education lesson	First/P3 SL5
5.	St Patrick (17 March)	First/P3 SL4
6.	God made the world	First/P3T9L1
7.	God made us we are special	First/P3 T9L2
8.	'As I have loved you'	Second/P4T10L1
9.	Growing in love	Second/P4T10L2

Junior Infants/Primary 1, Senior Infants/Primary 2 and First Class/Primary 3

Cycle

Three-year cycle

Core Resources

- Grow in Love Teacher's Kit for Junior Infants/Primary 1
- Grow in Love Teacher's Kit for Senior Infants/Primary 2
- Grow in Love Teacher's Kit for First Class/Primary 3

New prayers to be taught

- · Sign of the Cross
- Glory be to the Father
- Morning Prayer
- Night Prayer
- Grace before Meals
- Grace after Meals
- Prayer to Guardian Angel
- Our Father
- Hail Mary
- Some Mass responses
- Praying a decade of the Rosary
- Prayer before Communion
- Prayer after Communion
- Act of Sorrow
- Prayer to the Holy Spirit
- Journey Prayer

Scheme 4 13

Using JI/P1, SI/P2 and First Class/P3

Using JI/P1, SI/P2 and First Class/P3

TERM 1		TERM 1
We belong together	First/P3 T1L1	1. God is with us SI/P2T1L1
We belong to the Church	First/P3T1L2	2. God created our world SI/P2T1L2
3. God loves us	First/P3 T1L3	3. Thank you, God, for our world SI/P2T1L3
4. God created the world	JI/P1T2L1	4. God asks us to care for the world SI/P2T1L4
5. God created us we are special!	JI/P1T2L2	5. I have a name JI/P1T1L1
6. We can care for the world	JI/P1 T2L3	6. I have a family JI/P1T1L2
7. The Rosary (October)	First/P3 SL1	7. I can share love with my family JI/P1T1L3
Autumn (September or October)	JI/P1 SL1	8. We are all in one family JI/P1T1L4
9. We remember (November)	SI/P2 SL1	9. Celebrating the saints (1 November) First/P3 SL2
10. Advent light	SI/P2T3L1	10. In November, we remember (November) JI/P1 SL2
11. Mary says 'yes'!	SI/P2T3L2	11. Waiting for the light First/P3 T3L1
12. Jesus is born	SI/P2T3L3	12. Jesus is the light First/P3T3L2
13. Gifts for the baby	SI/P2T3L4	13. The waiting is over First/P3T3L3
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TERM 2		TERM 2
Simeon and Anna meet Jesus	SI/P2T4L1	1. The Holy Family lived in Nazareth JI/P1T4L1
2. Jesus grew up in Nazareth	SI/P2T4L2	2. The Holy Family visited Jerusalem JI/P1T4L2
All who heard him were amazed	First/P3T4L1	3. Jesus First/P3T2L1
4. We listen to the Gospel at Mass	First/P3 T4L2	4. Jesus had many friends First/P3T2L2
5. Lent (Ash Wednesday)	SI/P2 SL2	5. Lent (Ash Wednesday) First/P3 SL3
6. Jesus and the children	JI/P1T5L1	6. Jesus healed people First/P3T2L3
7. Jesus is the Good Shepherd	JI/P1T5L2	7. Jesus taught his friends how to live First/P3T2L4
8. Jesus teaches us	JI/P1T5L3	8. At Mass, Jesus' friends
9. We can live as Jesus taught us	JI/P1T5L4	gather together First/P3 T2L5
10. The Last Supper	SI/P2T7L1	9. St Patrick (17 March) JI/P1 SL3
11. Jesus dies on the cross	SI/P2T7L2	10. Jesus in Jerusalem First/P3T7L1
12. Jesus is alive!	SI/P2T7L3	11. Jesus is risen! First/P3 T7L2
TERM 3		TERM 3
1. Places to pray	JI/P1T7L1	1. We listen to stories SI/P2T6L1
2. The church – a special place to pray	JI/P1T7L2	2. Jesus feeds the people SI/P2T6L2
3. A baby's Baptism	SI/P2T9L1	3. Jesus calms the storm SI/P2T6L3
4. John baptises the people	SI/P2T9L2	4. Jesus heals the man who was blind SI/P2T6L4
5. 'I am with you always'	First/P3 T8L1	5. Mary (May) JI/P1 SL5
6. 'I will send a helper'	First/P3 T8L2	6. God made the world First/P3T9L1
7. 'Go and share the Good News'	First/P3 T8L3	7. God made us we are special First/P3 T9L2
8. We can grow in love	SI/P2T10L1	8. Living in love First/P3T10L1
9. We continue to grow in love	SI/P2T10L2	9. Growing in love First/P3 T10L2

YEAR THREE

Using JI/P1, SI/P2 and First Class/P3

TE	RM 1	
1.	I belong in my family	SI/P2T2L1
2.	My family belongs in a community	SI/P2T2L2
3.	We all belong in one human family	SI/P2T2L3
4.	We can pray to God	SI/P2T2L4
5.	We can lose our way	First/P3T5L1
6.	The lost sheep	First/P3T5L2
7.	We celebrate God's forgiveness in the Sacrament of Reconciliation	First/P3 T5L3
8.	A place to gather	SI/P2T8L1
9.	A place of prayer	SI/P2T8L2
10.	God gives us good news!	JI/P1T3L1
11.	We get ready to welcome Jesus	JI/P1T3L2
12.	The good news: Jesus is born!	JI/P1T3L3
13.	Visitors to the stable	JI/P1T3L4

TERM 2

1.	We offer gifts	First/P3 T6L1
2.	'Do this in memory of me'	First/P3T6L2
3.	We are nourished by receiving Holy Communion	First/P3 T6L3
4.	St Brigid	SI/P2T5L1
5.	Lent (Ash Wednesday)	JI/P1 SL4
6.	God cares for us in spring	SI/P2T5L2
7.	St Patrick (17 March)	First/P3 SL4
8.	The Last Supper	JI/P1T6L1

TERM 3

1.	Water is wonderful!	JI/P1T8L1
2.	Welcomed with water	JI/P1T8L2
3.	Summer (June)	JI/P1 SL6
4.	Inter-Religious education lesson	First/P3 SL5
5.	Mary (May)	SI/P2 SL3
6.	Thank you, God, for food	JI/P1T9L1
7.	At Mass we give thanks	JI/P1T9L2
8.	Grow in Love!	JI/P1 SL7

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Senfor Infants/Primary 2, First Class/Primary 3 and Second Class/Primary 4

Cycle

Three-year cycle

Core Resources

- Grow in Love Teacher's Kit for Senior Infants/Primary 2
- Grow in Love Teacher's Kit for First Class/Primary 3
- Grow in Love Teacher's Kit for Second Class/Primary 4

Prayers to be revised

- · Sign of the Cross
- Glory be to the Father
- Morning Prayer
- Night Prayer
- Grace before Meals
- Grace after Meals
- Prayer to Guardian Angel

New prayers to be taught

- Our Father
- Hail Mary
- Some Mass responses
- Praying a decade of the Rosary
- Prayer before Communion
- Prayer after Communion
- Act of Sorrow
- Prayer to the Holy Spirit
- Journey Prayer
- Sanctus (Holy, Holy)
- Confiteor
- More Mass Responses
- Agnus Dei (Lamb of God)
- The Rosary (Joyful Mysteries)

YEAR ONE

8. Growing in love

Using SI/P2, First Class/P3 and Second Class/P4

YEAR TWO

Using SI/P2, First Class/P3 and Second Class/P4

TERM 1		TERM 1
1. We belong together	First/P3T1L1	1. God is with us SI/P2T1L1
2. We belong to the Church	First/P3T1L2	2. God created our world SI/P2T1L2
3. God loves us	First/P3T1L3	3. Thank you, God, for our world SI/P2T1L3
4. Jesus: healer, helper, friend	Second/P4T2L1	4. God asks us to care for our world SI/P2T1L4
5. Jesus heals Simon Peter's		5. The <i>Rosary</i> (October) First/P3 SL1
mother-in-law	Second/P4T2L2	6. Our class – a circle of friends Second/P4T1L1
6. Jesus heals Jairus' daughter	Second/P4T2L3	7. Jesus chose followers Second/P4T1L2
7. We remember (November)	SI/P2 SL1	8. We are Jesus' followers Second/P4T1L3
Jesus gives his followers the Lav of Love	Second/P4T2L4	9. Celebrating the Saints (1 November) Second/P4 SL2
At Mass, Jesus' followers gather together	Second/P4T2L5	10. Waiting for the light First/P3T3L1
10. Advent light	SI/P2T3L1	11. Jesus is the light First/P3T3L2
11. Mary says 'yes'!	SI/P2T3L2	12. The waiting is over First/P3T3L3
12. Jesus is born	SI/P2T3L3	
13. Gifts for the baby	SI/P2T3L4	
TERM 2		TERM 2
1. Simeon and Anna meet Jesus	SI/P2T4L1	1. Nothing is impossible with God Second/P4T4L1
2. Jesus grew up in Nazareth	SI/P2T4L2	2. At Mass we listen Second/P4T4L2
3. St Brigid	SI/P2T5L1	3. Choices Second/P4T5L1
4. God cares for us in spring	SI/P2T5L2	4. Zacchaeus made bad choices Second/P4T5L2
5. Lent (Ash Wednesday)	Second/P4 SL3	5. We can be forgiven Second/P4T5L3
6. All who heard him were amazed	d First/P3T4L1	6. Lent (Ash Wednesday) First/P3 SL3
7. We listen to the Gospel at Mass	First/P3T4L2	7. We listen to stories SI/P2T6L1
8. We can lose our way	First/P3T5L1	8. Jesus feeds the people SI/P2T6L2
9. The lost sheep	First/P3T5L2	9. Jesus calms the storm SI/P2T6L3
10. We celebrate God's forgiveness		10. Jesus heals the man who was blind SI/P2T6L4
in the Sacrament of Reconciliati		11. Jesus in Jerusalem First/P3T7L1
11. The death of Jesus	Second/P4T7L1	12. Jesus is risen! First/P3 T7L2
12. The Resurrection	Second/P4T7L2	
TERM 3		TERM 3
1. 'I am with you always'	First/P3T8L1	1. 'I am with you always' Second/P4T8L1
2. 'I will send a helper'	First/P3T8L2	2. 'I will send a helper' Second/P4T8L2
3. 'Go and share the Good News'	First/P3 T8L3	3. 'Go and share the Good News' Second/P4T8L3
4. A place to gather	SI/P2T8L1	4. God made the world First/P3T9L1
5. A place of prayer	SI/P2T8L2	5. God made us we are special First/P3T9L2
6. Mary (May)	SI/P2 SL3	6. Inter-Religious education lesson First/P3 SL5
7. 'As I have loved you'	Second/P4T10L1	7. We can <i>grow in love</i> SI/P2T10L1

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Second/P4T10L2

8. We continue to grow in love

SI/P2T10L2

YEAR THREE

Using SI/P2, First Class/P3 and Second Class/P4

TERM 1

1.	I belong in my family		SI/P2	T2L1
2.	My family belongs in a community	,	SI/P2	T2L2
3.	We all belong in one human famil	У	SI/P2	T2L3
4.	We can pray to God		SI/P2	T2L4
5.	The Rosary (October)	Se	econd/P4	SL1
6.	Jesus		First/P3	T2L1
7.	Jesus had many friends		First/P3	T2L2
8.	Jesus healed people		First/P3	T2L3
9.	Celebrating the saints (1 November	er)	First/P3	SL2
10.	Jesus taught his friends how to live	9	First/P3	T2L4
11.	At Mass, Jesus' friends gather together		First/P3	T2L5
12.	Prepare the way of the Lord	Sec	cond/P4	T3L1
13.	Messengers of God	Sec	cond/P4	T3L2
14.	The birth of Jesus	Sec	cond/P4	T3L3

TERM 2

1.	We offer gifts	First/P3T6L1
2.	'Do this in memory of me'	First/P3 T6L2
3.	We are nourished by receiving Holy Communion	First/P3T6L3
4.	St Brigid (1 February)	Second/P4 SL4
5.	Lent (Ash Wednesday)	SI/P2 SL2
6.	'Do this in memory of me'	Second/P4T6L1
7.	At Mass, we thank God	Second/P4T6L2
8.	At Mass, we receive Holy Communion	Second/P4T6L3
9.	St Patrick (17 March)	First/P3 SL4
10.	The Last Supper	SI/P2T7L1
11.	Jesus dies on the cross	SI/P2T7L2
12.	Jesus is alive!	SI/P2T7L3

TERM 3

1.	A baby's Baptism	SI/P2T9L1
2.	John baptises the people	SI/P2T9L2
3.	Inter-religious education lesson	Second/P4 SL5
4.	God created us	Second/P4T9L1
5.	God wants us to be happy	Second/P4T9L2
6.	Living in love	First/P3T10L1
7.	Growing in love	First/P3 T10L2

Junior Infants/Primary 1, Senior Infants/Primary 2, First Class/Primary 3 and Second Class/Primary 4

Cycle

Four-year cycle

Core Resources

- Grow in Love Teacher's Kit for Junior Infants/Primary 1
- Grow in Love Teacher's Kit for Senior Infants/Primary 2
- Grow in Love Teacher's Kit for First Class/Primary 3
- Grow in Love Teacher's Kit for Second Class/Primary 4

New prayers to be taught

- Our Father
- Hail Mary
- Some Mass responses
- Praying a decade of the Rosary
- Prayer before Communion
- Prayer after Communion
- Act of Sorrow
- Prayer to the Holy Spirit
- Journey Prayer
- Sanctus (Holy, Holy)
- Confiteor
- More Mass Responses
- Agnus Dei (Lamb of God)
- The Rosary (Joyful Mysteries)

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Using	JI/P1	and First	t Class	/P3
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Using SI/P2 and Second Class/P4

TERM 1		TERM 1	
1. I have a name	JI/P1T1L1	1. God is with us	SI/P2T1L1
2. I have a family	JI/P1T1L2	2. God created our world	SI/P2T1L2
3. I can share love with my family	JI/P1T1L3	3. Thank you, God, for our world	SI/P2T1L3
4. We are all in one family	JI/P1T1L4	4. God asks us to care for the world	SI/P2T1L4
5. The Rosary (October)	First/P3 SL1	5. Jesus: healer, helper, friend	Second/P4T2L1
6. Autumn (September or October)	JI/P1 SL1	6. Jesus heals Simon Peter's	
7. God created the world	JI/P1T2L1	mother-in-law	Second/P4T2L2
8. God created us we are special!	JI/P1T2L2	7. Jesus heals Jairus' daughter	Second/P4T2L3
9. We can care for the world	JI/P1T2L3	Jesus gives his followers the Law of Love	Second/P4T2L4
10. Celebrating the saints (1 November) First/P3 SL2	9. At Mass, Jesus' followers	Jecona, i i i i i
11. Waiting for the light	First/P3T3L1	gather together	Second/P4T2L5
12. Jesus is the light	First/P3T3L2	10. We remember (November)	SI/P2 SL1
13. The waiting is over	First/P3T3L3	11. Prepare the way of the Lord	Second/P4T3L1
		12. Messengers of God	Second/P4T3L2
		13. The birth of Jesus	Second/P4T3L3
TERM 2		TERM 2	
1. All who heard him were amazed	First/P3T4L1	1. Nothing is impossible with God	Second/P4T4L1
2. We listen to the Gospel at Mass	First/P3 T4L2	2. At Mass we listen	Second/P4T4L2
3. Jesus and the children	JI/P1T5L1	3. Simeon and Anna meet Jesus	SI/P2T4L1
4. Jesus is the Good Shepherd	JI/P1T5L2	4. Jesus grew up in Nazareth	SI/P2T4L2
5. Jesus teaches us	JI/P1T5L3	5. St Brigid	SI/P2T5L1
6. We can live as Jesus taught us	JI/P1T5L4	6. God cares for us in spring	SI/P2T5L2
7. Lent (Ash Wednesday)	First/P3 SL3	7. Lent (Ash Wednesday)	SI/P2 SL2
8. St Patrick (17 March)	First/P3 SL4	8. Choices	Second/P4T5L1
9. The Last Supper	JI/P1T6L1	9. Zacchaeus made bad choices	Second/P4T5L2
10. Jesus dies on the cross	JI/P1T6L2	10. We can be forgiven	Second/P4T5L3
11. An Easter surprise	JI/P1T6L3	11. The death of Jesus	Second/P4T7L1
		12. The Resurrection	Second/P4T7L2
TERM 3		TERM 3	
1. 'I am with you always'	First/P3 T8L1	1. A place to gather	SI/P2T8L1
2. 'I will send α helper'	First/P3 T8L2	2. A place of prayer	SI/P2T8L2
3. 'Go and share the Good News'	First/P3 T8L3	3. 'I am with you always'	Second/P4T8L1
4. Water is wonderful	JI/P1T8L1	4. 'I will send α helper'	Second/P4T8L2
5. Welcomed with water	JI/P1T8L2	5. 'Go and share the Good News'	Second/P4T8L3
6. Mary (May)	JI/P1 SL5	6. Inter-religious education lesson	Second/P4 SL5
7. Summer (June)	JI/P1 SL6	7. We can grow in love	SI/P2T10L1
8. Grow in Love! (Last week of school)	JI/P1 SL7	8. We continue to grow in love	SI/P2T10L2

YEAR FOUR

Using JI/P1 and First Class/P3

Using SI/P2 and Second Class/P4

TERM 1		TERM 1	
1. We belong together	First/P3T1L1	1. Our class – a circle of friends	Second/P4T1L1
2. We belong to the Church	First/P3T1L2	2. Jesus chose followers	Second/P4T1L2
3. God loves us	First/P3T1L3	3. We are Jesus' followers	Second/P4T1L3
4. Jesus	First/P3T2L1	4. The Rosary (October)	Second/P4 SL1
5. Jesus had many friends	First/P3T2L2	5. I belong in my family	SI/P2T2L1
6. Jesus healed people	First/P3 T2L3	6. My family belongs in a commur	nity SI/P2T2L2
7. Jesus taught his friends how t	o live First/P3T2L4	7. We all belong in one human far	mily SI/P2T2L3
8. At Mass, Jesus' friends gather together	First/P3 T2L5	8. We can pray to God9. Celebrating the Saints	SI/P2T2L4
9. In November, we remember	JI/P1 SL2	(1 November)	Second/P4 SL2
10. God gives us good news!	JI/P1T3L1	10. Advent light	SI/P2T3L1
11. We get ready to welcome Jes	us JI/P1T3L2	11. Mary says 'yes'!	SI/P2T3L2
12. The good news: Jesus is born!	JI/P1T3L3	12. Jesus is born	SI/P2T3L3
13. Visitors to the stable	JI/P1T3L4	13. Gifts for the baby	SI/P2T3L4
TERM 2		TERM 2	
1. The Holy Family lived in Naza	reth JI/P1T4L1	1. We listen to stories	SI/P2T6L1
2. The Holy Family visited Jeruso	alem JI/P1T4L2	2. Jesus feeds the people	SI/P2T6L2
3. We can lose our way	First/P3T5L1	3. Jesus calms the storm	SI/P2T6L3
4. The lost sheep	First/P3T5L2	4. Jesus heals the man who was	
5. We celebrate God's forgivene in the Sacrament of Reconcili		blind 5. St Brigid (1 February)	SI/P2T6L4 Second/P4 SL4
6. Lent (Ash Wednesday)	JI/P1 SL4	6. Lent (Ash Wednesday)	Second/P4 SL3
7. St Patrick (17 March)	JI/P1 SL3	7. 'Do this in memory of me'	Second/P4T6L1
8. We offer gifts	First/P3 T6L1	8. At Mass, we thank God	Second/P4T6L2
9. 'Do this in memory of me'	First/P3T6L2	9. At Mass, we receive Holy	
10. We are nourished by receiving	9	Communion	Second/P4T6L3
Holy Communion	First/P3T6L3	10. The Last Supper	SI/P2T7L1
11. Jesus in Jerusalem	First/P3T7L1	11. Jesus dies on the cross	SI/P2T7L2
12. Jesus is risen!	First/P3T7L2	12. Jesus is alive!	SI/P2T7L3
TERM 3		TERM 3	
1. Places to pray	JI/P1T7L1	1. God created us	Second/P4T9L1
2. The church – a special place t	o pray JI/P1T7L2	2. God wants us to be happy	Second/P4T9L2
3. God made the world	First/P3T9L1	3. Mary (May)	SI/P2 SL3
4. God made us we are specia	l First/P3T9L2	4. A baby's Baptism	SI/P2T9L1
5. Inter-Religious education less	son First/P3 SL5	5. John baptises the people	SI/P2T9L2
6. Thank you, God, for food	JI/P1T9L1	6. 'As I have loved you'	Second/P4T10L1
7. At Mass we give thanks	JI/P1T9L2	7. Growing in love	Second/P4T10L2
8. Living in love	First/P3 T10L1		
9. Growing in love	First/P3T10L2		

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