

Winterbourne Junior Girls' School

Year 5 Newsletter



Week ending Friday 6th February 2026

This week, the girls continued their Explanation text, writing the body which comprised of sequenced paragraphs. They explored the Inference Skill in Reading Comprehension and in Grammar, completed exercises in using direct speech. On Wednesday, they participated in an interactive session *Discover Ballet*, hosted by the Royal Ballet and Opera Company.

Pupils continued working on the concept of Decimals in Maths, where they compared decimal and wrote fraction and decimal equivalents.

In Computing, they continued to design their game, adding one level and checking the game's playability.

This week's PSHE session helped pupils to understand that communicating with someone from a different culture means we can learn from each other. They identified a range of ways in which we could support each other.

In PE, pupils completed a session in Point to Point orienteering, where they followed a set route, visiting control points in a specific order. In RE, pupils discussed the qualities needed to challenge people's attitudes.

Curriculum

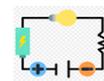
Class Text: Kensuke's Kingdom 

English: Non Chronological Reports

Math: Decimals

RE: In what ways are people judged?

D&T/Science Unit: The Fairground 



SPELLING

Spelling is tested on Friday each week.

Identity, curiosity, community, opportunity, quantity, intercity, quality capacity, opacity, simplicity, veracity, publicity

Homework

10 min English & Maths Spring Workout 8

Times Tables: 2—12

Reading: MyOn Homework Project

Please be reminded that three entries need to be recorded each week. Also take the Accelerated Reader Quiz once you have completed a book.

Homework Workout books to return on Monday of each week. Homework reminders are on Google.

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There are some fascinating items of interest about Winterbourne Junior Girls' School.

Word of the Week

idiosyncratic

Please encourage your daughter to find out its meaning and use it in her writing.

Star of the Week

5.1: Autumn & Leelah
5.2: Harmaine & Inthu

Kindness

5.1: Abena
5.2: Yathavie, Shanzay, Kellinana & Nibrasse

PE

5.1: Sahra, Sienna,
5.2: Shadia, Maryam

The Value of the Month is:

LOVE

Where there is love, there is life.

Mahatma Ghandi



Reading Certificates

5.1: Rebecca, Rosemary, Athalia, Faheemah, Donella, Marwa, Ayna, Aisha, Abena, Carmen, Sahra, Autumn, Sienna, Uriyah, Aleena.

5.2: Iqra, Ayesha, Nowshin, Pritika, Nibrasse, Nuwaira, Harmaine, Inaaya, Shanzay, Thuvaragi, Ava, Inthu, Zainab, Sofia, Ahana, Misri, Princy, Pranika, Baaba, Vishali, Ruhee, Eva

Please encourage and support your daughter in reading. Each week pupils need to complete a quiz.