Winterbourne Junior Girls'

Year 5 Newsletter

Week ending Friday 3rd July 2026

This week, pupils completed their advice text on water safety. They looked at the rules for using and writing direct speech in Grammar and explored a mix of reading skills for reading comprehension.
In Maths they revisited the four number operations, read time tables, calculated time intervals, interpreted line graphs and completed word problems.
Pupils were introduced to the functions of ports, identified Port Duluth on a map and traced the journey of the water from Duluth via the St Lawrence River to the Atlantic. Pupils understand that ports facilitate the movement of goods, materials and sometimes people both locally and internationally.
Pupils selected an appropriate template, planned and created a non-fiction concept map in Computing, which, they will present to an audience of their peers next week.
During our PSHE discussion, pupils were able to recognise the positive and negative aspects of self-image. They identified how self-image and body image are linked and reworded negative self views into positive ones.

Curriculum

Class Text: The Giant's Necklace

English: Narrative: Alternative Ending

Math: Revision/Catch-Up

PSHE: Relationships

Geography/Science Unit: Who are we? Why do I live

SPELLING

ascent/assent descent/dissent bridal/bridle serial/cereal compliment/complement desert/dessert draft/draught farther/father guessed/guest

HOMEWORK

10 min English & Maths Summer Workout 12
Times Tables: 2—12

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. Classroom.

Word of the Week: flail

Find out what the word means and use it in your writing.

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

Stars of the Week

5.1: Aaisha & Faheemah
5.2: Vishali & Inthu

Kindness
5.1 Uriyah

5.2 Misri

PE
5.1: Aaisha

5.2: Rebecca

The Value of the INDEPENDENCE

Do not do for your children what they can do for themselves.

Happiness is being independent.

Reading Certificates

Aaisha, Donella,, Precious, Monae, Leelah, Diya Effiba, Faheemah, Marwa, Ayesha, Aarin, Uriyah, Iqra Nuwaira, Thuvaragi, Ruhee, Nibrasse, Princy, Vishali, Harmaine, Nowshin, Emaan Pritika, Grace-Diamond, Misri, Eva, Ava, Inthu, Shanzay, Kelliana, Inaaya, Aisha M, Ahana, Zainab, Ayesha A, Yathavie Maryam, Sofia, Dajewo

Please ensure that your daughter reads each week.

Upcoming Events

7th&9th July: Parents Evening