

# Winterbourne Junior Girls' School



## Year 6 Newsletter

Week ending: Friday 12th October

### Black History Week

This week we took part in a broad range of activities to learn more about the Windrush migration from the Caribbean that started in 1948. On Monday we watched the year 5 assembly that explained more about the history of this and the experiences that people faced who made the epic journey across the Atlantic. We also took part in a workshop where we were lucky enough to have a local lady visit who had made the journey herself. On Thursday pupils took part in Black History enrichment day where they got participate in a variety of activities that celebrate it. These included drumming, art, jewellery making, geography, poetry, story telling , cooking and dance.



#### Year 6 Attendance this week

As a school, we are aiming to achieve an attendance target of over 97%. We are currently at 97.36%

6.1: 100%

6.2: 99.62%

6.3: 97.92%

**Well done to 6.1**



#### Star students of the week:

(6.1) Safa and whole 6.1

(6.2) Thamarvi & Gemma

(6.3) Tia & Zoya



**Well done to Husna, Tyra, Samira, Zainab K, Natalia, Tiana, Renee S, Thamarvi, Keziah, Nikola, Nida, Sophia, Inaaya, Aniq, Annette, Alishba, Sneha and Kadijah for scoring 90% or above in AR reading quizzes.**

**THE BIG PINK** | breast cancer care

**Friday 19th October**– Wear Something pink– bring in a £1. Table top sale after school. All under £5

### Computer coding Project : Launching a rocket in to space.

Pupils in 6.2 and 6.3 have completed their computing project to launch a rocket into space. The first rocket launches with a countdown timer and smoke and the second program is for the rocket and boosters to uncouple. Pupil learnt to use sequencing, selection and repetition in programs; work with variables and various forms of output, They also learnt to use logical reasoning to explain how some simple algorithms work and to detect and correct errors in algorithms and programs.

(6.1 will do this next week) You can view their projects on scratch.

