# Winterbourne Junior Girls' School



## Year 5 Newsletter Week ending: Friday 16th November, 2018

#### **ENRICHMENT DAY**

On **Monday,19th November** we will have our first Enrichment Day. The theme is History and we will be looking at British and World

History. The topics are Vikings, Skara Brae, Tudors, Victorian, Indus valley, Ancient Greece Early Islamic era, Shang Dynasty and Benin. We are sure the girls will have a fantastic time and they will develop historical skills.







Please ensure that your child is reading every day and is completing comprehension quizzes on Accelerated Reader. Reading records will be checked to ensure that they are doing so.

Purple Mash has a new resource to engage children in reading and help them to strength their comprehension skills. Starting this week, as homework, the girls will be asked to read a chapter per week and answer comprehension question about it.

#### **Maths**

Please ensure that your daughter knows and can instantly recall her 9 times tables up to 12 x 9

#### **Attendance**

Our target as a school is 97.26%

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5.2 99.20%

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5.3 97.69%

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Next week, we will be focusing on the following in class:

**Writing**: Writing non chronological reports on an imaginary creature

**Reading**: Using reading skills to decode word meanings

**Maths:** Calculating products of proper and improper fractions and mixed numbers

**Topic:** Investigate the properties of Material to fit a purpose.

#### Award Winners this week:

- 5.1 Luiza & Shahana
- 5.2 Hajira & Somaya
- 5.3 Mitsue & Sadaf

### Homework set this week:

1 Ten minute English workout for Monday

1 Ten minute Maths workout for Monday

Spellings and timetables practice