# Winterbourne Junior Girls' School

# **Year 5 Newsletter**

Week ending: Friday 1st February 2019

# **Poster Competition**

Year 5 are welcome to enter a poster competition to encourage, remind and inspire others to reduce single-use plastics. You could choose to focus on just one issue. Will it be straws or plastic bags, or something else?

We are aiming for attractive posters full of colour, bold and clear lettering with a short, simple and to the point message on the importance to have an active attitude to protect our world.



Entries should be in by 15th of February

#### **English**

Next week, in reading and writing, we will be looking at the aspect of the story where Michael is washed up on a beach.

The girls will be writing a description of the setting using mysterious sentence starters. The following features are needed for this writing:

- •Use modal verbs to indicate degrees of possibility.
- •Use rhetorical questions to create suspense for your audience.
- •Use noun phrases to add detail to your setting.



#### Homework set this week:

- 1 Ten minute English workout 5 for Monday
- 1 Ten minute Maths workout 5 for Monday
- Spellings Week 20
- 3 Reading Record entries per week.

#### Attendance:

Our attendance target this week is 96.66%.

5.1-95.56 %



5.2-96.15 %



5.3-93.08 %





# Maths

In Maths, we will be exploring the concept of equivalent ratio by simplifying ratio and finding missing term in three quantities ratio and moving forward to apply these skills in solving up to 2-steps word problems.

Please support your daughter in learning the timetables and revising long division.

### Award Winners this week:

- 5.1 Kadijah W & Malini
- 5.2 Ameera & Warisha
- 5.3 Isabelle & Oliwia



# Topic

On Monday afternoon Year 5 will be walking around our local area to support our topic work. We will be making a map of the area highlighting anything of interest to us. This might include shops, post boxes and other local amenities. Please ensure your daughter has a warm coat.