

Winterbourne Junior Girls' School



Year 5 Newsletter

Week ending: Friday 27th September 2019

Reminders

To culminate our topic on Castles, Year 5 will be visiting Bodiam Castle in East Sussex on **Thursday 3rd October**, 2019 (9.00am– 4:00 pm) Please ensure that your consent forms are handed in by **Monday 30th September**.

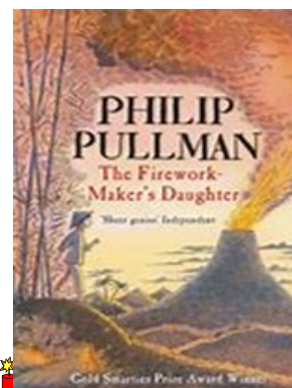
Poetry Workshop

Year 5 had a great time writing poems using rhymes and exaggeration. Ask the girls to recite their poems.



Year 5 have been reading the book *The Firework Maker's Daughter* in class and have written a range of genre including diary entries and descriptive writing. We have been learning to use various sentence starters, noun phrase, powerful verbs and Alan Peat sentences to make our writing engaging and imaginative.

Please encourage your child to practise these skills at home by describing different settings they have visited and writing about it. It would be nice for them to share with



Attendance

Our target as a school is 97% or over

5.1 - 98.92 %



5.2 - 88.89 %



Next week, we are going to focus our learning on the following:

Writing: Description with the focus on metaphors and similes

Reading: Using inference skills.

Maths : Division by 10, 100 and 1000.

Topic: Write a story about life in a castle

Award Winners this week:

5.1 Laksaya and Shania

5.2 Precious and Alina



Homework set this week:

1 Ten minute English workout for Monday

1 Ten minute Maths workout for Monday