

Winterbourne Junior Girls' School

Year 5 Newsletter

Week ending: Friday 27th November, 2020



Reminders. Please do not forget to participate with your daughter in The London Youth Games/Virtual Games. Your daughter has a link in **Google Classroom** where you can register and submit each week her score. On Monday you will have a new challenge! Let's keep active!



Attendance

Our target as a school is 97%. Our whole school attendance is at 95.26% .

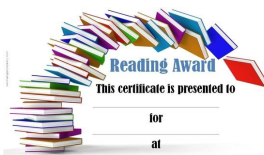


This week, the girls were mini scientists. They carried out a series of fair tests on the strengths of different plastic bags. They learnt how to write a scientific experiment and learnt new vocabulary. Ask them to

share with you what they found out.

Reading Certificates:

5.1 : Maryam, Prapha, Keziah, Jiya, Abeeha, Abqurah, Eva, Saanvi
5.2: Hanoor, Shenaya, Sevim



English

Next week, we will be writing mini-sagas describing events that takes place in the woods of Narnia. These very short stories will be entered into the National Young Writers Competition, so please get your daughter thinking about what it might be like to find herself in the dark woods one night. We will also be using poetry to explore the character of the Evil Queen of Narnia. Here are some poetry techniques:



<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/english-ks1-ks2-poetry-playing-with-words/zmxf8xs>

Maths

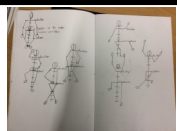
Next week we will convert improper fractions and mixed numbers to decimals. In addition, we will learn how to add and subtract mixed numbers. You can help your daughter by watching with them the following videos:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WRqqLuHZWhw>

$$\begin{aligned} 1\frac{1}{2} + 2\frac{3}{4} &= (1+2) + (\frac{1}{2} + \frac{3}{4}) \\ &= 3 + (\frac{2}{4} + \frac{3}{4}) \\ &= 3 + \frac{5}{4} \\ &= 3 + 1\frac{1}{4} = 4\frac{1}{4} \end{aligned}$$

Art this Week

In art, the girls learnt how to draw human figures using the correct proportion.



Value of the Month

Tolerance



Word of The week :

Congenial

Find the meaning

Idiom of The Week :

Guess the idiom and its meaning.



Latest news: Please, do not forget to watch our year 5



girls Festival on our school's website:

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Homework set this week:

Set in Google Classroom

- 1 Ten minute English workout for Monday
- 1 Ten minute Maths workout for Monday
- Spellings week 14
- 3 Reading Record entries per week.



Award Winners this week:

- 5.1 Careece & Dhani
- 5.2 Danya & Harnoor



Topic: Mysterious Materials

Science: We will be looking at the process of evaporation. The girls will identify factors that speed up evaporation and plan a test to find out how to recover and solute from a solvent.

R.E: Understand what Christians learn from the Christmas story

Computer: We will learn how to use variable in our game.