

**Value of the Month
for May:
Teamwork**

Winterbourne Junior Girls' School



Year 3 Newsletter 30

Week ending: Friday, 14 May 2021



We're working
towards Artsmark
Awarded by Arts
Council England

Next Week English

Write a non-fiction blog with top tips to restore an abandoned garden. This is linked to our class reader: The Secret Garden

Maths

Duration of time

Science

Seed dispersal and food chains

Butterflies

Some of our Year 3 butterflies have hatched!



Virtual Parents' Evening

Tuesday,

18 May 16:10 - 18:30

Thursday,

20 May 16:10 - 18:30

The Google Meet links will

be sent out on Monday, 17 May.

Royal Mail's Heroes Stamp Design Competition

Last week, the entry forms were sent home with the girls. The entries need to be submitted to the next Tuesday, 18 May.



Player of the Week Certificates

3.1 Navya
3.3 Aafia



Star of the Week Certificates

3.1 Naba and Faith
3.3 Nimrit and Micaela

3.1 Ciara
3.3 Ianna

Bucket Fillers



**Are you working towards
being a bucket filler by
showing kindness to others?**

Certificate Awarded to

For Achieving the Best
Reading Quiz Result
In Class this Week



Reading Certificates

**3.1 Kaylah, Naba, Hasanat,
Manha, Bina, Navya,
Haleena, Ciara, Arshitha**

**3.3 Akshaya, Geanelle, Princy,
Inaaya, Nimrit, Aaliyah, Hazel,
Micaela, Alizay**

Day	Weekly Homework beginning Monday, 17/05/21	Due
Monday, 17	Maths Practise test questions for retest this Friday.	21/05/21
Tuesday, 18	English 10 Minute Weekly Workouts Summer Term: Week 5	25/05/21
Wednesday, 19	Maths 10 Minute Weekly Workouts Summer Term: Week 5	25/05/21
Thursday, 20	Reading — Fiction Books <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Using the front cover, what do you think this book will be about? Why? What might happen next in the story? What challenges do you think the characters might face? What information suggests this? How do you think this story might end? What clues suggest this? 	25/05/21
Friday, 21	Spelling Learn Week 29	28/05/21



We are taking part in Royal Mail's Heroes Stamp Design Competition



Honouring our heroes from the coronavirus pandemic

- Our school is taking part in Royal Mail's Heroes Stamp Design Competition, to honour our heroes during the coronavirus pandemic. A new series of eight stamps will be created.

Background

- For more than 50 years Royal Mail's Special Stamp programme has issued stamps to honour the achievements of many British people. Often, the people who appear on stamps are already famous.
- They include scientists and explorers, writers, artists, musicians, athletes, and Prime Ministers.

Our Heroes

- Since the coronavirus pandemic began, there have been many people who have done great things.
- Many of them are not famous, but they have done extraordinary work. These are the people who have helped us all through a really difficult time.
- Some are frontline workers in healthcare, others look after elderly or vulnerable people.
- Millions of key workers have kept the country going when most of us were told to stay home for our own safety. And there have been many people who volunteered to help people in their communities who needed help or support.
- We think that what these people have done makes them heroes, so Royal Mail wants to honour them by producing a set of eight stamps.
- Have a think about your heroes over the past year.
- Discuss these heroes in class and have a think about who you'd like to design on your stamp.

The Competition

- Which hero or heroes will you honour on your stamp?
- There will be eight different stamps in the set, so please consider a range of heroes to honour.
- Use the official entry form. Your teacher will give this to you.
- The design is completely your choice.
- Your design must be your own original work.
- Drawings must be flat, so please don't stick any materials or textures to your design and please use plenty of colour.
- Your teacher will be able to run through some of the other important entry conditions, to ensure you create the best stamp design as possible.
- You need to submit your entry to your teacher by Tuesday, 18 May 2021.

Ideas

- Your hero may be Captain Tom, NHS staff or teachers.
- What about the following groups of people working on the front line, such as refuse collectors, cleaning staff and the emergency services?
- Many other groups of people such as delivery drivers, supermarket workers, public transport workers, vaccine scientists, military personnel and food bank volunteers have also worked non-stop to keep the country moving.
- Are there other heroes that you can think of?

Entry forms are also available to download at www.royalmail.com/stampcompetition



The Winners and Prizes

- Eight school children will become part of the history of Royal Mail and of the UK this year.
- The **winners will become the designers of stamps that will appear on millions of parcels and letters.**
- They will follow in the footsteps of Arwen Wilson and Ted Lewis-Clark, the winners of the last children's stamp design competition in 2017. One of the designs could be yours!
- Her Majesty The Queen will approve the winning stamp designs before they are printed and issued.
- There are **120 great prizes** on offer for area winners and runners up.