

Winterbourne Junior Girls'

Year 5 Newsletter

Week ending: Friday 21st January 2022



We kicked this week off with a fun filled fantastic day full of Science! Our enrichment day covered making cheese from fresh milk, investigating the outdoors in search of mini beasts, constructing bridges, exploring theories based on dinosaur extinction and much more! I'm sure your daughters have shared their excitement with you.

As we continue our learning journey this new year, we are ever so grateful for your continued support and effort at home. 15 minutes of reading every day makes all the difference.

In **Maths** next week, we will learn about equivalent ratios and how to find ratios in their simplest forms.

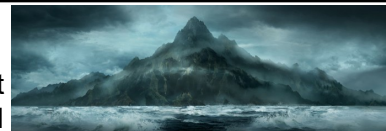
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Ratios are a way to show a relationship or compare two numbers of the same kind. In order to find ratios we use multiplication and division. Please spend some time with your daughter practising her times tables.

A fantastic revision page from BBC Bitesize:
<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zsq7hyc>

English

From next week, we will dive further into



our book and recreate our own log books. We will look carefully at emotions and feeling whilst exploring the senses. After we explore how it feels to be abandoned, we will consider life on an island all alone. To help your daughter you could discuss / research first person writing.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zrqqtf/articles/zxdhsg8>

Class certificates

- 5.1 Sreya & Naomi M
- 5.2 Camilla & Ajwa
- 5.3 Felicia & Gisela



Reading Certificates of the Week

- 5.1 Amna, Sreya, Tamia
- 5.2 Eligiver, Zainab, Maria, Mayokun,
- 5.3 Eshal, Maria, Yara, Areesha

PE certificates

- 5.1 Olivia
- 5.2 Ifra
- 5.3 Yasmin




Kindness Certificate

- 5.1 Imade
- 5.2
- 5.3 Tahira & Iqra



Weekly Homework

 Ten minute Maths and English workout for Monday

Maths homework

3 **Reading Record** entries per week.

Online homework: Google Classroom

10 minutes workouts Maths and English.

Newsround

Topic: Who are we and why do we live here?

In **Computing** the children will design the game quest to make it a playable game ensuring that they try out different combinations of movement and actions.

In **Geography** we will be learning about the physical and human features of Duluth, a beautiful town in Minnesota, USA. Can you describe some physical and human features of Croydon?

RE will focus on Hinduism. In particular the girls will learn about Atman, which means 'eternal self'.

Value of the Month

JANUARY

AMBITION

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