

**Ambition  
is the first  
step to  
success.  
The second  
step is  
action.**

# Winterbourne Junior Girls' School Year 3 Newsletter

**Week ending: Friday, 27 January 2023**



We're working  
towards Artsmark  
Awarded by Arts  
Council England

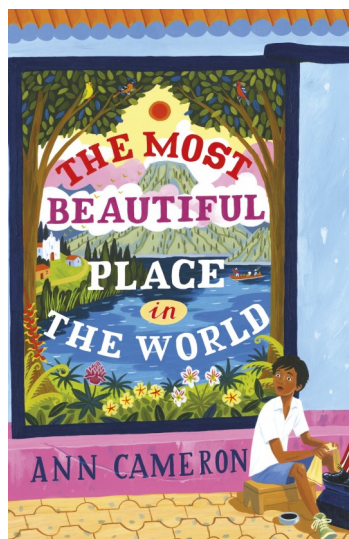
## English:

We have started reading the book, *The Most Beautiful Place in the World*. This book is also set in the Guatemalan countryside. It follows the story of a seven year old boy, who works hard to earn some money and help his grandmother. However, he has dreams to go to school, like most children his age.

We have started to describe the Guatemalan countryside during the day and have learnt to write a new Alan Peat sentence called which + simile sentence.

Here are a few examples from our girls:

- Best of all, there is the clear, blue lake Atitlan which is as shiny as a mirror.
- Best of all is there is a vibrant, majestic quetzal, which is as colourful as all the flowers.



## Value of the month:

**Ambition**

## Bucket Fillers

**3.1:** Thulika

**3.3:** Sacena

## STARS OF THE WEEK

**3.1:** Salma & Klaudia

**3.3:** Khadija & Iqra

## Music:

We had a lovely music lesson this week. 3.1 and 3.3 got together to create sounds from *The Sound Collector* poem, using a range of instruments in the music room.

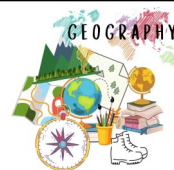
We then, sang a song called *My Place* and learnt about the ostinato in the accompaniment to the song. Some girls played the ostinato on the glockenspiel and identified the beat in the ostinato.



## Geography Enrichment Day:

The girls thoroughly enjoyed visiting all the classes to complete Geography activities.

They completed fieldwork, identified the latitude and longitude, identified grid references, map symbols, measuring distance and using Google Earth.



## Holocaust Memorial Day 2023

In remembrance of the victims who passed away in the holocaust, the girls completed an activity and thought about how they could help prevent the holocaust from happening again.



## Spellings List Week 18:

Eight, eighty, eighteen, eighth, eighths, weigh, weight, neighbour, height, sleigh



## Exciting Upcoming Topic Day on Thursday 2nd of February 2023!

Please send any spare inner kitchen roll tubes (not toilet roll tubes), in with your girls. We will be using them to create puppets in our Design & Technology lesson next week.

**Weekly Homework beginning Monday, 30/1/2023**

**Due:**

**Maths CGP Book** - Spring Term, Workout 4

1/2/2023

**English CGP Book** - Spring Term, Workout 4

1/2/2023

**Spelling** — learn Week 18 Spelling Words.

3/2/2023