

Winterbourne Junior Girls' School

Year 3 Newsletter



Week ending: Friday, 03 March 2023

English:

We have started to read the book Gorilla. The girls wrote a character description for Hannah and Hannah's father. They learnt about character traits and appearance adjectives in more detail. They even learnt to write a new Alan Peat sentence - adverb from adjective sentence. The girls also explored Hannah's thoughts and feelings in the first few pages of the book and analysed the text and the illustrations in detail.

Maths:

Science:

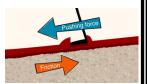
This week, we have been working hard with money and the concept of money in real life. They have been getting better at applying their column addition and subtraction with regrouping knowledge to calculating change and totals with money. They are now developing their knowledge of coins and pounds and their denominations.

book: £5 and 30p £2 and 10p comic: £7 and 40p

The girls learned about frictional forces this week. They understood that a frictional force is a force between two surfaces that are sliding. They recognised that a frictional force works in the opposite direction to a push force, to slow an object down or stop it from moving.

We completed a class experiment where the girls explored friction with a toy car as it slid down a ramp of differ-

ent materials. We used felt, carpet, cotton shirt, corrugated plastic and sandpaper.



Art:

This week, the girls printed with a range of materials. They learnt the printing technique and then thought about how they can print houses, clouds, trees and grass. They decided that they can use

different materials for different things.

Next lessons, the girls will create a landscape for their puppet theatre backdrop. They will use the same materials and apply their printing techniques.



Value of the month:

Hard Work

Bucket Fillers

3.1: De'Andra & Thulika

3.3: K-nasha

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3.1: Vivian & Salma

3.3: Igra & Ruth

Reading Certificates



These girls achieved a reading certificate as they scored 90% or above.

3.1: Hanifa, Areesha, Suhanah, Sofia, Miriam, Vivian, Ella T, Miriam, De'Andra, Thulika, Hira, Irha, Sai, Salma, Ela U, Louise

3.3: Iqra, Safiya, Eva, Aimee, Khadijah, Sana, Nashla, Zoha, Sacena, Davina

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Spellings List Week 22:

Afterwards, backwards, forward, award, coward, guard, hard, shard. beard, board



Daffodils:

Next week, we have a special visitor coming from the London Flower Society to judge the girls' daffodils, that they have been growing at home. Please ensure your daughter brings her daffodil to school on Monday.



Weekly Homework beginning Monday, 6/3/2023	Due:
Maths CGP Book - Spring Term, Workout 8	8/3/2023
English CGP Book - Spring Term, Workout 8	8/3/2023
Spelling — learn Week 22 Spelling Words.	10/3/2023