

Value of the
Month
for January

Ambition

'Big results
require big
ambitions'

Winterbourne Junior Girls' School



Year 6 Newsletter 17

Week ending: Friday, 19th January 2024

Our new topic this half-term is 'Why do some creatures no longer exist?' In Science, Year 6 explored the significance of Darwin's voyage on the HMS Beagle, and its impact on the theory of evolution.

They conducted research to find out about the key scientific terms. They also investigated the important discoveries that Darwin made, and what happened when he returned from his voyage.

In Geography, the girls used google maps and atlases to plot Darwin's voyage aboard the 'HMS Beagle' on the world map. The task helped them to enhance their mapping skills.



In PE this half-term, our focus is Gymnastics. The girls formed a range of body positions, and learned how to maintain good body tension and extension throughout.



Reading Certificates:

6.1: Umaimah, Navya, Hasanat, Hasna, Seema, Arya, Triloki & Adeena.



6.2: Princess, Sadaf, Ianna, Christina

6.3: Nimrit, Zainab, Inaaya, Bina, Nuriyah, Sana, Hafsa

Player of the Week



6.1: Hasanat

6.2: Taqwa

6.3: Hafsa



Idiom of the Week



Star Students of the Week

6.1 Hafsa & Triloki

6.2 Taqwa & Many

6.3 Valeria & Akshaya



Bucket Fillers

6.1: Ashley

6.2 Ashley

6.3 Manha, Naba, Nimrit, Bina & Sana



Word of the Week

Abundance



SATs Evening

It was lovely to see such a great turn-out at our SATs information evening this week - it was clear that parents appreciate the amount of learning the girls have to take on board during Year 6.

We hope that it is also clear how important the girls' homework is, and how crucial it is that they attend Saturday Tuition every week—the SATs will be here before we know it!

Subject	Homework	Due Date
English	♦ Spellings Week 16	Wed 24th Jan
Reading	♦ Reading Comprehension: Snegworthy ♦ 10 minute Weekly Workout Spring 4	Wed 24th Jan
Maths	♦ 10 minute Weekly Workout— Spring 4 ♦ Emile homework	Wed 24th Jan

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