

# Winterbourne Junior Girls' School

## Year 5 Newsletter

Week ending Friday 3rd May, 2024



This week, pupils were introduced to Speech Writing—the process of writing something that is generally meant to be delivered to a large audience; the aim of which, is to convince someone of a certain viewpoint or make a public statement. Pupils wrote as the main character in the class' novel. They also completed Reading Comprehension, revising all skills learnt, as well as, consolidating work on Prepositions in Grammar.

In Maths they used the protractor to measure and draw angles accurately. They calculated angles on a straight line, around a point and identified parallel lines and angles in quadrilaterals.

Pupils discussed the life cycle of a plant and sequenced the stages of the Dandelion plant. They also researched the functions of the parts and of the flower.

Pupils continued discussion on their rights and responsibilities while being online by discussing the possible risks of being part of an online community. In RE, they explored in greater detail, the concepts of Samsara: The soul is reborn over and over again and Moksha: become one with the God Brahma.

### Curriculum

**Class Text:** Thief



**English:** Newspaper Report

**Math:** Position and Movement

**RE: Hinduism:** Do beliefs in Karma, Samsara and Moksha help Hindus lead good lives?

**Science:** Do we make the most of what's right on our doorstep?



### Word of the Week affable

Please encourage your daughter to use the word when speaking and writing.

Management Department  
Experiment  
Especially  
Generally  
Typically  
Actually  
Suggestively  
Aggressive  
baggage

### Homework

10 min English & Maths Summer Workout 5

Times Tables: 2—12

Reading: MyOn Homework Project

Please be reminded that three entries need to be recorded each week. Also take the Accelerated Reader Quiz once you have completed a book.

**Homework Workout books to return on Monday of each week. Homework reminders are on Google.**

### Star of the Week

5.1

Aisha, Sana

5.2

Manuela, Ayat

### Kindness

Class 5.1 & Amina

### PE

Armela & Amina

### Spanish

Makayla & Danaya

The Value of the Month is: **Teamwork**

*Coming together is the beginning*

*Keeping together is progress*

*Working together is success.*

### News

It's May Day Bank Holiday on Monday 6th May.

School reopens for pupils on Tuesday 7th May.

### Reading Skill Focus:

Word Meaning, Word Choice, Prediction, Summarising, Retrieval, Inference, Comparison, Relationship.

### Accelerated Reader

Safiyah Jannatte Ayesha Shikemi Alice Prathesah Dua  
Temi Ayat Abigail Noumou Alexandra ,Mezab Taqua  
Danaya Cherlyne Kimberly Sehar Khaleelah Jessica Jiya  
Cecilia Alisia Zunara Natalia



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There are some fascinating items of interest about Winterbourne