

Value:

**Courage**



# Winterbourne Junior Girls' Year 5 Newsletter



**Week ending Friday 4th July 2025**

## This Week...

### English

This week, Year 5 pupils completed their end-of-year assessments, including the SPaG paper and the Star Reading test. As part of their reading comprehension, they also explored the exciting skill of inference, learning to "read between the lines" and uncover hidden meanings in texts.

### Maths

This week, children have been applying their knowledge of area and perimeter to composite and irregular shapes. They've shown great reasoning skills, breaking shapes into parts and using estimation to work out tricky areas. A fantastic effort all round!

### Science

As part of their science lessons, Year 5 pupils explored the fascinating changes that happen to humans as we grow. They focused on understanding the changes that occur during puberty, especially in girls, and took time to discuss and dispel common myths. The lessons encouraged open, respectful conversations and helped pupils feel more informed and confident about the changes ahead.

### R.E

Pupils explored the Golden Rule: "Treat others as you would like to be treated." Pupils reflected on how our actions impact others and why this principle is shared by many religions and cultures. Through a group activity

imagining life in a small village, they created rules to help people live peacefully together, linking their ideas to values of respect, kindness and fairness. It was a thoughtful session that inspired rich discussions and connections to real life.

### PSHE

Pupils explored the topic of self-image and how it can affect the way we feel about ourselves. Pupils discussed how the images we see in magazines and on social media are often edited and may not show real life. They reflected on the importance of celebrating our individuality and recognising that true beauty comes in many forms. The session helped promote healthy self-esteem and positive thinking.

## STARS OF THE WEEK

**5.1:** Arresha & Shamsu

**5.2:** Sundus & Shania

## Player of the Week



**5.1:** Miriam & Mushtaq

**5.2:** Vera & Nashla



## Bucket Fillers

**5.1:** De'Andra & Sofia

**5.2:** Khadijah & Sacina

## Reader of the Week

**5.1:** Eunice, Hanifa, Sofia, Maha, Dina, Mushtaq, Sumaya, Daniella, Areesha, Zulaikha, Salma, Taqwa, De'Andra, Maria, Ella, Irha A, Vivian, Sai, Sumaya, Fatima, Irha I, Huda, Mushtaq, Miriam, Zuriel, Shamso, Klaudia, Chantelle, Thulika & Louise

**5.2** Hibba, Gazal, Kendra, Eva, Mumtaj, Safiya, Vera Anna, Jannat, Aimee, Zara, Atiyah, Sundus, Mariam, Amani, Arya, Khadijah, Laviny, Nashla, Marwa,



1. aggressive
2. apparent
3. appreciate
4. attached
5. committee
6. correspond
7. embarrass
8. equipped
9. harass
10. marvellous
11. profession
12. programme
13. recommend
14. suggest

SPELLING

## Reminders

**Sports Day:** 7th July at Croydon Arena @ 8:45

**Parents' Evening:** 9th & 10th July 2024

We look forward to your support and participation.

Subject	Homework	Due
English	English 10 minute Workout: Summer 12	Monday
	Spellings: (Emile Spellings & Google Classroom)	Friday
Reading	MyOn and 1 quiz of 90% or more	Thursday
Maths	Maths 10 minute Workout: Summer 12	Monday