

Winterbourne Junior Girls' School

Year 5 Newsletter



Week ending Friday 12th September 2025

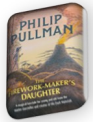
This week the girls have planned and began writing their setting description. They have revisited descriptive features such as similes and metaphors. In Grammar, they looked at Nouns: common, proper, collective and abstract and identified these in given sentences. The reading skill explored in Reading Comprehension this week was "Retrieval". The girls understand that to apply the skill, they need to read the question, then methodically scan the text for keywords related to question words like "who," "where," or "when".

In Maths, Place Value was introduced. Pupils read and wrote numbers up to one million. They also identified the place and value of each digit in the number.

We celebrated Roald Dahl's Day on Friday. Pupils were treated to cake and a drink, as they enjoyed our reading marathon. Thank you to all parents for your contribution of £1, which, will be given to Roald Dahl's Marvellous Children's Charity.

Curriculum

Class Text: The Firework Maker's Daughter



English: Setting Description

Math: Place Value: Comparing Number

RE: Why should we care for the world?

Science Unit: Mysterious Materials



10 min English & Maths Autumn Workout 2

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.



Kindness

5.1

Elisa

5.2

Kelliana

PE

Dajewo, Awa,
Precious, Navros

ambitious
cautious
fictitious
infectious
nutritious
vexatious
pretentious
contentious
ostentatious
conscientious



Star of the Week

5.1

Sahra & Pritika

5.2

Thuvaragi &
Shanzay



Word
of
the Week

brandish

The Value of the Month is: SELF

"Self-awareness gives you the capacity to learn from your mistakes as well as your successes. It enables you to keep growing."

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There are some fascinating items of interest about Winterbourne Junior Girls' School.

Reading Certificates

Monae Pritika Donella Ayesha Effiba
Ayesha A Maryam Nowshin Thuvaragi
Pritika B Grace-Diamond Emaan Ava
Eva Yathavie Sofia Nibrasse Inthu
Misri

Swimming continues next Thursday for Class 5.1.

Thank you

Thank you to all parents who attended our Winterbourne Expects on Thursday 11.09.25. A positive school-parent relationship is essential for your child's academic and emotional well-being.

Notice



Roald Dahl Day winners