

Winterbourne Junior Girls' School

Year 5 Newsletter

Week ending Friday 19th September 2025



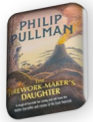
This week the girls completed their setting descriptions based on the class novel: *The Firework Maker's Daughter*. They made good use of picture stimuli to identify adjectives, adverbs, similes and metaphors to describe and create noun phrases to bring their descriptions to life. In Reading Comprehension, they explored the "Comparison" skills which allowed them to analyse and draw connections between texts and ideas.

In Science, the girls experimented, testing the strength of carrier bags in a real life context. They were able to make conclusions from their results and provide suitable recommendations for future products. They also investigated soluble and insoluble materials.

Pupils have begun a new unit in Computing - "quizzing", exploring the features of the 2quiz programme. They have begun to experiment with creating simple question types such as multiple choice, Text Entry, Number and Spelling.

Curriculum

Class Text: The Firework Maker's Daughter



English: Explanation Text

Math: Place Value: Comparing Number

RE: Why should we care for the world?

Science Unit: Mysterious Materials



10 min English & Maths Autumn Workout 3

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

Melissa & Cristina

5.2

Sana

PE



Nibrasse, Inaaya
Sahra, Aniyah

Physical Symbol

System Symbol

Myth Gym

Egypt Pyramid

Mystery Style

Hymn Lyric

Type



The Value of the Month is: SELF



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

Word of the Week

deluge

Star of the Week

5.1

Johanna & Aisha

5.2

Inthu & Sana



Reading Certificates

Thuvaragi Nuwaria Nibrasse Emaan Ruhee Pranika Inthu
Aisha Harmaine Aniyah Monae Donella Kimberly Ayesha
Ayna Carmen Sahar Elena



Swimming continues next Thursday for Class 5.1.

