

Aspen Class Year 6

Welcome to Aspen Class ! Mrs Norman and Mrs Craft

In **Science** we are looking at evolution and inheritance and in **RE** we will be looking at the religion of Islam.

Literacy. This term we begin with Hansel and Gretel and over the whole year there will be a big emphasis on spelling and grammar. Each child also has a class reading book which they are expected to read at home and will discuss fortnightly with an adult at school.

Our Topic until December is **World War Two**. 'We'll meet again'. If you have any resources, books or materials you would like to share with the class or you think will enrich our topic please send them in. Our class trip this term will be on **Thursday 12th September** to Didcot Railway Museum to experience a day in the life of an evacuee.

Our PE day is Tuesday and the class will be taken by our PE expert Miss Turner. Please ensure your child has suitable clothing for indoor or outdoor PE and that every item of clothing is labelled.



Homework will be sent home on a **Thursday** and is due back in the following **Monday**. Merits will be awarded for excellent homework. Once a fortnight there will also be spellings to learn. Anyone not handing in homework without a valid excuse (e.g. illness) will be required to complete on a Monday lunch time. There is a weekly homework club 3-4pm on a Thursday if your child needs support to complete homework.

Year 6 **Maths** will include revision and deepening of topics covered lower down the school. The children will work on three-step problems, using addition, subtraction, multiplication and division. They will be encouraged to work independently, deciding themselves on the best method of solving a problem, and then estimating their results and checking to see if they are correct.

