

As scientists we will be studying evolution and inheritance. We will study the Galapagos Islands (including Charles Darwin's discoveries and studies) and how the animals there have adapted and evolved within their environment. We will look at family trees and how we have inherited our looks from our parents. For topic, we will look at the characteristics of house elves and Harry's inherited features from his parents.



Year 6
Have we always
looked like
this?

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As mathematicians we will be working on becoming fluent, reasoning and answering increasingly difficult word problems about fractions, decimals and percentages.

As readers, we will base our work around *Skellig* by David Almond.

We will continue to look at the house elves in the Harry Potter books - to look at family resemblances and how they might have evolved. We will also look at the Black family tree.

As musicians we will have singing lessons, every Friday, with Mrs. Artist.

As computer programmers we will study coding.

As language learners we will be studying French with Mrs. Jackson. We will also learn about Christianity and the Sikh religion with Mrs. Jackson.

As writers, we will write recounts in the form of newspapers and narratives. We will also write a biography of Darwin.

Class novel: *Skellig*: David Almond.

