



# Moor House School News and Events

## Year 10s visit The Houses of Parliament

**3rd May 2007**

On May 3<sup>rd</sup> all Year 10s, accompanied by Miss Carroll, visited the Houses of Parliament to find out about the workings of the House of Commons, the House of Lords and the Government.



The day started with a really interesting presentation about the House of Commons and a talk from the research assistant working with Peter Ainsworth, the local MP for Moor House. The group then went on a tour of the Houses of Parliament, starting with the spot where Guy Fawkes was executed; there was then a chance to listen to a debate in the House of Commons on policing followed by the subject of stem cell research being debated in the House of Lords.



The day ended with a quick walk down Whitehall to Downing Street; sadly, Mr Blair was not in!

The knowledge, attitude and enthusiasm of the students was commented on by all who met them, so well done to the Year 10s!



Report by Miss Carroll