



Fountains Newsletter

Autumn 1 2021



A very warm welcome to our Year 2/3 class.

I hope you have had a wonderful summer holiday and enjoyed spending time with your family and friends.

It is great to be back in school and I'm looking forward to a busy, exciting (and hopefully more normal) term ahead. I know we weren't able to have our transition days in July so as we start, there are lots of opportunities to take part in exciting and practical learning experiences. As well as this we will be looking for the children to demonstrate their very best behaviour, effort and attitude throughout this school year.

Our topic is **'Why is the UK so wonderful?'**



Science – Animals including Humans

R.E. – How should we care for people in the world and why does it matter?

Computing – Coding (Purple Mash)



P.E. will be on a **WEDNESDAY** for the 1st half term.

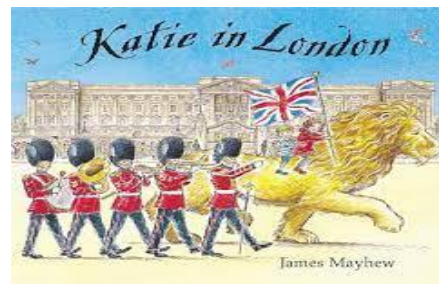
Please can children have their P.E. kit in school **all week**; it just means we can change our P.E. day if the weather isn't very good. Children will need a school hoodie and dark tracksuit bottoms or leggings for the Autumn term, I don't want anyone getting cold in our outside sessions.



Forest Schools & Music - will be on a **TUESDAY** afternoon – Please bring comfortable, outdoor clothes, trainers and a school jumper to change into.

(Wellies and a waterproof coat will also be needed)

English – I have chosen two class texts this half term; one is funny and lends itself to some great, adventure story writing and the other links perfectly with our topic.



Maths – Lots of work on Place Value this half term, introducing or reinforcing multiplication tables as well as addition and subtraction.

Homework – Work will be sent home on a Friday. Please can it be returned by the following Thursday then I have chance to mark it.

(Spellings will be on Google Classroom each week) and the children will have a spelling test every THURSDAY morning.

I am looking forward to working with Mrs Gulliver and Mrs Price in Fountains class this year and I am sure the children will all settle in quickly to their new class.

Please just ask if there is anything you are unsure about.

Kind Regards, Mrs Sowray

Dates for your diary so far...

Friday 17th September - Jeans for Genes Day

Thursday 23rd September - KS1 Fun Run (Y2's only)

Monday 11th October – Individual photos

