

# **School Uniform Policy**

It is our school policy that all children wear school uniform when attending school, or when participating in a school organized event outside normal school hours. A complete list of the items needed for school uniform is listed below.

Our policy on school uniform is based on the notion that school uniform:

- is designed with health and safety in mind
- promotes a sense of pride in the school;
- engenders a sense of community and belonging towards the school;
- is practical and smart;
- identifies the children with the school;
- prevents children from coming to school in fashion clothes that could be distracting in class;
- makes children feel equal to their peers in terms of appearance;
- is regarded as suitable wear for school and good value for money by most parents;
- is conducive to good educational practice

To ensure that these aims are realised, the headteacher retains overall responsibility for assessing the appropriateness of individual items of clothing and hair style.

### **Jewellery**

For health and safety reasons, we do not allow children to wear jewellery in our school. The exceptions to this rule are earring studs in pierced ears and watches. Watches should be a sensible size, should not distract either the child or other pupils and should always be removed for PE. Smart watches are not permitted to be worn in school

### Hair & beauty

For reasons of safety and personal hygiene, we ask that long hair may be tied back with simple hair accessories.

The school does not permit children to have 'extreme' haircuts, brightly coloured hair dye, nail varnish or makeup.

### **Footwear**

All children are required to have a pair of black, flat-soled shoes to wear at school and a pair of plain, mostly black trainers or daps for their PE kit.

Modifications to the uniform policy may only be considered through the usual Governor channels. The school welcomes children from all backgrounds and faith communities. If there are serious reasons, for example on religious grounds, why parents want their child to wear clothes that differ from the school uniform, then the school will of course consider any such requests.

In the event of children not adhering to the school uniform policy, a note will be sent home asking that they wear the correct uniform

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Clothing and footwear:

- Plain grey trousers, shorts, skirt or dress
- Blue and white gingham dress or playsuit (spring/summer months)
- Plain white or light blue polo shirt
- Blue sweatshirt or cardigan embroidered with school logo
- Plain white, grey or black socks
- Plain black, flat shoes
- Plain, flat sandals (summer months)

PE kit (in a named bag to be kept at school)

- Plain black or navy tracksuit bottoms or shorts of an appropriate length
- Plain white t-shirt
- School P.E. hoodie, school jumper, school cardigan or school fleece
- Plain black trainers or daps
- Hair ties for children with long hair



Dear Parent/Carer,

It has come to our attention that	is not
wearing the correct uniform today.	

Please see details below.

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Please can we ask that you ensure they are wearing the correct uniform as below.

Kind regards.

Mr E Powe

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