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SCHOOL UNIFORM POLICY

ALL UNIFORM MUST BE CLEARLY LABELLED WITH CHILD'S NAME





The general school uniform is as follows:

<u>Boys</u>

Black/ Grey school trousers Purple sweatshirt (with school logo) White school shirt or polo shirt Black school shoes (no trainers) Black or grey school shorts for summer

<u>Girls</u>

Black/Grey pinafore/skirt/school trousers (no leggings) Purple sweatshirt or cardigan (with school logo) White school blouse or polo shirt Black school shoes (no trainers) Purple gingham dress for summer Grey knee length school shorts for summer

N.B. Children can wear boots to school in the winter but they are requested to bring in school shoes to change into when in school.

<u>Non-compulsory items – Boys and Girls</u> Reversible jackets, fleeces & book bags Available to order from the school

<u>General school uniform should be worn on days when children do not have P.E./Games lessons/Forest</u> <u>Schools – You will be advised which days they will need to wear their P.E. kit.</u>

P.E & Games Kit

We have a unisex uniform for P.E. and games lessons. It is as follows:



<u>P.E./Games Kit</u> Purple polo shirt with school logo Black shadow shorts Black jogging bottoms hoodie with school logo



Black pumps for outdoor use (P.E) Trainers for playground/indoor sports Football boots, football socks and shin pads (Games – Purple football/rugby)

Kit Bag - Printed with school logo and child's name.

Children should come into school <u>wearing</u> their P.E/Games kit on their designated P.E./Games lesson days. All items of kit (except footwear and shin pads) are available to order from school.

Key Stage 2 have Games lessons <u>every week</u>. Games lessons are usually outside and in all weathers. Parents should ensure that their child wears the appropriate games kit into school every week on the designated Games lesson day to enable them to take part in the lesson - please note that football kits must not be worn. The children must have football boots and shin pads for football and tag rugby, trainers should be worn for other sports. In cold weather skins can also be worn under their shorts and polo shirt. In warm weather children can wear their black shorts. Please ensure your child wears the correct kit, different coloured hoodies are not permitted.

Children are not allowed into school in muddy boots/trainers, they must leave them outside the external doors to be placed in plastic bags for going home. Please provide your child with a carrier bag each week for muddy footwear.

Before and After School Activities (KS2) – if your child has a before or after school activity such as running club, mini tennis etc. they should wear their P.E./Games kit into school even if they do not have P.E./Games during the school day.

<u>Swimming Lessons (KS2)</u> – some Year groups will take part in swimming lessons during the school year. If your child has swimming lessons they should wear their P.E./Games kit into school and bring their swimming in a separate bag.

Forest Schools – the children will be advised in advance when they will be having Forest Schools lessons. On Forest Schools days children should wear their P.E./Games kit with base layers underneath, please do not send in a second coat. The children should bring in boots/wellies, hats/scarfs/gloves (weather dependent) plus waterproofs if you have them, in a named bag.

<u>Dress & Appearance</u> - The head teacher will be the final arbiter concerning suitability of a pupil's dress and appearance.

No jewellery to be worn with the exception of a watch and one pair of suitable stud earrings. Children are asked not to wear earrings on P.E. and Games days or to remove them independently before a lesson. Staff are not permitted to remove earrings. If for any reason a child is unable to remove their earrings (i.e. newly pierced) please provide plasters or tape to cover their earrings during the lesson.

<u>Hair</u> - Should be kept neat and tidy and suitable for school. Children should not have their hair shaved or dyed and no tram lines or hair extensions. Long hair, below shoulder length, should be tied back so that it is neat and tidy.

Lost Property - If uniform is clearly labelled we are able to return lost items to the child, unfortunately, we still find a lot of uniform unlabelled. To ensure your child does not lose any items of uniform, please, please ensure everything is clearly labelled and check regularly to ensure name has not faded etc.

PLEASE ENSURE THAT ALL YOUR CHILD'S PROPERTY IS CLEARLY NAMED WITH A PEN THAT DOES NOT WASH OFF!

We encourage all children to take responsibility for their own possessions. However, it is important to report any loss to your class teacher or teaching assistant. The majority of items reported lost or stolen are usually misplaced and are often found in the classroom, corridor or the playground. Please help us by encouraging your child to make sure they have all their belongings with them when leaving these areas.

If your child inadvertently brings home an item that is not their own, please return it to school as soon as possible so that it can be returned to its owner.

It is essential that all children's clothing and possessions are clearly named. Sadly, this will not necessarily prevent losses occurring, but it will enable the many articles brought to lost property to be returned to their owners.

EVERY REASONABLE EFFORT WILL BE MADE TO LOCATE ITEMS BUT THE SCHOOL IS NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY LOST PROPERTY.

We will advise on our Weekly Newsletter when lost property is on display for parents to come and check for any lost items. Any uncollected lost property will be sent to charity at the end of each term.