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SCHOOL CLOTHING POLICY

Our school uniform is very important to us. A uniform is a good way of helping children to feel part of the school community. Children are expected to dress in a neat and tidy manner at all times. **Jeans are not acceptable.** Children should be sent in trousers, shirts, jumpers, or skirts, blouses jumpers and cardigans. **Tracksuits are suitable only for games lessons.**

If you are uncertain, it is always wise to check with the school office on matters of dress. Please mark children's coats, hats, gloves etc. clearly with their name and remember to do this every time that you replace any of these items as this helps considerably when sorting out lost property.

Please Note: WJS School bags & PE Bags are compulsory. Please see School Uniform page 20.

The school is not liable for loss or damage to pupils' property, nor is any teacher obliged to look after it.

PE KIT

PE is a part of the curriculum where some special clothing is important. We would ask that your child has a pair of black plimsolls and a bag to keep them in. Trainers are not suitable for indoor apparatus work, as they are too inflexible. They can be used for outdoor activities such as athletics.

All children should have a PE kit consisting of tee shirt and shorts for indoor work. No tights will be allowed in PE lessons.

In addition to this, due to the change to the P.E. curriculum, the children will require outdoor P.E clothing. This will consist of non branded navy sweat pants and navy sweat top. These can be purchased at a low cost from outlets such as Tesco, Asda, Primark etc.

NO JEWELLERY MAY BE WORN IN SCHOOL

(This is a requirement of the Local Education Authority, and is a Health and Safety regulation)

NO TOYS OR ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT WILL BE ALLOWED.

Any valuables brought into school remain the child's responsibility.

Each child must have a PE kit available.

Outer clothing should be clearly labelled with the child's name. Tee shirts with any slogans or logos (apart from the school's) are not allowed.



THE WEARING OF CLOTHING AND ARTICLES FOR RELIGIOUS PURPOSES

The Governing Body is aware of the fact that some parents may wish their children to wear particular articles of clothing and other marks of their faith.

The Governors have agreed that requests from parents for children to wear certain types of clothing or items for specifically religious reasons will be treated sympathetically and with respect.

All such requests should be made to the Headteacher in the first instance who will wish to see the parents and discuss the matter, raising issues of health and safety if necessary.

LOST PROPERTY

In a community of over 270 children (2019/20 intake) you will appreciate that we have many belongings of similar nature - coats, anoraks, school bags, lunch boxes, PE kit and so on. Please ensure that all items are clearly labelled with your child's name. Children should and will be encouraged to take care of their own property. In case of losses they should check in the lost property box, which is kept by the main school office.

**LOST PROPERTY WILL ONLY BE KEPT FOR
A MAXIMUM OF 2 WEEKS.
IF IT IS NOT COLLECTED IT WILL BE
RECYCLED.**



SCHOOL UNIFORM LIST

OUR SCHOOL UNIFORM CAN BE PURCHASED FROM: www.premierschoolwear.co.uk INCLUDING WJS BOOK BAG & PE BAG

GIRLS	BOYS
WINTER	WINTER
Navy/Grey Skirts – Knee Length	Trousers/grey/navy/black
Navy/Grey Pinafore Dresses – Knee Length	
Navy/Grey smart tailored trousers (NOT LEGGINGS, STRETCHY MATERIAL OR JEANS)	
White Shirt (or Pale Blue)	White Shirt (or Pale Blue)
School Sweatshirt – Navy	School Sweatshirt – Navy
Navy Cardigan or Jumper	Navy Jumper
White or Navy Socks/Tights	Navy or Black Socks
FLAT HEELED BLACK SHOES	FLAT HEELED BLACK SHOES
TRAINERS MUST BE PLAIN BLACK (no logo)	
BOOTS are not part of our school uniform (Boots are defined as shoes that come above the ankle) However, during the cold winter months, pupils may wear boots to and from school provided that they change into school shoes during the day	
SUMMER	SUMMER
GIRLS	BOYS
Dress or Skirt in Blue and White Check	Short Sleeve Shirt
Navy Skirt	Trousers Grey or Navy
White or Pale Blue Tee Shirts	(Long or Short)
Shirts	White or Pale Blue Tee Shirt
Fred Perry Style preferred – NO LOGO other than the school one	
WHITE SOCKS (not bare feet)	Black or Navy Socks
White, Black or Navy Sandals/Shoes (Not strappy/ fashion or high heeled, not open toed)	Black or Navy Shoes/Sandals (not open toed)
FLAT HEELED BLACK SHOES	FLAT HEELED BLACK SHOES
TRAINERS MUST BE PLAIN BLACK (no logo)	
NO BOOTS (SHOES THAT COME ABOVE THE ANKLE ARE CLASSED AS BOOTS)	
HEADWEAR – Hijab – Navy Blue	
GIRLS P E KIT	BOYS P E KIT
Plain Tee Shirts/School Logo	Plain Tee Shirts/School Logo (summer)
Shorts or Sports Skirt/Navy (summer)	Shorts Navy
Sweat Pants & Sweat Top (winter)	Sweat Pants & Sweat Top (winter)
NOT CYCLING OR BERMUDA SHORTS	
Plimsolls - Black (for indoor use only)	Plimsolls - Black (for indoor use only)
Trainers may be worn for outside games	
One Piece Swimming Costume	Swimming Trunks (NO Bermuda Shorts)
Swimming Hat	Swimming Hat
Watches	School permits a <u>small</u> wrist watch Fit bits will not be allowed.
P.E. bags and WJS book bags	P.E. bags and WJS book bags
Religious Wear: Navy Blue Hijab	Religious Wear: Navy Blue Hijab

For health, safety and security reasons **NO JEWELLERY IS TO BE WORN IN SCHOOL**

With so many items of a similar make, colour and size, you are particularly requested to ensure that all items of clothing and footwear are clearly marked with the child's name.

Please Note: The school does not permit '**Extreme**' haircuts.
Shoulder length hair (boy or girl) must be tied back.

