School Uniform Policy

Introduction

It is our school's policy that all children are encouraged to wear uniform when attending school or when participating in school organised events.

Aims and Objectives

The policy for school uniform is based on the belief that a common uniform:

- Promotes a sense of pride in the school
- Engenders a sense of community and belonging to the school
- Is practical and smart
- Helps children to feel equal to their peers in terms of appearance
- Is regarded as suitable wear for school and is considered by parents as good value for money
- Is designed with health and safety in mind

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Winter	
Girls • White blouse or white polo shirt (plain or with school logo) • Red sweatshirt / cardigan (plain or with school logo) • Grey skirt, pinafore dress or tailored trousers (not leggings) • Black flat-soled shoes (not boots or trainers)	Boys • White shirt or white polo shirt (plain or with school logo) • Red sweatshirt (plain or with school logo) • Grey tailored trousers • Black flat-soled shoes (not boots or trainers)
Summer (optional)	
Girls	Boys
 Red and white gingham dress 	Grey shorts
Closed-toed sandals	Closed-toed sandals

P.E

- White or red T-shirt (plain or with school logo)
- Black shorts
- Pumps/training shoes (dependent upon activity)

Plain black jogging bottoms or plain black leggings for cold weather

PE kit should be kept in a named drawstring bag to hang on a peg.

Swimming

- One-piece costume (girls) / trunks (boys)
- Towel
- · Items should be in a named waterproof bag

Jewellery

The only items of jewellery permitted in school are plain stud earrings. These should always be removed or taped over for P.E and swimming. School staff cannot remove or tape over earrings.

The Role of the Governing Body

- It is governors' responsibility to ensure that school uniform meets all the regulations concerning equal opportunities;
- The governors will consider, with the headteacher, any requests from parents for individual children to have special dispensation, either for religious or medical reasons, with regard to school uniform;
- Governors will ensure, through the headteacher, that school uniform prices remain competitive;

Logo school uniform items are available from Lads and Lasses, Bridgnorth www.ladsandlassesschoolwear.co.uk

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