

School Uniform Policy

Introduction

It is our school policy that all children wear school uniform when attending school, or when participating in a school-organised event outside normal school hours. We provide a complete list of the items needed for school uniform in our Parent Handbook.

Aims and objectives

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

- 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 designed with health and safety in mind

Primary School: Nursery - Year 6

Boys

School trousers: Long black/grey tailored
(The wearing of denim and skinny black trousers is not permitted.)
Black/Grey school shorts may be worn in summer if preferred.
White school shirt or white polo shirt (collar outside the sweatshirt)
Blue Trinity sweatshirt: from Supplier - see below
Shoes: Flat black leather type (not black canvas or suede shoes.) Trainers and boots are not permitted. Shoes other than black are not permitted.

Girls

Black/Grey school skirt: Long black/grey tailored trousers may be worn if preferred.
White school shirt or white polo shirt (collar outside the sweatshirt)
Blue Trinity sweatshirt: from Supplier - see below
Girls may wear blue and white checked school dresses in the Summer Term.
Shoes: Flat black leather type (not black canvas or suede shoes.) Trainers and boots are not permitted. Shoes other than black are not permitted.

Secondary School Year 7-Year 11**Boys**

- Trousers: long black tailored school trousers.
(N.B. The wearing of denim and skinny black trousers or jogging pants is not permitted.)
- Shirt: white school shirt, (button to the top for tie, shirt tucked in at all times)
- Blazer: Trinity logo, black (Supplier only)
- Jumper: Trinity logo, black (Supplier only)
- Tie: School tie (Supplier only)
- Shoes: Flat black leather type (not black canvas or suede shoes.) Trainers and boots are not permitted*. Shoes other than black are not permitted.

Girls

- Skirt: black box-pleated school skirt, no more than 2” above the knee, or alternatively, trousers: long black tailored school trousers.
(N.B. The wearing of denim and skinny black trousers or jogging pants is not permitted.)
- Shirt: white school blouse, (button to the top for tie, shirt tucked in at all times). During the Summer Term girls may wear a light blue shirt, (button to the top for tie, shirt tucked in at all times).
- Blazer: Trinity logo, black (Supplier only)
- Jumper: Trinity logo, black (Supplier only)
- Tie: School tie (Supplier only)
- Shoes: Flat black leather type (not black canvas or suede shoes.) Trainers and boots are not permitted*. Shoes other than black are not permitted.

*except where there is a medical or other valid reason given via a note from Parent/s.

P.E Dress Code - Primary and Secondary Pupils

- Predominantly black or navy tracksuit bottoms
(Black sports shorts may be worn in the summer term if preferred. However, jogging bottoms should be worn in school prior to the P.E lesson.)
- No leggings or cycling shorts are permitted.
- White polo shirt
- Blue Trinity Sweatshirt (from Supplier - see below)
- Plain Black/White Trainers

Summer Dress Code

The school jumper is optional for Secondary pupils from the beginning of Term 3. Pupils can choose if they want to wear their school jumper or not. All other items of clothing however, must be worn.

Our supplier is:

JFC Sports, Unit 8A, Redfern Street Industrial Estate, Off Meadow Street, Hyde, SK15 1RD. 0161 367 7700.

Those items not listed as 'Supplier only' can be purchased from any clothes retailer, as long as the School Dress Code is followed.

Other relevant points:

Earrings: One pair of small studs are permitted (gold or silver only)

Facial and body piercings are strictly not permitted

Hair styles: the colouring and dying of hair is not permitted (unless this is a natural hair colour). Long hair should be tied back and off the face.

Jewellery: no jewellery other than a wrist watch is permitted (medical bracelets are permitted)

Shirts: Other than at games times, shirts must be tucked in.

Make-Up: In recognition of their maturity we allow our students in students in Y11 to wear light make up - of a natural effect. We reserve the right to ask a student to remove their make should this natural effect not be in place.

We do not permit anyone to wear fake tan, lipstick, false nails, false eyelashes, nail varnish or filled in eyebrows.

Arriving at and leaving school

Pupils must be in uniform (correctly worn) when entering and leaving the school site. Pupils may not change into other clothes before leaving school, unless a written request has been received from their parent/carer, explaining exceptional circumstances, e.g. dance exam, drama performance, sporting fixture

Revision Date

Summer 2018

As a school community, we want to work together on the issue of uniform and to encourage all pupils to respect the School's policy. On the rare occasions when a pupil refuses to comply, then the following sanctions will be used:

Sanctions

On the first occasion that a pupil is found to be breaking the School Dress Code a verbal warning from the Form or Class Teacher will be administered, and a written slip will be sent home to parents to inform them that their child was inappropriately dressed. Parents will be asked to acknowledge the letter by returning a written slip to school.

A record of this will be kept on file

On the second occasion that a pupil is found to be breaking the School Dress Code the pupil will be put in detention. A letter will be sent to parents informing them of the infraction of the School Dress Code.

A record of this will be kept on file

On the third occasion that a pupil is found to be breaking the School Dress Code in any half term, parents will be required to attend a meeting with the Headteacher.

A record of this will be kept on file, and any further breaches of the uniform policy will result in an immediate detention with the possibility of further disciplinary action.

The role of governors

Governors ensure that the School Uniform Policy helps children to dress sensibly, in clothing that is hardwearing, safe and practical and meets all regulations concerning equal opportunities. The Governing Body supports the Headteacher in implementing the School Uniform Policy.