



30th April 2024

School Uniform

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

We have noticed recently that children are attending school in clothing that is not in line with our School Uniform Policy. We pride ourselves in having a practical, sensible, and smart uniform.

If you have any items of school uniform in good condition, please feel free to donate this to school and we will try to ensure that it is passed on. Likewise, if you need any uniform please do ask the office in the first instance to see if we have some available.

We respectfully ask all parents to support our school uniform policy and ensure that each child is sent to school dressed appropriately in smart attire.

<u>School Uniform items</u>	<u>PE Uniform items</u>
- Red Sweatshirt or Cardigan with the school logo	- White T-shirt with the school logo
- White Shirt or Polo Shirt	- Plain Black Shorts, Leggings or Tracksuit Trousers
- Black or Grey School Trousers, Pinafore, Skirt or knee length shorts	- Plain dark coloured sweatshirt
- Black School shoes, not boots	- Black Pumps or Trainers

We would be grateful if you could ensure that your child **does not** wear the following:

- Sports shirts (Rugby or Football tops)
- Hoodies
- Leggings (unless for PE)
- Shoes with heels
- Trainers (unless for PE)
- Heelys, trainers with wheels in the base
- Flip flops, beach shoes or mules
- Boots. If your child wears boots to school, they must bring their school shoes with them to change into.

If the weather is truly awful, the children will not go out, or will go outside for 10-15 minutes to get some much-needed fresh air. As the children are encouraged to go outside in all weathers they may also require:

- A waterproof hooded jacket
- A hat for sunny days
- A hat, scarf, and gloves for cold days

Jewellery

For health and safety reasons we do not allow children to wear jewellery to school.

Exceptions are made for:

- Wrist watches. Not smart watches.

Growing faith. Challenging minds. Discovering talents.

- Small earring studs in pierced ears. Not hoops.
- Small objects of religious significance or medical necessity.

We do ask the children to either remove these objects during PE, games, and swimming, or to cover them with a plaster/tape to prevent any potential injuries from occurring.

Supplier details

Uniform items with a logo can be purchased via the Just Schoolwear website:

<https://just-schoolwear.co.uk/product-category/higham-on-the-hill-primary/>

The Suppliers hold stock of logo school uniform items in a variety of sizes. Polo Shirts, Shirts, Trousers, Skirts etc can be purchased from any school uniform retailer and most supermarkets have a school uniform range.

Our school PFA also have preloved school uniform which they sell at a low price. Please ask at the school office if you are looking for something in particular.

Lost Property

Please ensure that **all** items of clothing are clearly labelled with your child's name. The school cannot accept responsibility for any articles that are lost or damaged.

Special Circumstances

As a Church of England school, we believe that ALL are welcome, therefore any requests for exceptions to the Uniform Policy on medical or religious grounds should be sent to the Headteacher.

If you have any questions regarding school uniform, please ask at the school office.

Thank you.



Mrs R Dolby-Molson

Executive Headteacher