Pembroke Primary School



Policy for School Uniform 2023

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.

Aims and objectives

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

- promotes a sense of pride in the school and ensures that all pupils feel welcome;
- engenders a sense of community and belonging towards the school;
- is practical and smart;
- identifies the children with the school;
- makes children feel equal to their peers in terms of appearance and therefore encourages good relations between different groups of pupils;
- is regarded as good value for money by most parents;

Uniform

Our school colours are navy blue. We ask that all children wear the uniform and we encourage them to maintain a good standard of clean and tidy dress in school. Our school uniform is as follows:

Navy jumper or cardigan White or navy blouse, shirt or polo t-shirt Grey skirt or trousers / shorts Blue and white dress in the summer term Sensible black shoes

Parents are asked to ensure that all items are labelled clearly with their child's name. For safety reasons we ask that no jewellery is worn at school except a watch and stud earrings.

PE Kit

We ask that all pupils have a PE kit in school at all times.

PE is a compulsory part of the statutory curriculum from age 4 to 16. Clothing and footwear are important aspects to safety in PE. A change of clothing for PE is important, for reasons of hygiene and to ensure the clothing is suited to the physical activity.

Our uniform for PE is as follows:

White / Navy t-shirt Navy / Black school shorts Black daps or trainers for outdoor games. PE kit should be kept in a named bag. PE kit should be kept in school and returned home for washing during holidays. *All items of PE clothing should be named*.

The role of parents

We ask all parents who send their children to our school to support the school uniform policy. We believe that parents have a duty to send their children to school correctly dressed and ready for their daily schoolwork. One of the responsibilities of parents is to ensure that their child has the correct uniform.

We encourage all parents to talk to any member of staff if your child isn't wearing the uniform, including PE kit, due to current circumstances. You may be entitled to support with costs or we would happily make alternative arrangements. Further information can be found at the following link; https://gov.wales/pupil-development-grant-access

All uniform is available from: www.myclothing.com support@myclothing.com

www.kudoscompanies.co.uk

The Friends of Pembroke group also have a large stock of good quality second hand uniform for a suggested £1 an item. If you would like to check their stock or enquire about uniform please email them on fop@pembrokeprimary.co.uk