



Wyndham Park Infants School & St Mark's C of E Junior School

Uniform Policy

Uniform is an important part of our school identity, it reinforces who we are as a community and helps the children to feel pride in their school, it also prepares them for life after school, where many will have to dress smartly for work.

Our uniform is simple and can be purchased online through the school website from our uniform provider, <http://www.brigade.uk.com/>

Please ensure all clothing has your child's name in or on it.

Children may come to school in their PE kits on the days when they have PE or when instructed to do so only.

Our School Uniform is...

- Embroidered scarlet round neck sweatshirt or cardigan – sourced through Brigade
- Charcoal grey or black school trousers or tailored shorts or grey school skirt/culottes
- White or red polo shirt or white shirt/blouse (long or short sleeves)
- Red and white gingham/striped dress or grey pinafore dress

We can also offer an embroidered fleece and an embroidered reversible waterproof jacket (St. Mark's only). These items are 'in addition to' a jumper/cardigan and not a replacement.

Shoes

It is important that children wear sensible school shoes (black or brown) and not trainers – all through the year, including the summer or at the end of a term. Shoes with large heels are particularly unsuitable for the safety of children, especially when they need to run and play at break times. Slip on footwear e.g. mules, flip flops or 'Crocs' are not suitable for school and are not allowed. Plain black ankle boots with no heel are permitted in winter months.

Sports Kit

- Red T-Shirt with printed logo and black plain shorts and
- Trainers (these do not need to be in school colours)
- Tracksuits or equivalent are recommended for outdoor sessions/in winter but must be plain and in the school colours of red/black/grey. Tracksuits should not have large logos.

Where can we buy items from?

- Embroidered items or with our logo can be ordered via the school website under the uniform tab
- Any local clothing retailer, Supermarket etc

Hairstyles

Hairstyles should be sensible and practicable. Coloured hair or extreme cuts are not suitable for school (this includes patterns shaved into hair using clippers). Long hair should be kept tidy and tied back. Hair should not impede PE lessons. Tied back hair is less susceptible to transmittable agents e.g. head lice.



Jewellery

No Jewellery should be worn for school. Exceptions include a sensible watch and stud earrings. Pierced ears, within the first 6/8 weeks, should be covered with a plaster/medical tape (provided by home) during sports sessions. For health and safety reasons children are not permitted to wear necklaces or bracelets or rings because of the potential danger to the wearer and others. This includes religious symbols. Any parent having concerns over this should speak directly to the Headteacher.

Make up, false eyelashes or nail varnish must not be worn for school.

Further Guidance:

- Sunhats are recommended for the summer term (protecting your child from the harmful effects of the sun is a priority here). Sun cream is to be administered by parents **before** school please, when required.

Pupils with additional needs

We recognise that some pupils find certain fabrics less comfortable than others and we are pleased to let you know that many stores, such as Asda, now produce "Easy on Wear" which is designed specifically with sensory needs in mind. Please discuss any issues with the headteacher.