



Uniform Policy

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Our Mission Statement:

Our vision is to nurture and inspire our whole school community, to use their God-given gifts, to be the best that they can be, so that they can let their light shine to the world.



It is our school policy that all children wear school uniform when attending school, or when participating in school-organised events outside normal school hours. A complete list of the items needed for school uniform, including those for Physical Education, is to be found at the end of this policy.

Aims and objectives

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

- promotes a sense of pride in our school;
- helps to create a sense of community and belonging towards the school;
- identifies the children with the school;
- supports our commitment to inclusion;
- prevents children from wearing 'fashion clothes' that could be distracting in class;
- is practical, smart and designed with health and safety in mind;
- is considered good value for money by most parents

Jewellery, Hair Ornaments, Make-up and Nail Varnish

For health and safety reasons we do not allow children to wear jewellery. The exceptions to this rule is earring studs in pierced ears, and small objects of religious significance. Children are required to remove any items during PE lessons to prevent them from causing injury.

Please note: Teachers are not permitted to remove earrings.

Footwear

For health and safety reasons we do not allow children to wear shoes with platform soles or high heels or crocs. All children are required to wear plain black shoes or black trainers without logos. If boots are worn these should also be plain black. If boots are large and prevent children from sitting comfortably on the floor they may be asked to change into their PE shoes whilst inside the school building.

The Role of Parents

We believe that one of the responsibilities of parents is to ensure that their child has the correct uniform and PE kit, and that it is clean, in good repair and that the child's name is written on all items. If a parent has difficulties for any reason with fulfilling this request they are asked to speak confidentially to a senior member of staff to discuss the issues. Parents should be assured that we will do all we can to help.

Children who arrive at school wearing non-school uniform clothing will be loaned an appropriate item from our 'nearly new' shop to wear for that day. Parents will be contacted to discuss the matter.

The school welcomes children from all backgrounds and faith communities. If there are serious reasons, for example on religious grounds, why parents want their child to wear clothes that differ from the school uniform, the school will consider such requests sympathetically. If any parent would like to request a modification to the uniform policy they should, in the first instance, contact the Executive Headteacher or Head of School.

The Role of the Local School Board

The Local School Board supports the headteacher in implementing the school uniform policy. It is the board members' responsibility to ensure that the school uniform meets all regulations concerning equal opportunities.

Local School Board members ensure that the school uniform policy enables children to dress sensibly, in clothing that is hardwearing, safe and practical.

School Uniform List

Please Note: it is not compulsory to have the school badge embroidered on clothing.

Our school dress code is as follows:

Red Polo shirt

Navy or black tailored trousers/tailored shorts/skirts

Navy blue sweatshirt (no hoods) or plain knit blue cardigan

Black sensible shoes (no logo trainers, casual shoes or fashion boots)

Plain coloured socks

Plain blue or red simple hair bands or clips (no large/coloured bows)

Outdoor coat (Non-uniform jumpers or sweatshirts should not be worn instead of a coat or jacket)

Summer Term – navy or red gingham checked dress, navy or red cardigan, navy or black tailored shorts, red polo shirt. No open toed sandals, flip flops or Crocs.

Uniform, embroidered with the school logo, can be purchased from Pinder's Schoolwear; shops are situated in Crystal Peaks shopping centre, Mansfield Road Warehouse Aston and near Rotherham Bus Station.

You may also purchase uniform from any retailer, providing it complies with our dress and colour code.

P.E. Kit

Children need a change of clothes and footwear for P.E (for health and hygiene reasons) and a bag in which to keep the kit at school. All school uniform and P.E. kit **MUST** be named. We recommend:

- Plain white t shirt
- Navy or black shorts
- Black plimsolls or pumps – Velcro fastenings are essential for younger children.
- Plain tracksuit and spare trainers for outdoor PE

Please do ensure that your child has their full PE kit in school at all times, and is equipped for outdoor PE. They will still have lessons outside, even when the weather becomes colder.

For health and safety reasons children are not permitted to wear earrings for PE. Your child's teacher will advise you when PE lessons take place so that earrings can be removed.

Pre-Loved Uniform

You can also source second hand uniform from our volunteer group. They have a Facebook page and email address so they can be contacted easily. They have a range of good quality items available. If you need school uniform please contact them in either of the following ways:

Facebook Page: Treeton C of E School Uniform

Email address: treetoncofeschooluniform@gmail.com

They are also grateful to receive donations of school uniform items in good wearable condition.

How will we encourage our pupils to wear school uniform?

We encourage our parents/ carers to support their child to wear school uniform in order to help us fulfil the objectives outlined at the beginning of this policy.

Children will receive incentives for wearing school uniform in the form of house points. The school will keep a selection of 'nearly new' spare uniform items for pupils to use if they arrive at school without school uniform.