

# Market Weighton Infant School

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## School Policy on Jewellery

Dear Parents,

I would like to inform you of the School Policy regarding the wearing of jewellery.

School Statement:

*It is requested that jewellery is not worn at School for the safety of all children.*

The L.E.A. Welfare, Health and Safety Guidelines – Physical Education state:

*“It is recommended that parents are advised to send children to School with no jewellery on days in which they participate in physical activity. All jewellery and other personal effects should be removed for physical activity. Cultural and/or religious consideration must be considered.”*

In view of this guidance received by the School we ask that your child does not wear **any** jewellery to School on the days in which he/she will be participating in PE. This would include earrings, necklaces, rings, bracelets, etc. If your child does wear jewellery on PE days, he/she will be asked to remove it personally. The item will be placed in an envelope for safe keeping and sent home with your child at the end of the day. It must be emphasised that staff **cannot** remove jewellery. Unfortunately, if your child cannot remove the jewellery then he/she will not be able to take part in the activity. Your child will therefore not fulfil National Curriculum requirements in PE.

In view of these guidelines I hope all parents will comply with our School Policy that no jewellery is worn at **School at any time.**

We hope that you understand that this policy is to protect your child and promote safe working conditions.

Yours sincerely

Mrs S Kay-Wood  
Head Teacher

