



# SUNNYFIELDS PRIMARY SCHOOL

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# Uniform Policy

**SUNNY SIX**



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## **Uniform Policy:-**

### **Introduction**

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. We ask children to wear their shirts tucked into their skirts or trousers and to take a pride in their personal appearance. Some items of uniform can be bought from school, whilst others are easily available, at very competitive prices, at local shops including supermarkets. A complete list of the items needed for school uniform including those for Physical Education are contained within 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;

### **The Role of Governors**

The governing body supports the headteacher in implementing the school uniform policy. It considers all representations from parents regarding the uniform policy and liaises with the headteacher to ensure that the policy is implemented fairly and with sensitivity. It is the governors' responsibility to ensure that the school uniform meets all regulations concerning equal opportunities. Governors ensure that the school uniform policy enables children to dress sensibly, in clothing that is hardwearing, safe and practical.

### **Monitoring and Review**

The governing body monitors and reviews the school uniform policy through its committee work by:

- seeking the views of parents, to ensure that they agree with and support the policy;
- considering, with the headteacher, any requests from parents for individual children to have special dispensation with regard to school uniform;

### **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 to wear for that day. The same system will apply for children who do not have a PE kit. 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 headteacher.

### **School Uniform List**

Our school uniform colour is a combination of red and grey/black. Most items can be bought from High Street shops. Items marked with a \* below, some of which have the school logo on, are sold in school. Please speak to our office staff for details of prices.

#### **For pupils:**

- Grey/black skirt/pinafore dress/shorts/trousers (not jogging bottoms or jeans) or red and white checked or striped dresses
- White blouse, white shirt or white polo shirt
- Red sweatshirt\* or red cardigan\*, without a hood, either plain or with the Sunnyfields logo
- Plain white / black short or knee length socks (not over the knee) or
- black, navy, red or grey tights
- Black shoes

**Please note skirts should be an appropriate length and of a style which allows girls to sit comfortably on the floor. Leggings of any kind should not be worn.**

Reversible waterproof coats and Fleece, with the school logo are also available from the school office. Please note that children should not wear scarves inside the school building. Shoes should be flat, black and appropriate for school. Your child should wear shoes which they can manage to do up independently. Please do not send your child to school in shoes which prevent them from running in the playground. If boots are worn these also should be plain black. Children who wear boots that prevent them from sitting comfortably on the floor may be asked to wear their PE shoes whilst inside the building.

#### **P.E. Kit**

Children need a change of clothes and footwear for P.E (for health and hygiene reasons) and a draw-string bag in which to keep the kit at school. All school uniform and P.E. kit MUST be named. Children can become upset as a result of lost clothing, please help us by naming everything.

#### **Pupils wear:**

- black shorts
- plain white T-shirt or polo shirt
- navy or black jogging bottoms, top and trainers for outdoor lessons in cold weather

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.

- separate information for swimming lessons will be sent to parents once their child is in year 5.

#### **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 are ear-ring 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. Hair bands, ribbons/bows or 'scrunchies' should be plain and either red or black. Hair bands should not have large flowers attached.
- Make up and nail varnish should not be worn to school unless for an out of school hours function, for example a school disco. Children who come to school in nail varnish will be asked to remove it. Extreme hairstyles are not appropriate for school. The use of styling products should be kept to a minimum and children should not have decorative patterns cut into their hair or have hair coloured or dyed.

### **Footwear**

For health and safety reasons we do not allow children to wear shoes with platform soles or high heels. All children are required to wear plain black shoes or trainers without logos as stated in the uniform list. 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. Children may change their footwear at break times in order to protect their school shoes.