

Trinity St. Peter's

Church of England Primary School where children shine

Uniform Policy

For safeguarding purposes, Trinity St. Peter's CE School policy is that all children wear school uniform when attending school, representing the school, or when participating in a school-organised event outside normal school hours unless otherwise stated.

We ask that 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 appropriately dressed and ready for school. One of the responsibilities of parents is to ensure that their child wears a clean and in good repair uniform throughout their time at Trinity St Peter's. Equally, that their child's hair is clean and is appropriately styled for school.

We want our children to come to school feeling comfortable and ready to learn. Therefore, children can come to school in Key Stage 1 and 2 wearing either the traditionally named: 'Winter' 'Summer' or school PE kit uniform. On PE days, it would be preferred if children came to school wearing their PE kits.

School uniform:

Charcoal grey 'V' neck jumper, tank top or cardigan

Grey knee length short or long trousers, culottes, skirt or pinafore

Yellow and white gingham dress /skorts

White shirt/blouse and school tie

White reversed collar shirt/blouse – no tie required

Plain yellow polo shirt

White or charcoal grey socks or tights and black shoes (not boot style or pumps)

PE Kit:

Charcoal 'V' neck grey sweat shirt with school logo

Charcoal grey jogging pants/leggings

White T shirt or White Polo shirt

Black shorts (not black leggings) or skorts

White socks and suitable trainers preferably black

Foundation pupils:

Charcoal grey jogging top with school logo on jumper and full-length joggers or Charcoal knee length joggers with school logo

Plain yellow polo shirt

Charcoal grey socks

Black shoes or trainers

The school jogging suit top, tie and book bag can only be purchased from Whittakers in Southport or from Team TSP's preloved Uniform shop.

All other items can be bought elsewhere.

Jewellery

On health and safety grounds we do not allow children to wear jewellery in our school. The exceptions to this rule are **small** earring studs in pierced ears. We ask the children to either remove these objects during PE and games, or cover them with a plaster (provided by the parent), to prevent them from causing injury. Please note, the children are not permitted to wear them for school swimming lessons.

Hair

We ask that all children keep their hair neat (shoulder length hair tied back) with no tramlines and/or overstated haircuts or hair accessories as determined by school leaders.

Additional information

Children are asked not to bring large bags into school due to limited locker space. Book bags and small lunch bags are ideal.

Children who choose to come to school in Summer or Winter uniform on PE days will need to keep their PE kits into school. Their class teacher should be informed if this is to be the case.

Children should not wear nail varnish or make up in school.

Uniform should be labelled.

We politely remind parents that they should always consult with school if a modification to the school's uniform is required for their child.

When uniform choices do not comply with school policy, in the first instance, parents will be informed by a member of staff. Where compliance continues not to be met it will be referred to the Headteacher or a member of the senior leadership in their absence, and if the family repeatedly do not abide to the policy reported to the school's governing body.

This is because we believe having a school uniform:

- promotes a sense of pride in the school;
- engenders a sense of community and belonging towards the school;
- is practical and smart;
- identifies the children with the school;
- prevents children from coming to school in fashion clothes that could be distracting in class;
- makes children feel equal to their peers in terms of appearance;
- is regarded as suitable wear for school and good value for money by most parents;
- is designed with health and safety in mind.

This policy will be reviewed annually.

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