



St Peter's Church of England (Aided) Primary School School Uniform Policy

The Governing Body of St Peter's Church of England (Aided) Primary School adopted this policy on 22nd November 2017

Signed: _____ (Chair of Governors)

Signed: _____ (Head Teacher)

Review every 3 years

Principles

We believe that all children should wear clothing that is in keeping with a purposeful learning ethos and environment. We also believe it is important that certain activities are facilitated by specialised and appropriate clothing when attending school, or when participating in a school-organised event outside normal school hours. We provide a complete list of the items needed for children's school uniform in this policy, in our school prospectus and on the website. The intention is not to infringe on any individual religious freedom. Our aim is for equality and not discrimination.

Aims

Our policy for children's school uniform is based on the belief that a school uniform:

- promotes a sense of pride in the school
- engenders a feeling of community and belonging
- is practical and smart
- identifies the children with the school
- is not distracting in class (as fashion clothes might be)
- makes children feel equal to their peers in terms of appearance
- is regarded as suitable, and good value for money, by most parents
- has been designed with health and safety in mind.

Our colours are royal blue, grey and white and the uniform is as follows:

Boys

- School royal blue sweatshirt/cardigan with school logo
- School white polo shirt
- School royal blue fleece and/or reversible fleece jacket with school logo for **outdoor wear**
- School royal blue book bag with school logo
- Grey trousers or grey shorts - please note that black is not acceptable
- Navy cagoule for outdoor wear (optional)
- Black shoes (not trainers) with grey socks

Girls

- School royal blue sweatshirt/cardigan with school logo
- School white polo shirt
- School royal blue fleece and/or reversible fleece jacket with school logo for **outdoor wear**
- School royal blue book bag with school logo

- Grey skirt or grey pinafore dress (Optional grey trousers) – please note that black is not acceptable
- Navy cagoule for outdoor wear (optional)
- Black shoes with **grey tights or white socks**
- Blue gingham dresses may be worn in the summer term
- Sensible sandals with white socks

For special occasions and events, pupils need a school white polo shirt with the school logo, available via the uniform supplier. (*This could be tie and shirt!!!*)

For PE all children need

- School white t-shirt with school logo
- School royal blue gym bag
- Navy blue PE shorts
- A pair of trainers (outdoor) and plimsolls (indoor). Optional blue/grey/navy tracksuit for outdoor P.E. bearing no other logos than the School logo.

Optional items

- School blue sunhat
- School blue knitted hat

Jewellery

On health and safety grounds we do not allow children to wear jewellery in our school. If your child has pierced ears then only studs may be worn but must be removed for PE and swimming.

Hair Accessories

If required, pupils' hair should be tied back with a simple bobble or an alic band in the school colours. Large bows are not allowed.

Make up and Cosmetics

The school does not permit such products to be worn by any children.

Exception may be made for certain medical skin conditions and we would ask that you speak to the school if this applies.

All clothing and footwear should be clearly labelled with your child's name to avoid loss of property.

Uniform supplier

The School's current uniform supplier is 'TESCO' and you may order logo and non-logo items directly from their website at: www.tesco.com/ues with effect from May 2013.

We hold "try on" stock in school for sizing purposes. We will also order for parents if they are unable to order directly from the website themselves; please note that we will charge an administration fee for this service to cover the postage costs to the school.

We appreciate that some items are available elsewhere at lower prices than our suppliers. **Non-logo items** may be purchased from other high street stores or superstores, providing that they are the right colour. This includes the grey trousers, shorts, skirts, plain white polo shirts and blue check gingham dresses.