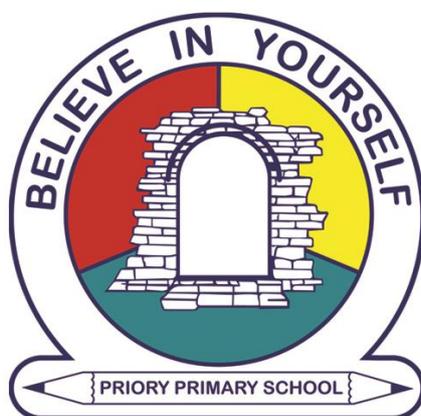


# PRIORY PRIMARY SCHOOL

## Uniform Policy



Signed: .....  
(Headteacher)

Date: .....

Signed: .....  
(Chair of Governors)

Date:.....

## **Uniform Policy**

### **INTRODUCTION**

At Priory Primary School, we pride ourselves in looking smart by wearing our school uniform, which follows the Uniform Policy. Wearing the Priory Primary School uniform promotes a sense of community within the school and allows children to demonstrate their pride in their school both within school and when they are out in the local community.

### **AIMS**

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

- promotes a sense of pride;
- engenders a feeling of belonging;
- is practical and distinctive
- identifies the children with the school;
- is not distracting in lessons (as fashion clothing and items might be);
- makes children feel equal in terms of appearance;
- reflects the sense both of community and diversity that our school takes pride in;
- Is suitable to support our learning environment.

### **OUR SCHOOL UNIFORM FROM NURSERY TO YEAR 6**

#### **Standard Uniform**

- Sky blue polo shirt
- Navy sweatshirt/cardigan (no hoodies)
- Black/grey/navy trousers/skirt/pinafore dress
- Black sensible plain shoes (no trainers, coloured logos or flashing lights)

#### **PE Kit**

- Red t-shirt
- Black shorts
- Black plimsolls (pumps)

#### **Swimming Kit**

- Swimming trunks/full swimming costume (no bikinis)
- Swimming cap for long hair
- Towel

#### **Forest School Clothing**

- Sturdy trainers or wellies
- Change of trousers or leggings and top (preferably old clothing)
- Waterproof coat
- Sun hat/sun screen (sunny days)

### **Optional Extras**

- Navy fleece for walking to and from school and playtimes
- Blue gingham dress (summer term)
- Priory book bag
- Sun hat playtimes (sunny days)

### **JEWELLERY & HEADWEAR**

In line with Dudley Local Authority's Health and Safety Policy, we do not allow children to wear jewellery in school (except for a pair of small ear studs and watches). No body piercings are allowed. All studs and jewellery must be removed on PE days. We do not allow headwear to be worn during class time or inside school buildings, except for religious or medical reasons.

### **LABELLING**

All clothing should be clearly labelled with your child's name. This is very important as uniform items look similar and can easily be confused with another child's clothing. The school cannot accept responsibility for any lost items.

### **HAIR AND NAILS**

Hair styles must be appropriate to learning in the primary school classroom. Extreme haircuts/styles and colours are strictly not allowed. Long hair should be tied back particularly for PE lessons. Staff are not permitted to do this and parents/carers of young children should do this before they come to school.

Nail polish and make-up or temporary tattoos are not allowed under any circumstances.

### **ROLE OF THE CLASS TEACHERS AND SUPPORT STAFF**

- Set a good example in terms of dress.
- Remember that in our respective roles we serve the local community as a set of professional's.
- To remind children to wear uniform. The class teacher will speak to children who do not wear the correct uniform. If children continually attend school wearing clothing which is deemed not to be uniform they are to be referred to the Phase Leader.

### **ROLE OF THE HEADTEACHER**

- The Headteacher is to ensure that pupils comply with the Uniform Policy agreed by the Governing Body.
- The Headteacher has a duty to enforce the school uniform throughout the school community, as part of the duty within maintenance of day to day discipline in the school.

- The Headteacher will speak to the parents/carers of children who persistently do not wear the correct uniform.

### **ROLE OF THE PARENTS/CARERS**

- To ensure that their child/children adhere to the school's Uniform Policy.
- Ensure that they come to school in uniform every day unless there are special circumstances such as non-uniform days.
- To ensure that all uniform is labelled correctly and clearly.
- To ensure that their child/children have the correct clothing for them to engage appropriately in lessons eg swimming kit, forest school clothes, PE kit.

### **ROLE OF THE PUPILS**

- To wear their uniform with pride.
- To take care of their uniform and their belongings.

### **EQUALITIES**

All children have equal access to wearing school uniform regardless of their culture, race, religion, gender, disability or ability. We ensure that the set uniform respects other policies such as Equalities and allows for individual sets of circumstances of all groups and individuals. Priory Primary School is committed to creating a positive climate that will enable everyone to work free from racial intimidation and harassment to achieve their full potential.

**Member of staff responsible for the Uniform Policy**  
**Date of Policy**

**Mrs J Craig**  
**September 2019**