



Dunmow St Mary's Primary School

Uniform Policy September 2017

The wearing of full school uniform is expected as an integral part of the school ethos which promotes positive attitudes, high standards and a sense of personal pride. In our view for a school uniform to be successful it must be:

1. UNIFORM and not open to various interpretations
2. DISTINCTIVE and SMART
3. EASILY and READILY AVAILABLE
4. REASONABLY PRICED

Pupils are expected to wear the correct school uniform as listed below.

Uniform

Shirt Jade Green Polo Shirt with the school logo on.

Pullover Black round neck sweatshirt with the school logo on.

Cardigan Black sweatshirt cardigan with the school logo on.

Skirt/ Pinafore dress/Shorts/ Trousers

Black or charcoal grey. Please note skirts should be of an appropriate length and of a style that allows children to sit comfortably on the floor. Shorts should also be of an appropriate length even when worn over tights.

Tights Black or Grey or White

Socks Black or Grey or White or (not over the knee)

Coats Smart waterproof coat. Leather and denim jackets are not appropriate.

Shoes Should be flat, black and appropriate for school. Your child should wear shoes they can do up independently. Boots or trainers are not part of our uniform.

Summer dress Jade green checked dress.

PE Kit

Top Jade green t-shirt with the school logo

Shorts Black shadow striped PE shorts or Fitted Nylon shorts thigh length.

Tracksuit Back tracksuit with Logo or plain black tracksuit.



- Trainers Black or White trainers are preferred.
- Swimming Girls should wear a one piece costume. Boys should wear fitted shorts. Towel. Swimming Hat. Goggles.

Jewellery

For health and safety reasons we do not allow children to wear jewellery. The exceptions to this are earring studs in pierced ears, and small objects of religious significance. Children are required to remove any items during PE lessons to prevent them causing injury. Please note: teachers are not permitted to remove earrings. Children who are unable to remove earrings due to recent piercings will have their ears taped in the first aid room. This will only be while the earrings are unable to be removed. After a certain period if children are unable to remove earrings themselves parents will be asked to remove them before school on days children will be doing PE. Please make sure ears are not pierced in the summer before swimming starts.

Hair and Hair Ornaments

Hair bands, ribbons/bows or 'scrunchies' should be plain either black or jade with no large attachments (e.g. flowers, butterflies). 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.

Make Up and Nail Varnish

Make up and nail varnish should not be worn to school.