

# WREN'S NEST PRIMARY SCHOOL

School Key Policy 2022-2023

## **Uniform Policy**

September 2022

Document to be read in conjunction with other key school policies (listed within document)

### Our Uniform Policy

We positively encourage our children to wear the school's uniform colours - Navy, Grey and White as we want the children to take pride in their appearance. We are proud of our school and what it stands for and want to provide a collective approach to representation, being one body of children at Wren's Nest.

#### <u>Aims:</u>

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;

#### School uniform consists of:

- Grey trousers or grey skirts
- White socks
- Black, Grey or Navy tights
- A white polo school shirt
- A navy sweatshirt or cardigan
- Flat plain black footwear (sensible)
- Book bag optional

#### Summer Uniform from Easter onwards:

- Grey shorts/or long trousers if preferred
- Blue checked dress
- Flat plain black footwear (sensible)
- White socks





At Wren's Nest Primary, we provide full PE kit to all children in Reception to Year 6 classes, including pumps. The Wren's Nest PE kits are allocated to children at the start of each academic year and are updated according to the rate of your child's growth.

PE kits are washed regularly (each half term), using the school's preferred laundry service. Children in Year 5 and 6 are welcome to bring in their own trainers for PE lessons and leave in their PE bag. During the Winter months, tracksuits are provided to enable outdoor PE activities to continue and are also stored in each child's individual PE bag. It is parent's/families choice if you wish for your child to wear a school logo polo shirt, cardigan or sweatshirt. As a school, we do pride ourselves on our presentation as well as promoting a sense of 'togetherness' and working as part of a team. When children wear a logo of our school - it really does fill the children, staff and Governors with a real sense of pride.

All items listed above can be purchased at any high street store or supermarket and are great value for money.

School logo items, such as sweatshirts and cardigans can be purchased from the main school office. Wren's Nest Primary sells uniform items at cost price and **makes no profit** from the sale of any uniform items. This has been our ethos for many years as we believe families should be able to buy required uniform at minimal cost to the family.



You are able to pay for uniform via a cash payment

or by paying via our cashless card system at our main reception office.

The school will provide a separate PE kit for pupils when participating in sports events and when representing the school in competitions.

#### Jewellery and accessories

Keeping your children safe is our main priority here at Wren's Nest. As part of that, we have to consider health and safety aspects within school. Due to this, we ask that children don't wear jewellery to school except for a sensible watch and a pair of small plain stud earrings. If these items are worn, they will need to be removed prior to your child taking part in any PE lessons or spring events/competitions or swimming activity.

#### Headscarves/Hijab

These are welcome to be worn for religious reasons but we ask that they are our school colours - Navy, Blue, Black, White or Grey.

#### Monitoring information:

The policy will be promoted and implemented throughout the school by all staff. The school will review this policy through the Curriculum and Standards committee annually and assess its implementation and effectiveness.

#### Links with other policies:

Other important documentation to be read in conjunction with the Policy:

- o Attendance Policy
- Curriculum Policy

#### Date of Review: September 2022

Policy to be reviewed: September 2023