

# Mount Street Junior School



## SCHOOL UNIFORM POLICY

Chair of Governors:

Date:

Headteacher:

Date:

Date for Review:

We believe that a school uniform is important because it is practical and looks smart, it wears well, it promotes a sense of pride in being a pupil at Mount Street Junior School and contributes to a sense of belonging and having a common purpose.

Most parents regard it as good value for money and it prevents children coming to school in 'fashion clothes' and makes children feel equal to their peers in terms of appearance.

We ask that pupils wear the uniform and we encourage them to maintain a good standard of clean and tidy dress in school.

### Our school uniform

<b>Girls</b>	<b>Boys</b>
Grey skirt, pinafore dress, trousers, shorts or joggers (no track suit bottoms please).	Grey trousers, shorts or joggers (no track suit bottoms please).
White polo shirt - with or without school motif.	White polo shirt - with or without school motif.
White or grey socks/ tights.	White or grey socks.
Burgundy sweatshirt with school motif.	Burgundy sweatshirt with school motif.
Sensible shoes, black or white trainers (No fashion shoes or open toe sandals/ flip flops or trainers worn for outside games.	Sensible shoes, black or white trainers - not trainers worn for outside games.
Red & white gingham dress.	YEAR 6 Red hooded sweatshirt with school motif
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Shoes should be sensible and suitable for outdoor wear. We ask that girls' shoes do not have a high heel.

Hair accessories such as slides, ribbons, bobbles etc. should be kept fairly simple.

Pupils can wear school fleeces or waterproof coats or any dark coloured coat.

All this uniform is usually displayed within the school for parents to see and can be ordered through the School Secretary.

In addition to the uniform, wet weather gear, school bags, book bags, PE bags, water bottles and caps emblazoned with the school badge may be ordered through the School Secretary.

### **PE KIT**

For Health & Safety reasons, pupils are expected to change for PE lessons.

Our PE kit is:

Plain white T shirt and black shorts (not baggy). A plain tracksuit for autumn/winter games, one-piece swimming costume for girls and non-baggy, above the knee swimming shorts for boys.

PE kit should be kept in a separate bag.

### **Jewellery**

In the interest of pupil safety it is advisable that jewellery should not be worn to school. However, we appreciate that watches are important and are therefore acceptable. The only permissible exception is the wearing of small stud backed earrings. (Hoop earrings are not to be worn by pupils). However, these must be removed during P. E. lessons by the pupils and are the responsibility of the owner and not the staff in school.

### **The Role of Parents**

We ask all parents who send their children to our school to support the School Uniform policy.

We believe that most parents want to send their children to school correctly dressed and ready for their daily schoolwork. One of the tasks we ask parents to undertake is to ensure that their child has the correct uniform, and that it is clean and in good repair.

If any parent would like the school to modify or deviate from this School Uniform

Policy, they should make representation, *in the first instance*, to the Headteacher.

The school welcomes children from all backgrounds and faith communities. If there are serious reasons, for example on religious grounds, why parents want their child to wear clothes that differ from the School Uniform, the school will look *sympathetically* at such requests.

Parents are respectfully asked to name all items of pupils' clothing.