UNIFORM AND APPEARANCE POLICY

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Hollyfield Primary School



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School Uniform

School uniform is encouraged and is worn with pride by pupils in school. Parents can purchase uniform from Clive Mark, online retailers or local second-hand stores.

Uniform consists of:

- white polo shirt or white shirt (plain or bearing the school logo)
- royal blue sweatshirt or cardigan (plain or bearing the school logo)
- royal blue school fleece, bearing the school logo (optional)
- grey trousers, knee length grey shorts, or a skirt should be worn with sensible black school shoes
- grey, white or black socks or tights may be worn (no blue tights)
- pupils may wear blue checked dresses in the summer

All-in-one playsuit clothing is not practical for school.

It is expected that all children will come to the school clean and neatly dressed. Footwear should be sensible and practical for a day in school. High-heeled and open toed shoes are not acceptable and are unsafe for playground activities.

PE Kit

Children's PE kit, in particular footwear, must be suitable for physical activity so please do not send children with impractical 'fashion' trainer-style footwear.

Indoor:

- white t-shirt (plain or bearing the school logo)
- blue shorts
- pumps

Outdoor:

- white t-shirt (plain or bearing the school logo)
- blue shorts
- trainers
- a blue tracksuit may be worn in cold weather

All uniform should be clearly labelled with your child's name and class.

Jewellery

- Jewellery should be kept to a minimum; only watches and small stud earrings are permitted
- Earrings must be removed for PE lessons for health and safety reasons. If your child is unable to remove the earrings themselves, they should not wear earrings on their PE days (please speak to your child's class teacher for this information)
- No other body piercings are permitted
- Rings, bracelets and necklaces are not allowed in school, unless worn for religious reasons

Hairstyles and makeup

- Children should have an appropriate hairstyle for school tramlines, patterns, sculpting are not permitted and children should not dye their hair inappropriately
- Children may be asked to tie their hair back for health and safety purposes

- Hair slides, bobbles, bows etc. should be very small and discreet so as not to distract from learning
- Make up and nail varnish should not be worn to school

Footwear

- Boots, wellingtons or snow boots may be worn in wet weather/snow but must be changed when inside the school buildings
- Trainers should not be worn at any time other than for PE lessons and clubs

Non-compliance with the uniform and appearance policy

Parents of pupils who do not wear the correct uniform may be contacted and requested to bring in a change of clothes for their child. Pupils who wear makeup/nail varnish or inappropriate jewellery will be required to remove these. Repeated non-compliance of the uniform and appearance policy will result in a meeting with parents in order to come to a successful resolution and provide support where necessary.