



## Uniform & Jewellery Policy

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### Our Christian vision:

*Built on the rock of Christian faith, we work as a community to create an environment which enables all to flourish. Jesus welcomed everyone and we embrace diversity, celebrating our different gifts and successes. Like St Peter, we are motivated by our values, learn from our mistakes and strive for the best outcome for all.*

### Introduction

The correct wearing of school uniform is an important part of school life which has many benefits for the school and for parents. At Woolhampton C of E Primary School we believe that wearing school uniform plays a key role in:

- promoting the ethos of our school
- providing a sense of belonging and identity
- setting an appropriate tone for education

By creating a common identity amongst all pupils, regardless of background, a school uniform can act as a social leveler. It can reduce bullying and peer pressure to wear the latest fashions or other expensive clothes. We believe that parents should not have to think about the cost of school uniforms when choosing our school. Therefore, we strive to ensure that our school uniform is affordable. Parents will be expected to support this policy for their children at this school.

### Regulation Uniform

- Grey skirt or grey pinafore dress, grey tailored trousers or shorts
- Red polo shirt (plain or logo)
- School sweatshirt or cardigan (red with logo on)
- Red / grey tights or white / grey socks (no trainer socks)
- Black school shoes (no trainers) maximum heel one inch (2.5 cm)
- Red and white gingham dresses maybe worn in the Summer term

- Long hair tied back and secured with a hair band or tie which is the school colours (grey, white, black or red).

### **P.E./Games Kit**

- Games bag
- Red round neck t-shirt (plain or logo)
- Plain black sports shorts
- Trainers (Year 2-6) or plimsolls (Foundation – Yr 1)
- Wellington boots
- White/grey/black socks
- Swimming costumes (not long baggy shorts or bikinis)
- Swimming caps to be worn with long hair
- Black track suits for cold weather

School logo sweatshirts, cardigans, polo shirts, PE T-shirts and tracksuits and reading folders are available from the school office, or can be ordered online (payment by cheque or BACS). An order form and current prices can be downloaded from the school website.

The FoW (Friends of Woolhampton) also sell good quality, previously loved uniform and have a list of current stock available on their facebook page for parents to buy.

### **Jewellery**

Watches and small stud earrings can be worn by children, and this is done so at the child's own risk. The school will not accept responsibility for breakages or loss to watches worn during the school day. Watches must be removed for PE and earrings where possible. When earrings can't be removed parents should provide tape to cover the piercings.

### **Alternative arrangements**

Parents or guardians must speak to the head teacher regarding uniform policy in reference to individual needs or religious or cultural beliefs. Acceptable provisions will be made on an individual basis.

### **Make-up, nail varnish, hairstyles**

Children should not be allowed to wear make-up or nail varnish at any time of the school day. Hairstyles should be neat, tidy and not display extremes of fashion. Hair accessories should be minimal and in school colours.

### **Responsible officer**

Senior Leadership team