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Dear Parents and Carers,

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Wheatfields School Uniform

As the summer term draws to a close, I know many of you may be taking advantage of those summer sales for uniform ready for September.

The DfE have very strict rules on School uniform that we must adhere to in our school policy. We strongly believe that wearing a uniform helps the children to take pride in their appearance, and feel part of our amazing school. There is also no 'hierarchy' with uniform, as all children are expected to wear the same, so there are no arguments about the latest 'labels' or fashion. The full policy will be uploaded to our website by the end of term. Please look at this for further information, including picture examples of acceptable uniform items.

As a brief reminder, we expect all children to wear uniform made up of the following:

Wheatfields Primary School Uniform
Navy sweatshirt, jumper or cardigan
Grey or black trousers, grey skirt or pinafore dress (knee length)
White shirt, white or navy polo shirt or white blouse
Grey, navy or black socks or tights
Black, sturdy shoes
Grey or black shorts – knee length (SUMMER) Gingham blue dress (SUMMER)

PE Kit from September 2024

As of September, children will be expected to come into school in their PE kits on their PE days. We believe this will help children to transition into their PE lessons and other learning more effectively, and should stop the mountain of lost property we see grow each year as children leave items behind. **We will notify parents of PE days as soon as we return in September, so that you can have this marked on the calendar each week.**

PE kit is made up of the following:

- White t-shirt
- Black or navy shorts
- Black or navy jogging bottoms (outdoor)
- Navy fleece or jumper (outdoor)
- Suitable plain trainers and socks

In addition please note:

- All items MUST be named – including underwear (you would be surprised what we find in our lost property!);
- Shorts refers to longer, close to the knee type, NOT hot pants;
- Stud earrings are acceptable, but no other jewellery should be worn;





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- If watches are worn, these are to be simple analogue or digital watches NOT smart watches, and need to be removed for PE lessons;
- No child should be wearing makeup or nail polish at school;
- If your child is getting their ears pierced this summer, please remember that for health and safety reasons, children should be able to remove earrings themselves prior to their PE lesson. We will only allow a child to put medical tape over earrings under exceptional circumstances.

We have a number of uniform items with our Wheatfields logo available from [Chromasport](#), but plain, non-branded items are perfectly acceptable. You can find polo shirts, and navy / grey standard uniform items online, or from the majority of supermarkets such as Morrisons, Tesco and Asda.

We have nearly new and used uniform sales regularly throughout the school year, many items having never been worn with tags still attached. In addition, all pupil premium children are entitled to a uniform allowance per year. If you feel you need support with the cost of uniform, please do drop us an email or speak with someone at the school office.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours Sincerely,

Emma Verney-Davies
 Headteacher

