

St. Peter's Catholic Primary School

SCHOOL UNIFORM POLICY

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The school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff, volunteers and visitors to share the same commitment. We follow Gloucestershire Safeguarding Children Partnership. For more information go to https://www.gloucestershire.gov.uk/gscp/

This policy must be read in conjunction with the Safeguarding Incorporating Child Protection Policy and the Equal Opportunities Policy.

SCHOOL UNIFORM – OUR POLICY

At St. Peter's Catholic Primary School we take great pride in our school uniform as it is part of our identity. Our uniform is smart, functional, hardwearing, easy to obtain and maintain. All children are required to wear the school uniform and we appreciate your support in this matter.

Every item of clothing and all possessions brought to school should be clearly marked with your child's name. School uniform can be purchased from Monkhouse Schoolwear Specialists in Northgate Street, Gloucester but parents are not obliged to buy from just this shop.

The school uniform is as follows:

SCHOOL UNIFORM	P.E. UNIFORM
Black sensible shoes (low heels)	Plimsoles/Daps for Indoor P.E.
	Trainers for Outdoor P.E.
Black or grey trousers	Plain black, white or bottle green shorts
Bottle green skirt or pinafore	Tracksuit bottoms in cold weather
SUMMER (September and Summer Term) Black or grey shorts may be worn and socks must be black/grey. Summer dress may be worn with white or bottle green socks (not tights)	
White shirt	Plain white t-shirt
School tie	
Bottle green V-necked jumper or cardigan	Jumper or tracksuit top for cold weather
Regular socks (not luminous/jazzy) under trousers	PE Bag
Bottle green tights	

JEWELLERY

Your child is allowed to wear a watch. If children have pierced ears they may wear one pair of **small** studs. To protect you child, these must be removed before P.E., games, swimming etc. Your child is expected to remove and replace their own earrings. If your child cannot do this, then we ask parents to remove earrings before they come to school. This is in line with the Gloucestershire safety policy for Physical Education; staff cannot be responsible for removing or replacing earrings.

HAIR

If your child has long hair it should be clipped or tied back. Boys may have two lengths of hair, but the shortest should be a minimum of Grade 2. Mohican styles, shaved lines, tramlines, markings or patterns are not permitted. Excessive use of gel is not allowed. Coloured hair is not allowed.

MAKE-UP and/or NAIL VARNISH is not permitted.

The school uniform is agreed and set by the Governors. Governors will meet with parents should there be a dispute about the uniform or where a family shows on-going disregard to the school uniform policy.