



# Wickersley Northfield Primary

Part of White Woods Primary Academy Trust

## School Uniform Policy 2016 - 2017



## **Statement of Intent**

Our policy has been created with health and safety, value for money, and practicality at its heart. It has been designed to ensure pupils wear clothing conducive to a successful learning environment. It is important that our pupils feel a sense of belonging and community through a smart and practical uniform.

We believe a uniform allows all pupils, regardless of background, to feel equal to their peers and confident in their appearance.

## **Introduction**

All pupils at Wickersley Northfield Primary must wear the school uniform at school, when on school trips and when participating in school organised events outside normal school hours.

## **Our Aims**

We believe school uniform is important because it:

- Promotes a sense of pride in the school
- Provides a sense of community and belonging towards the school
- Is practical and smart
- Identifies the pupil at our school
- Ensures pupils feel equal to their peers in terms of appearance
- Is regarded as suitable wear for school and good value for money
- Is designed with health and safety in mind

## **School Colours**

The school colours are:

- Navy
- Light blue
- Burgundy

## **School Uniform**

We ask that **all** pupils wear the appropriate school uniform and footwear on a daily basis.

Our school uniform is as follows:

Navy trousers, skirts or pinafore dress  
Burgundy cardigan or sweatshirt  
Light blue polo shirt  
Black shoes or plain black trainers  
Blue and white gingham dress (summer)  
Navy shorts (summer)  
Black or white sandals may be worn in the summer

## **PE Kit**

Our PE kit is as follows:

Indoor: Blue shorts, white T-shirt and plimsolls  
Outdoor: Blue sweatshirt and joggers or tracksuit, white T-shirt and trainers

Please note, PE is not optional and is legally required to be part of the curriculum. It is the responsibility of parents and carers to ensure children bring the appropriate clothing.

**For basic health and hygiene reasons, it is important that all pupils have a change of clothing for PE. Please ensure that earrings are not worn on PE days or can be removed by your child. All long hair must also be tied back.**

## **Jewellery**

On health and safety grounds we do not allow children to wear jewellery in school.

The children are permitted to wear one pair of small stud earrings only.  
(Which must be removed for PE)

## **Make-up**

We do not consider make-up appropriate for our pupils to wear at school and they should not wear any such products for school.

## **Labelling**

All clothing and footwear should be clearly labelled with the pupil's name.

## **The Role of the Parents**

We ask that all parents who send their children to our school support our school uniform policy. We believe that parents have a duty to send their children to school correctly dressed and ready for the school day.

It is the responsibility of parents to ensure that their child has the correct uniform and that it is clean and in good repair.

If any parent cannot provide the correct school uniform they should make an appointment to see the head teacher.

## **Complaints**

- The school endeavours to resolve all uniform complaints locally and informally, in accordance with the school's complaints policy.

## **Policy Review**

This policy is reviewed every two years by the head teacher and chair of governors.