

SUNNYMEDE JUNIOR SCHOOL
UNIFORM POLICY AND DRESS CODE: SUMMARY



It is essential that you read the full policy on our school website before you buy uniform.

CLASSROOM WEAR (for non-PE days)

| TOPS | BOTTOMS | ALL IN ONE WEAR (optional alternatives to top/bottoms) |
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| <p>Pale blue collared polo shirt with short sleeves (logo optional)</p> <p>AND EITHER</p> <p><u>Royal blue round neck sweatshirt with logo Essential</u></p> <p>OR</p> <p><u>Royal blue cardigan with logo Essential</u></p> | <p>Grey school style skirt</p> <p>OR</p> <p>Grey school style trousers</p> <p>OR</p> <p>Grey school style shorts</p> | <p>Pale blue/white checked gingham dress for summer weather (optional)*</p> <p>Grey pinafore (over pale blue polo shirt)</p> <p>*All in one 'playsuits' not allowed</p> |
| SOCKS / TIGHTS | FOOTWEAR | OUTDOOR WEAR ONLY |
| <p>with grey trousers, skirts or shorts: Plain grey or white socks (ankle or knee length)</p> <p>Grey tights can be worn with grey skirts as an alternative to socks.</p> <p>with summer dresses: Plain white ankle or knee length socks</p> | <p>Non-PE Days: Plain, flat black school style shoes for non-PE days</p> <p><u>Note:</u> Trainers not allowed unless a PE day</p> <p>See later paragraph on wearing boots for school</p> | <p>Any warm, sensible coat for cold weather</p> <p>OPTIONAL ITEMS FOR OUTDOOR USE ONLY:</p> <p>Royal blue zipped fleece (logo optional)</p> <p>Waterproof jacket (logo optional)</p> <p>Royal blue reversible fleece jacket (logo optional)</p> |

PE KIT (for PE days only)

| TOPS | BOTTOMS | FOOTWEAR |
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| <p>Plain white collared polo shirt (optional logo)</p> <p>FOR COLDER WEATHER:</p> <p>Royal blue uniform sweatshirt or cardigan (with logo) * to be worn over white top</p> <p><i>Totally plain navy or black round neck sweater can be worn instead of the royal blue logo sweater.</i> <i>Zip-up tops and hoodies should not be worn</i></p> | <p>Royal blue 'shadow stripe' shorts (essential)</p> <p>FOR COLDER WEATHER:</p> <p><u>Totally plain</u> navy or black jogging bottoms</p> <p>OR</p> <p><u>Totally plain</u> navy or black sports leggings (but can only be worn underneath blue shorts)</p> | <p>Sensible, sturdy trainers for outdoors (but no 'hi-top' styles)</p> <p>OPTIONAL: Plain black plimsolls may be worn indoors for dance or gymnastics instead of bare feet</p> <p><u>SOCKS:</u> Plain white or grey socks</p> <p><i>Tights should not be worn for PE</i></p> |

Y4 SWIMMING

- One piece swimming costume (no shorts or bikinis) OR
 - Short swimming trunks (loose, Bermuda type shorts are not allowed). Trunks must not finish below the knee
- AND
- Plain swim hat (A free hat is provided as part of swimming lessons in the autumn term)
 - Towel
 - Swimming goggles (optional)
 - Waterproof bag for storing uniform in changing rooms

FOOTBALL CLUB

For safety reasons, football boots and shin pads will be needed and should be packed in your child's PE bag to use at the end of the school day

SPECIFIC GUIDANCE ON THE FOLLOWING ASPECTS OF SCHOOL UNIFORM CAN BE FOUND IN OUR FULL POLICY ON OUR SCHOOL WEBSITE:

- Footwear: Shoes and Boots
- Skirts, Pinafores and checked summer dresses
- Trousers and Shorts
- Socks and Tights
- Polo tops, Jumpers and Cardigans
- Hair Ornaments
- Hairstyles
- Hats and Caps
- Belts
- Make-up and Nail Varnish
- Jewellery and Watches
- Bags
- PE Kit
- Swimming Kit
- T-shirts in House Colours

The Role of Parents and Carers

We believe firmly that one of the responsibilities of parents is to ensure that their child has the correct uniform and PE kit, and that it is clean, in good repair and that the child's name is clearly labelled on all items. Parents and carers are asked to show their commitment to adhering to the school uniform policy by signing the Home School Agreement when they enrol their child to our school.

If a parent has difficulties for any reason with fulfilling this request, they are asked to speak confidentially to a senior member of staff to discuss any barriers. Parents should be assured that we will do all we can to help in the strictest of confidence.

We recognise that there may be one-off situations when a child who normally wears the correct uniform and P.E. kit is unable to do so due to an unforeseen and exceptional circumstance or emergency; we will, of course, be sensitive and sympathetic to this. However, where it is noted that a pupil fails to wear the correct uniform on a second occasion, the child will bring home a letter in a sealed envelope to alert you to the fact that your child is not wearing uniform in line with school policy. The member of staff issuing the letter will not discuss the matter with the child, though may ask initially if there is a reason they are not wearing their uniform or P.E. kit. This will never be done in the presence of other pupils and they will not be made to feel awkward or responsible, as we believe it remains the responsibility of the parent to ensure children are wearing the correct uniform.

If a letter does not result in the correct uniform being worn and the issues persist, the Headteacher or a senior member of staff will contact the parent so they can work together remove any barriers to the correct uniform being worn. In the unusual circumstance that this does not resolve the problem, the child may be given – where it is available – the correct item of clothing to wear for the day and asked to change into this when they arrive at school.

Whilst schools do have the right to sanction pupils for not wearing appropriate uniform, we will avoid this, except in exceptional circumstances and in consultation with the parent.

