



# SCHOOL UNIFORM POLICY

**This policy was approved  
by the Governing Body  
January 2013  
Updated July 2020**

*Revised school uniform covering COVID-19*

At Pearl Hyde Community Primary School we expect all children to take pride in their appearance and all arrive for school smartly dressed in their uniform. We believe a uniform helps to establish a strong group identity and purposeful learning environment.

## **UNIFORM UPDATE FOR SCHOOL REOPENING FOR ALL CHILDREN SEPTEMBER 2020**

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### ***We are asking children to come to school wearing;***

-  *Navy or black leggings/jogging bottoms with **black** trainers (Trainers with obvious bright logos, brightly coloured laces are not permitted). If your child is unable to tie laces please provide them with footwear with a Velcro fastening*
-  *Pearl Hyde light blue polo shirt and navy jumper/cardigan/fleece with the school logo*
-  *Navy/black shorts can be worn if the weather is warm.*
-  *Children are **not allowed** to bring PE bags to school. We therefore need them dress appropriately to participate in any PE/outdoor lessons.*
-  *These sessions are likely to fall on different days of the week, depending on the weather. The easiest solution in these circumstances, is for the children to come to school each day, dressed ready to be active.*
-  *Jewellery or make-up is not permitted with the exception of a watch; children with pierced ears may wear one sleeper or stud in the lobe of each ear. Exceptions will be made for those children who have to wear religious adornments as long as it adheres to the health and safety policy*
-  *Parents are asked to ensure children's hair styles are appropriate for school. Extremes of hairstyle including bright colours, tramlines and shaved heads are not permitted.*
-  *For safety reasons all long hair needs to be tied back with a blue or black bobble. Plain black or blue headbands may also be worn.*
-  *Parents/Carers of all children are asked to ensure that all clothing is **named**. We have ceased operating a lost property system due to the build-up of clothing left behind on a daily basis*

**As the weather becomes colder please ensure your child has a warm, waterproof coat, gloves, hat and scarf.**

**This policy is subject to review as we move into our 'new normal'**

## **UNIFORM SUPPLIERS**

School uniform can be purchased from:

### **Cat Ballou Originals**

1-3 The Burges

Coventry

CV 1 1HN

Telephone – 02476555499

Email – [sales@catballou.co.uk](mailto:sales@catballou.co.uk)

Order online from [www.catballou.co.uk](http://www.catballou.co.uk)

We very much appreciate parents and carers' support in ensuring children arrive smartly dressed in the appropriate school uniform and thank you in advance for this.

## **NON-SCHOOL UNIFORM BIRTHDAYS**

Children are allowed to wear non-school uniform if their birthday falls on a school day. Children who have a birthday over the weekend or holiday can wear their own clothes either on the Friday before or Monday after the weekend/holiday.

## **PREVIOUS UNIFORM REQUIREMENTS**

### **FOOTWEAR, JEWELLERY, HAIR**

- **Black footwear** – black trainer style shoes are permitted ( trainers with obvious bright logos, brightly coloured laces and fashion boots for girls are **not** permitted ) If your child is unable to tie laces please provide them with footwear with a Velcro fastening
- Open sandals are **not** permitted in the summer
- Jewellery or make-up is **not** permitted with the exception of a watch; children with pierced ears may wear **one** sleeper or stud in the lobe of each ear. Exceptions will be made for those pupils who have to wear religious adornments as long as it adheres to the health and safety policy
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- For safety reasons **all** long hair needs to be tied back with a blue or black bobble. **Plain black or blue headbands** may also be worn.

### **PE KIT**

- Dark blue or black shorts
- Round necked plain white or plain sky blue T Shirt
- Black plimsolls or suitable trainers (trainers with obvious bright logos are not permitted as stated earlier in the policy) If your child is unable to tie laces please provide them with pumps/trainers with a Velcro fastening
- A plain sky blue or black tracksuit may be worn during the winter months for outdoor work (optional)
- A change of socks will also be needed

### **WINTER UNIFORM**

- Navy blue sweatshirt/sweat cardigan with school logo
- Sky blue polo shirt, white blouse with or without school logo
- Black or dark grey trousers/skirt/pinafore dress
- Navy blue fleece with school logo (optional)
- Grey, white or black socks or tights
- Navy coats with logo (optional)

**During the colder months please ensure your child has a warm, waterproof coat, gloves, hat and scarf.**

## **SUMMER UNIFORM**

As above with the option of -

- Sky blue checked summer dress (girls)
- Black or dark grey school shorts
- School polo shirt (boys)

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Children will need to bring their PE kit to school **EVERYDAY** in a named drawstring bag. At times when working in the hall children may work in bare feet. We ask that children **do not** wear earrings to school on the days they have PE. Children will also need to remove their watches before a PE lesson; school can take no responsibility should the watches be mislaid. As the policy states for safety reasons long hair must be tied back.

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The school stocks book bags priced at £4.50 each and PE bags priced at £2.50 each.

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