



SCHOOL UNIFORM POLICY

The Downs Primary School and Nursery
Part of the Passmores Co-operative Learning Community

May 2021

School Uniform Policy

Our aim is that all children should be cleanly and neatly dressed in clothes that are deemed suitable for school. The school has a uniform policy and it is expected that all children will wear it, with the exception of the Nursery. We believe this fosters a feeling of school identity and promotes a sense of pride in being part of the school community.

The school colours are royal blue, grey and white. **School style** clothing is required. **Fashion clothing in school colours and clothes with motifs or emblems apart from the school logo are not acceptable.**

Any combination of the following clothing would be appropriate;-

School Uniform

White shirt or polo-shirt

Royal blue sweatshirt, jumper or cardigan

Grey v-neck jumper or cardigan

Dark grey or black trousers, shorts, skirt or pinafore dress

Royal blue gingham dress

Black (school appropriate) shoes/trainers

Our school uniform and other items including book bags, pe bags and weatherproof jackets with our school logo are available for purchase from;-

Top Form

93 The Stow,

Harlow

Essex

CM20 3AP

TEL; 01279 434813

We do discourage expensive, brand names to avoid any discrimination or upset for pupils.

The school does not accept responsibility for damage or loss of personal items, clothing or jewellery.

We request that all items of clothing are clearly named to avoid loss.

P.E. Uniform

The following items are necessary for the children to take full part in P.E. activities and to ensure that they remain smart, safe and comfortable. No jewellery should be worn during PE or other physical activities:-

Royal Blue, Navy or black shorts

White T-Shirt or house colour T-shirt

Royal Blue, Navy or black joggers

Plimsolls or trainers

UKS2 children will also require a swimming kit including a swimming hat.

All items should be clearly named and kept in a 'shoe bag' of suitable size and should remain in school during term time.

Children with long hair should wear it tied back for health, safety and hygiene reasons.

Jewellery

We discourage the wearing of jewellery in school and do not accept responsibility for loss or damage of any items.

Children may wear one pair of small ear studs and a plain watch.

We expect pupils to adhere to school policy; however, no pupil would be excluded for non-compliance as this is not a statutory requirement.