



# Mountbatten Primary School

## School Uniform Policy



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2	Responsible person	Jamie Wegg			
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4	Applies to	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All staff <input type="checkbox"/> Support staff <input type="checkbox"/> Teaching staff			
5	Who has overseen development of this policy	SLT			
6	Who has been consulted and recommended policy for approval	LGB			
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11	Disseminated to	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Trustees/governors <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All staff <input type="checkbox"/> Support staff <input type="checkbox"/> Teaching staff			
12	Date of implementation (when shared)	September 2023			
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## **Introduction**

It is our school policy that all children wear school uniform when attending school, or when participating in a school-organised event.

## **Scope of Policy**

Our policy on school uniform is based on the notion that school uniform:

- Promotes a sense of pride in the school;
- Is practical and smart;
- Identifies the children with the school;
- Prevents children from coming to school in clothes that could be distracting in class;
- Makes children feel equal to their peers in terms of appearance;
- Is regarded as suitable wear for school and good value for money by most parents;
- Is designed with health and safety in mind.

## **Implementation of Policy**

### **School Uniform**

School uniform must be worn by all pupils from FS2 up to Year 6. The wearing of school uniform is optional in FS1. All items of clothing should be named. Uniform with the school's logo can be purchased from Steady Schoolwear but similar uniform without the school's logo can also be purchased from other shops such as supermarkets.

- School or plain royal blue sweatshirt/cardigan
- White or pale blue polo shirt or blouse/shirt
- Trousers/Shorts - grey or black
- Skirt/pinafore dress or trousers –grey or black
- Blue and white checked or striped dress
- Black shoes/ mostly black trainers



## **Footwear**

The school wants all children to grow into healthy adults. We believe that it is unsuitable and potentially unsafe for children to wear shoes that have platform soles high heels, sandals or flip-flops, so we do not allow children to wear such shoes in our school. Footwear should be black shoes or mostly black trainers.

For outdoor PE children will need alternative trainers or sandshoes. Any children without trainers/sandshoes will not be able to participate in the lesson for health and safety reasons. You will be informed of the day of your child's PE lesson via the half termly year group newsletter.

## **Jewellery**

On health and safety grounds we do not allow children to wear jewellery in our school. The exceptions to this rule are ear-ring studs in pierced ears, small objects of religious significance, such as a crucifix on a chain and a small watch (not a smart watch). We ask the children to either remove these objects during PE and games, or cover them with a tape, to prevent causing injury.

## **Hair**

The school does not permit children to have 'extreme' haircuts that could serve as a distraction to other children. We strongly encourage those with long hair to tie it up for school.

## **Makeup**

The school does not permit children to wear makeup including nail polish or false nails.