

UNIFORM POLICY

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Note: when deciding on implementing this policy the Governing Body has considered both the statutory and non-statutory guidance provided to schools by the Department for Education

It is our school policy that all children wear school uniform when attending school, or when participating in events away from school. We ask children to wear their shirts tucked into their skirts or trousers and to take a pride in their personal appearance.

Some items of uniform can be purchased online via http://www.caseysschoolwear.co.uk/, whilst others are easily available at high street stores, including supermarkets.

Note: Joydens Wood Infant School will re-tender the supplier of logo items to ensure best value for money for all parents and carers of pupils at the school. If a re-tendering process is taking place, this will be in the Winter of the year following the publication of the September Uniform policy.

All parents and carers will be advised of the outcome by the end of Term 4 in order that any uniforms to be purchased prior to the start of the following academic year can be sourced from the correct supplier in sufficient time.

Please ensure all belongings are clearly named/labelled. My Name Tags will provide our PTA with cashback for each order received and is a very easy way of labelling clothes without the need for sewing. https://www.mynametags.com/

Please see below the complete list of the items needed for school uniform, including those for PE.

- Grey skirt, pinafore, shorts (optional in summer) or trousers
- Green jumper/cardigan
- **Green logo cardigan**
- **Green or yellow logo sweatshirt**
- White polo shirt/blouse or **yellow polo shirt**
- Green/white checked or yellow/white checked summer dress (optional)
- Black, grey or white socks or tights
- Black shoes (NO TRAINERS) or short ankle boots
- Wellington boots (to be left in school Reception/Year 1 only)
- Water bottle with a sports cap logo bottles available from the school office
- **Green sun hat** or suitable sun hat
- **Book Bag**

<u>All children will attend school wearing their PE Kit on their PE Days</u>. We therefore request that a school PE kit is worn on the two PE days.

- Black/Dark green shorts
- Black or dark green joggers
- Dark green sweatshirt**
- White t-shirt
- Suitable trainers for sports
- Plimsolls are not compulsory but you may choose to purchase them for your child to wear during indoor PE instead of being barefoot

Those items marked with an asterisk are available with the school logo on from Caseys. With the exception of the summer holidays, Caseys will deliver to school free of charge on a Friday. We will inform you when your order has arrived in the office.

The school office has a small number of second hand items, marked with an asterisk, which can be purchased from the school office but these are limited.

Jewellery, hair ornaments and nail varnish

For health and safety reasons we do not allow children to wear jewellery. The exceptions to this rule are earring studs in pierced ears, and small objects of religious significance. Children are required to remove any items during PE lessons to prevent them from causing injury. Please note teachers are not permitted to remove earrings.

Nail varnish is not permitted at school. Hair should be tied back – bows and hair accessories should be in school colours and no bigger than 10cm wide. Tram lines shaved into hair are not permitted.