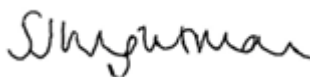


Barrow CEVC Primary School

Inspire, Create, Discover, Together



School Uniform Policy

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Aims

1. To promote pride in our vision statement.
2. To create a sense of community.
3. To promote safety by making pupils instantly recognisable when out of school.
4. To promote health and safety by wearing suitable clothes for their activities.
5. To involve children and parents in our school vision.

Rationale

A uniform creates a sense of belonging and gives us a clear identity to unite behind, which we can then promote pride in. This pride then helps to raise standards. The staff and governors of the school believe that wearing a uniform helps to raise both standards in academic work and in behaviour. The children have contributed to the design of the logo for the uniform and the parents were given the opportunity to give feedback on it. It has been chosen with cost in mind.

Whilst we do have a uniform supplier for items with our logo, we have ensured a reasonable price for these items. However, we do not require children to wear items with a school logo and this allows families to purchase their uniform very reasonably from a range of supermarkets or other general suppliers.

Our online uniform shop for items with the school logo can be found at:

<https://barrowcevcprimaryschool.co.uk/office/school-uniform/>

Our Uniform

Parents are asked to support us by sending their child to school in full uniform. This consists of:

Main Uniform

Black school shoes (training shoes are not acceptable)

Black or grey trousers or skirt/pinafore

White polo shirt or white cotton shirt

Red sweatshirt/cardigan (with or without school logo)

Black, red or grey tights

White, grey or black socks (plain)

In warmer weather girls may wear grey tailored shorts or red and white gingham dresses. Boys may wear black or grey shorts (not cargo style with side pockets)

Outdoor Wear

Warm coat, hat/scarf – appropriate for school

Wellington boots

Sunhat

PE Uniform

Indoor P.E

Red plain T-shirt (with or without school logo)

Black shorts or leggings (no logos)

White socks for games

Appropriate training shoes/plimsoles

(For games the children may also wear a black tracksuit)

Outdoor P.E.

Black jogging bottoms (plain)

Red plain sweatshirt or school fleece

Black sports skins can be worn under indoor PE kit.

Trainers

Uniform expectations relating to appearance and jewellery

- No jewellery other than stud or small sleeper earrings (under half-inch) may be worn in school at any time.
- Studs and sleepers must be taped over for any physical activity. Earrings must be removed before swimming
- No nail varnish or make-up may be worn.
- Children may wear a small watch.
- Hairstyles should be appropriate for school – no extreme dying of hair, shaved or partially shaved heads or patterns
- Longer hair should be tied up in practical subjects and for PE
- Hair bows, clips and headbands should be small and school colours only. No large bows.

A range of other items with the school logo are recommended but are not required. These include:

Red fleeces with school logo

Book bags

PE bags

Art Aprons

We are happy to accept old shirts or t-shirts as art aprons.

Lost Items

Please label all clothing with your child's full name this will ensure lost items are easily returned. Items that are lost and have no name will be placed into the second hand uniform stock or recycled.

Nearly New Uniform

We have a stock of nearly new items in school and FoBs will offer parents opportunities throughout the year to purchase pre-loved items.

Support with school uniform

If you require support with providing school uniform, please contact a member of the Pastoral Team via the school office who will be happy to help.

Children not wearing uniform

The expectation from both staff and governors is that all children will wear the full uniform – both the main uniform and the PE uniform, and adhere to the code on wearing jewellery. However, if the child is unable to wear uniform due to exceptional circumstances parents should contact the Class Teacher to let them know.

1. Children not wearing uniform will be reminded to do so by their teacher in the first instance. Alternative uniform items will be provided from our nearly new stocks in school.
2. If this re-occurs a note will be sent home.
3. If this continues the parents will be asked to make an appointment with the Headteacher or Deputy Headteacher.