



Saint Edmund's Catholic Primary School
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Committee responsible for policy	Community
Approved by Committee /FGB	November 2015
Statutory/Non-statutory	Non STATUTORY
Frequency of Review	Free to determine
Date of last review	June 2019
Date of next review	Only if uniform changes
Purpose of policy	To ensure parents are fully aware of school uniform expectations.
Consultation	Historic
Links to other policies	Charging and Remissions

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At St Edmund's we believe that school uniform is important. A smart and distinctive uniform contributes to the public image of our school and our children are always easily identifiable. By taking a pride in their appearance, children are encouraged to take pride in other aspects of school life, including their work and surroundings.

It is expected that all children wear the uniform detailed below. It is expected that parents will name all of their child's belongings and items of clothing.

The school colours are royal blue and gold. Pupils are expected to wear the correct uniform at all times.

The uniform consists of:

Girls:

Waisted Skirt, royal blue knife pleated
Pinafore Dress, royal blue pleated skirt
Blouse, white cotton with pointed collar
Tie, gold/royal blue
Cardigan, royal blue no trims
Socks, white, navy,
Tights, royal, navy, black

Boys:

Trousers, charcoal grey short or long
Shirt, white cotton long or short sleeve
Tie, gold/royal blue
Socks, grey or black
Jumper, royal blue

Summer Uniform:

Royal blue/white candy striped
cotton dress with white cuffs
Y6 girls – winter skirt and white reverse blouse
School cap/hat for hot weather

A combination of the above

Parents are encouraged to buy a good strong pair of black. Patent shoes are acceptable. **Trainers, or shoes in the style of trainers, are not acceptable**, unless for medical reasons.

PE Kit for all children:

Top, gold polo shirt with school logo
Shorts, royal blue
Tracksuit, navy blue with school logo, or plain black/dark blue non logo
Plimsolls for indoor PE
Trainers for outdoor PE (Yr1 – 6 only)

For swimming:

Plain swimsuit/trunks
Swimming cap

A Royal Blue Blazer is available for boys and girls as well as a Royal Blue fleece coat. These are not regulation coats and parents are urged when purchasing a coat to buy a suitable **dark coloured one** for outer wear, no pink, orange etc.

Long hair should be tied back and any hair accessories should be in the **school colours only**.

School bags should also follow the school policy. Reception to Year 2 should have a mini- rucksack to be replaced by the larger rucksack for the juniors. Please do not send your child to school with a rucksack that is not school policy. This is not fair to all the other children.

Jewellery, Hair and Accessories

Children are permitted to wear a watch and small stud earrings. Children will be asked to remove other items as no other jewellery is permitted, unless worn for religious reasons. For safety reasons, children will also be asked to remove their watch during Physical Education lessons.

Long hair, which is below collar length or falls in front of the eyes, is worn tied back with a suitable band or clip. Excessively large or brightly coloured hair accessories are not permitted – they should be small, functional and in school or neutral colours. Parents are asked not to have designs shaved into children's hair during term time. Hair colour should be children's natural colour.



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