

## **St Edmund's Catholic Primary School**

'Together we learn and grow through worship and celebration'

## School Uniform

Committee responsible for policy	Community
Approved by <b>Committee</b> /FGB	September 2023
Statutory/Non-statutory	Non-STATUTORY
Frequency of Review	Free to determine
Date of last review	June 2021
Date of next review	Only if uniform changes or government guidance
Purpose of policy	To ensure parents are fully aware of school uniform expectations.
Consultation	<u>Human Rights Act 1998</u> <u>Equality Act 2010</u> . <u>Education (Guidance about Costs</u> <u>of School Uniforms) Act 2021</u> .
Links to other policies	H&S

At St Edmund's we believe that school uniform is important. A smart school uniform helps to

- promote the ethos of our school
- provides a sense of belonging and identity
- sets an appropriate tone for education and learning

When children take pride in their appearance, they take pride in other aspects of school life, including their work and surroundings. Our uniform is well known locally and contributes to our public image of our school. It is expected that all children wear the uniform and that parents/carers name all of their child's belongings and items of clothing.

The school colours are royal blue and gold.

Items of uniform with the school logo on can be purchased from School Days on Whitton High Street. Items of uniform without school logos can be purchased from any High Street retailer or online shop. We have a logo on the school PE top and the school bag. We are happy for children to wear a PE top without a logo but in the school colours.

The PA regularly runs a second-hand uniform sale where quality used items of uniform can be bought for discounted prices or free.

No jewellery or nail varnish is permitted. Children with ear-rings should wear small plain studs. Hair that falls below the shoulder or below the eyes should be tied back. Hair accessories should be kept to a minimum and should be in the school colours.

Uniform consists

- White cotton shirt/blouse with pointed collar
- Gold/royal blue tie
- Royal blue pinafore dress,
- Royal blue waisted skirt, knife pleat
- Charcoal grey culottes
- Charcoal grey trousers
- Royal blue cardigan, no trims
- Royal blue jumper
- White, navy socks
- Royal blue, navy, white or black tights
- Black shoes that take a polish (may also be patent)

In summer we also wear

- Royal blue/white candy-striped dress with white cuffs NOT a CHECKED dress
- White revere blouse
- Charcoal grey shorts

PE Kit

- Gold polo shirt with royal blue shorts
- Royal blue/navy/black jogging bottoms/leggings
- Trainers for outdoor PE (Yr1 6 only)

## School Bags

Reception to Year 2 have a mini- rucksack at the request of parents, to be replaced by the larger rucksack for the juniors.







JUNIOR RUCKSACK

PE BAG

INFANTS RUCKSACK