Cartmel C of E Primary School

School Uniform Policy

It is our school policy that all children wear school uniform when in school and while on trips. (Unless otherwise notified)

This policy is based on the belief that school uniform:

- promotes a sense of pride in the school;
- gives a sense of community and belonging;
- is practical and smart;
- identifies children with the school;
- is not distracting in class (as fashion items can be);
- makes children feel equal to their peers in terms of appearance;
- is regarded as suitable, and good value for money, by most parents;
- has been designed with health and safety in mind;
- prepares children for the expectations and uniform policies of secondary schools to which our children will attend in future years.

We would like to remind all parents of the school uniform requirements listed below and ask you to ensure that your child comes to school appropriately dressed.

School Uniform

House colour shirt/polo shirt

Grey or black trousers/shorts/skirt/pinafore

Cartmel sweatshirt or navy blue jumper/cardigan

Blue and white checked dress (summer term only)

Socks should be black/navy-blue/grey. Children in skirts/dresses may wear white socks Tights should be black/navy-blue/grey. Please note that leggings are not permitted in school Sensible School shoes/sandals (Boots permitted in winter).

Children can bring trainers to change into at break-times and these must not been worn in classrooms

<u>Jewellery</u>

Jewellery may not be worn in school, except for religious items. Pupils may wear one pair of small, plain stud earrings. Hooped and drop earrings are not allowed for health and safety reasons. All jewellery must be removed during PE lessons, or covered. If children cannot remove their ear studs, they will be given tape with which to cover them.

PE kit

Navy shorts/jogging bottoms (outdoor lessons)
Black plimsolls (inside) trainers (optional for older children outside)
White t-shirt (separate from their school shirt)
Bag with name clearly marked
Long hair must be tied back during PE lessons

Please make sure that all items of clothing are labelled with your child's name in permanent marker so that they may be returned if they are mislaid.

Thank you for your help in making sure all pupils are smartly dressed in the correct uniform. If you have any queries or concerns about uniform, please do not hesitate to contact us.