



## Uniform Policy

### **Introduction**

It is our policy that all children should wear school uniform when attending school and parents/carers are expected to ensure that their children leave home for school correctly and properly dressed in uniform that is appropriate to the season and weather conditions.

### **Wearing the Great Wishford Primary School Uniform:**

- Promotes a sense of pride in the school
- Engenders a feeling of belonging and being a community
- Is practical and smart
- Identifies the children with the school
- Is not distracting in class (as fashion clothes might be)
- Makes children feel equal to their peers in terms of appearance
- Is regarded as suitable and good value for money, by most parents

### **Uniform details:**

The distinctive feature of our uniform is the navy blue sweatshirt or cardigan with the Great Wishford C of E Primary School logo.

Our school sweatshirt / cardigan and House Team colour PE T-shirts are available from <http://www.brigade.uk.com>

All other uniform items are also available from this supplier and readily available from high street stores.

### **Great Wishford C of E Primary School Uniform:**

- Navy blue sweatshirt / cardigan with logo
- White polo shirt or shirt
- Plain grey or black trousers (long or short)
- Plain grey or black skirt / pinafore
- Black shoes (not trainers or open-toed sandals)
- Plain grey or white socks / tights (not leggings)
- Navy Blue Book Bag
- A change of footwear (trainers or wellingtons) for playtime

Please note: In summer, girls can wear light blue/white gingham dresses. In extreme winter weather, plain black, calf length boots (with low heels and no fur/large buckles etc) can be worn. It is not appropriate to wear wellington boots or snow boots in school all day. A change of footwear will be needed.

**PE and Games Kit:**

- House Team colour T-shirt (available from <http://www.brigade.uk.com>)
- Navy blue or black shorts
- Plain grey, blue or black tracksuit without logos (for winter months)
- Plimsolls and/or trainers
- Plain grey or white socks

Please note: Those children who have been awarded their Sports Ambassador T-shirt can wear this during sports lessons.

**For year groups swimming****Swimming Kit:**

- Long Bermuda shorts, bikinis and tankinis are not suitable for swimming lessons.

**Hair and Make up:**

Great Wishford C of E Primary School does not permit pupils to have extreme haircuts (including dyed hair, shaved heads, Mohican cuts or logos etc), that could serve as a distraction to other children.

Hairbands, clips etc should be discreet designs, in school uniform colours, and only used in order to keep hair in place. Some hair clips/bands may need to be removed for PE on the grounds of health and safety. Hair of shoulder length or longer should be tied back.

No make-up, nail varnish or temporary transfers should be worn during the school day.

**Jewellery:**

Earrings should be small, plain studs only if ears are pierced. Earrings must be removed or taped over for sports lessons.

A small watch may be worn, but must be removed for P.E.