

School Uniform Policy

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SCHOOL UNIFORM

The wearing of uniform is actively encouraged at Silsoe Lower School. It helps the children feel included and part of the school family. Uniform colours are grey and maroon.

Children should wear grey trousers, skirt or pinafore dress. White shirt or polo shirt, maroon cardigan or sweatshirt. Pale blue and white gingham dresses or grey shorts may be worn for the Summer Term. White or grey socks complete the uniform.

Trainers **should not** be worn as general school footwear. We also ask that Boots of any type are not worn in school. If bad weather conditions necessitate the wearing of Boots whilst travelling to school please ensure school shoes are sent in to change into on arrival.

Core items such as polo shirts, cardigans and sweatshirts with the school logo on are available from our preferred supplier **Prestige**. They also supply skirts and range of accessories such as Book Bags, PE Bags, Jackets and Back Packs. Pinafores, skirts, shorts and trousers can also be purchased from most department stores/supermarkets. School ties are optional and are available from our uniform supplier.







SCHOOL CARDIGAN



SCHOOL POLO SHIRT



BOOK BAG



PLAIN WHITE SHIRT

P.E. AND GAMES

Plain black shorts or girl's skort, the school's PE Polo Shirt or plain white T-shirt and trainers are required.

Black tracksuits may be worn for outdoor activities during the winter months.

We have a bespoke PE top with the school logo embroidered on, which is in the school colours. This top is available to order from our uniform suppliers, **Prestige** and is a unisex style of manufacture. This top is not compulsory and children may wear a white t-shirt as an alternative.

PE items of clothing <u>must not</u> display logos (other than the school logo), branding or embellishments.

On PE days children are asked to come into school dressed in their PE kit. They will be allowed to wear this kit all day.

Please make sure that every item of clothing clearly marked.

Named items are never lost!



JEWELLERY

Jewellery, make-up and nail varnish are not to be worn in school.

However, children who have pierced ears may wear a pair of small, plain studs, one in each ear.

Watches may be worn but these must not be a Fitbit or a smart technology model.

Studs and watches will be expected to be removed for PE lessons and pupils remain responsible for these items. We would therefore ask if your children is unable to remove these independently you refrain from sending them into school wearing this jewellery.

HAIR

Hairstyles for both boys and girls are expected to be neat and tidy. The school does not permit children to have 'extreme' haircuts, such as Mohicans, patterns or colours that could serve as a distraction to other children. Long hair must be tied back for both girls and boys. Only basic hair accessories to be worn i.e. scrunchies, bobbles and modest headbands suitable for an active day at school.

NON UNIFORM DAYS

On awarded non uniform days we respectfully ask that pupils come into school wearing appropriate clothing and footwear for the school day. Dependant on the season please ensure outerwear such as coats and jackets are also provided. Team sports kits of any kind are not permitted to be worn.

ORDERING UNIFORM

All items of uniform with the school logo should be purchased through Prestige. The most efficient way to order is to use their on-line ordering process at www.prestigedesignww.co.uk. It is very simple to use and available 24/7. Alternatively, you can call into one of their shops based in both Barton-Le-Clay and Flitwick.

Goods are usually ready for despatch within 3-5 working days from placement of order. During term time, a free weekly drop is made to the school on a Thursday. Items will be packaged up and individually marked with your details to enable ease of collection. Alternatively (and during school holidays) deliveries can be made to an address of your choice, please see their website for further details including delivery options and costs.

Prestige Design & Workwear Ltd - Barton Unit 12, Barton Industrial Estate, Barton-Le-Clay,

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