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POLICY DOCUMENT

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"Let your Light Shine– Matthew 5:16"

School Uniform Policy

At Shenington School, our children wear uniform with pride. In line with government guidance (March 2023) School uniform no longer needs to include logos. School colours remain the same, with royal blue sweatshirts and gold polo shirts, grey skirts/trousers/shorts etc. If preferred, all items with school logos may be worn and will continue to be available from our regular school suppliers. We do advise/request that children have one sweatshirt/cardigan with a school logo if possible for school photos, Church services and school trips. School will endeavour to supply one of these occasions, where possible, if one is needed for a short period.

Uniform

- Sweatshirt – Royal Blue (school logo optional)
- Cardigan Sweatshirt – Royal Blue (school logo optional)
- Short Sleeved Polo Shirt – Gold (school logo optional)
- School Bag (for books) – any colour as long as it is plain
- Sunhat – These are obligatory. They must be plain in colour, with no images or logos (unless you would like a school one)
- PE Bag- No specific requirement
- PE Shirt- Gold (school logo optional)
- PE Shorts- Royal Blue
- Jogging Bottoms- Plain dark colours for the colder weather
- Change of socks for PE – Tights should not be worn

Where to Buy Uniform

Uniform with our school logo embroidered on it can be ordered from Brigade, School Trends or My Clothing and delivered to your home address or direct to the school.

- 1) My Clothing: <https://myclothing.com>
- 2) School Trends: <https://www.schooltrends.co.uk>
- 3) Brigade: <https://www.brigade.uk.com>

Autumn and Spring Term Uniform

- Grey trousers or shorts, skirt or pinafore dress worn with a gold polo shirt and a blue school sweatshirt or cardigan.
- Footwear should be sensible, black school shoes without a heel. Plain grey tights or white or grey socks are to be worn.

Summer Term Uniform

As an alternative to the usual uniform, children may also wear:

- Pale blue or yellow checked dress and a blue school sweatshirt or cardigan if necessary. Grey shorts with a gold polo shirt. Summer footwear should be sensible, black, blue, or brown school footwear. We request that children wear plain grey tights or white or grey socks.

Other Requirements and Regulations

Due to the very changeable nature of the British weather, we strongly recommend that your child has a coat or waterproof, with a hood, in school every day.

Sunhats

Sunhats must still be worn in sunny weather. These may be any single colour but must be plain and unbranded. If you would prefer your child to continue wearing a school hat with Sherington School logos, we still have a stock of items available. Please speak to us about this. We are also investigating a supply of plain royal blue hats to be available in the school office.

At all times, all children need to have a plain style sunhat in any colour for playtime and games. For hygiene reasons, all children need their own sunhat. Please ensure that your child has a sunhat, labelled with their name, in school every day. Hats are best kept in PE bags. Children without a sunhat will be unable to play outside when a sunhat is required.

Shoes

Every child should have a pair of black shoes for indoors. They need an alternative pair of footwear for wearing outside during outdoor activities during the school day when they are outside for prolonged periods. Shoes should be sensible and without a heel. Summer footwear should be sensible, black, blue or brown school footwear without a heel and not have toes exposed. We request that children wear plain grey tights or white or grey socks. Obviously, trainers are required for PE/Games lessons. The school has not stipulated which shoes to wear on arrival and departure as staff have confirmed that parents have different needs, and the children are not out for prolonged periods.

Wellies & Sturdy Outdoor Shoes

Please feel free to bring in extra wellies or outdoor shoes for the lunchtime break on the field. Please ensure you have a plastic bag for them if you do. Wellies for each Foundation Stage child and Year One (Class One) child.

PE Kit

School colours listed above – gold tops and royal blue shorts. Plain dark sweatshirt (as an extra layer in Winter if required). Items with logos will not be required but can still be worn.

PE Sessions

Please ensure that your child has weather appropriate PE kit in school for PE. PE kits need to be in school each day. We advise bringing kits in on Mondays and leaving them in school until Fridays.

Book Bags

Book bags are also open to colour and do not need to have the school logo on either.

Leggings

Grey leggings instead of tights underneath skirts or dresses may be worn.

- Long hair is to be tied back and hair braids are not permitted with simple hair decorations only please.
- All uniform and shoes should be clearly marked with the owner's name.
- We have a **no** jewellery policy. If parents are considering ear piercings, please use the summer holiday. Earrings will need to be removed for school.

Coats

Due to the very changeable nature of the British weather, we strongly recommend that your child has a coat/waterproof in school every day.

Birthdays

On a child's birthday, or if it falls during the weekend or a school holiday, the Fridays before or Monday after, children may "Break the rules" by:

- Painting nails
- Non-school uniform (including pjs)
- Bring in a teddy or toy
- Dye your hair
- Tattoos (transfers)
- Squash in a bottle
- Face paint
- Hair down
- Change your name
- Unhealthy snack at breaktime

Your child will require a drinks bottle in school every day.

Policy approved by:	The Full Governing Body
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