THE FEDERATION OF ST JOSEPH'S JUNIOR, INFANT AND NURSERY SCHOOLS



UNIFORM POLICY

Together We Can

Compliance statement

Every policy is reviewed at regular intervals and where applicable, as stipulated by law. Each policy is also available in additional formats including Braille and in additional languages upon request, within

Approved by:	Ethos
Last reviewed on:	June 2022
Next review due by:	June 2024

Aims and objectives

Our policy on school uniform is based on the belief that school uniform:

- promotes a sense of pride in our school;
- helps to create a sense of community and belonging towards the school;
- identifies the children with the school;
- supports our commitment to inclusion;
- is practical, smart and designed with health and safety in mind;

Expectations

We expect all pupils to comply with this uniform policy, which will be monitored. Any pupil who falls short of these requirements will be advised of this fact by their class teacher and given the opportunity to improve. Continued failure to comply will be brought to the attention of the Headteacher.

The Role of Parents

We believe that one of the responsibilities of parents is to ensure that their child has the correct uniform and PE kit, and that it is clean, in good repair and that the child's name is written on all items.

The Role of Governors

The governing body supports the Headteacher in implementing the School Uniform Policy. It considers all representations from parents regarding the uniform policy and liaises with the Headteacher to ensure that the policy is implemented fairly and with sensitivity. It is the governors' responsibility to ensure that the school uniform meets all regulations concerning equal opportunities. Governors ensure that the school Uniform Policy enables children to dress sensibly, in clothing that is hardwearing, safe and practical.

Where to buy School uniform

Branded school uniform and ties can be purchased from:

School Wear United

Address: 3 Crown Dale, London, SE19 3PB

Opening hours: 9:00am – 5:00pm Monday to Friday Phone number: <u>0844 740 1983</u> or <u>020 8655 7373</u>

Website: www.schoolwearunited.co.uk

Hewitts

Address: 45-51 Church St, Croydon, CR9 1QQ

Opening hours: 09:30 am to 5:30 p.m. Monday to Saturday

Phone number: 020 8680 4555

Website: www.hewittsofcroydon.com

<u>Uniform can also be bought from most major stores at competitive prices.</u>

Second hand uniform

The school has a selection of school uniform available for pupils. The school PTA hold regular second-hand uniform sales. In addition, parents may contact the school office, throughout the year, to arrange a time to review the uniform available.

Jewellery

It is not appropriate for children to wear jewellery except a sensible watch and a pair of small plain stud earrings.

Hairstyles

Hairstyles should be appropriate for school, i.e. no designs cut into hair. All long hair or hair covering the face should be tied back. Headbands, beads, or hair bobbles should be in school colours.

Equality Impact Assessment

We as a school community have a commitment to promote equality. We believe this policy is in line with the Equality Act 2010 as it is fair, it does not prioritise or disadvantage any pupil and it helps to promote equality at this school.

Monitoring and Review

The governing body monitors and reviews the school uniform policy through its committee work by seeking the views of parents, to ensure that they agree with and support the policy; considering, with the Headteacher, any requests from parents for individual children to have special dispensation regarding school uniform.

Nursery				
Autumn/Spring Terms				
✓ School maroon coat ✓ Maroon tracksuit bottoms	✓ Maroon sweatshirt with logo ✓ White polo shirt with logo			
✓ Maroon woollen hat	✓ Black shoes or plain black / white trainers (no logo)			
Summer Term				
✓ White polo shirt with logo	✓ Plain maroon cotton shorts			
✓ Maroon sweatshirt with logo	✓ Black shoes or plain black / white trainers (no logo)			
Reception				
Autumn/Spring Terms				
GIRLS	BOYS			
✓ School maroon coat	✓ School maroon coat			
✓ Maroon woollenhat	✓ Maroon woollenhat			
✓ Maroon cardigan or jumper with logo	✓ Maroon jumper with logo			
✓ White polo shirt with logo	✓ White polo shirt with logo			
✓ Greypinafore dress or skirt	✓ Grey trousers			
✓ Grey trousers	✓ Greysocks			
✓ Grey or whitesocks	✓ Closed-toed, hard-soled, all black plain shoes with a flat sole			
✓ Grey tights				
✓ Closed-toed, hard-soled, all black plain shoes with a flat sole				
Summer Term				
GIRLS	BOYS			
✓ Pink & white striped summer dress	✓ Grey shorts			
✓ Maroon Cardigan	✓ Whitepoloshirtwithlogo			
✓ White ankle socks	✓ Maroon jumper with logo			
✓ All black closed toe shoes. No trainers.	✓ Grey socks			

✓ All black plain shoes. No trainers.

Years 1 - 6

Autumn/Spring Terms

GIRLS	BOYS
✓ School maroon coat	✓ School maroon coat
✓ Maroon woollenhat	✓ Maroon woollenhat
✓ Maroon cardigan or sweatshirt	✓ Maroon jumper
✓ Long sleeved whiteshirt with buttoned collar	✓ Long sleeved whiteshirt with buttoned collar
✓ School tie	✓ School tie
✓ Grey pinafore dress orskirt	✓ Greytrousers
✓ Grey trousers	✓ Grey socks
✓ Grey or white socks	✓ Closed-toed, hard-soled, all black plain shoes with a flat
✓ Grey tights	sole
✓ Closed-toed, hard-soled, all black plain shoes with a flat sole	

Summer Term

GIRLS	BOYS				
Uniformasabove	Uniform as above				
<u>Optional</u>	<u>Optional</u>				
✓ Pink &white striped summerdress	✓ Short-sleeved white shirt with buttoned collar				
✓ Short-sleeved white shirt with buttoned collar (Year 6 girls only)	✓ Tailored grey shorts				
✓ All black closed-toed shoes					
✓ White or grey socks					

PE Kit – All year groups including Reception

- ✓ Plain maroon cotton sports shorts (not nylon),
- ✓ White Polo shirt with school logo and plimsolls in the hall.
- ✓ Trainers for games outside and football boots for football.
- ✓ Maroon plain football shirt, shorts and socks may be used for after school football and cross country.
- ✓ Maroon tracksuit bottoms may be worn for PE in cold weather
- ✓ Maroon sweatshirts may be worn for PE in cold weather.
- ✓ Swimwear is one-piece costumes for girls and traditional trunks (not shorts) for boys.