

Hipsburn Primary School

School Uniform Policy

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Hipsburn Mission Statement

"The most valuable gift we can give a learner is to enable them to think for themselves, to care for others and thereby acquire a sense of self-worth and confidence which can be used to benefit both society and the individual."

All children are required to wear the school uniform and we hope that by wearing the uniform they will take pride in being a member of Hipsburn Primary School. At our school teach and uphold British Values, a core part of the school curriculum. One key aspect of this is the understanding of the importance of law. We have established school rules which help to keep children safe and ensure that the school community is orderly. It is essential that parents support the school in upholding these rules and ensure that children comply with this school uniform policy.

We have high expectations at Hipsburn Primary School. Our uniform consists of a royal blue sweatshirt, pale blue polo shirt and grey trousers or skirt. Pupils may wear unbranded clothing.

All children's clothing must be clearly marked with their name.

Standard

- Grey formal school trousers
- Grey formal school pinafore/skirt
- Royal blue sweatshirt/cardigan/fleece
- Plain pale blue polo shirt
- Plain black/grey/white socks or tights

Summer

- Blue checked cotton dresses or blue blouses and (matching) skirt
- Grey formal school shorts
- Sunhat/cap

We offer parents a choice of 2 suppliers for school uniform. To place an order please follow the links

www.border-embroideries.co.uk/ or
<https://myclothing.com/hipsburn-primary-school/7923.school>

Footwear

- Sensible dark school shoes (no trainers/sports shoes/sandals)

Coats

- Sensible, practical and suitable for outside weather. Warm and waterproof in winter.

P.E. Kit

- Plain white t-shirt or polo shirt
- Plain navy or black shorts
- Plain navy, black or grey jogging bottoms for outdoor sports
- Drawstring P.E. bag/small sports bag

Swimming Kit

- One-piece swimming costume for girls
- Swimming trunks/shorts for boys
- Towel, swimming hat and waterproof bag

Please note that for Health and Safety reasons pupils must not wear earrings during PE. Pupils may not be allowed to take part in a PE lesson without changing into appropriate clothes.

Hair and Accessories

- Hair must be tied back for PE
- Hair accessories should be in the school colours and must be sensible to avoid injury to other pupils.
- No nail polish or make up to be worn.

Jewellery

For safety reasons the wearing of jewellery is not allowed in school, except for small stud earrings. For health and safety reasons pupils must not wear earrings during PE. Pupils may not be allowed to take part in a PE lesson without changing into appropriate clothes. Earrings must be removed by the pupil him/herself before swimming and P.E. lessons. It is recommended that pupils who wish to have ears pierced in the summer holidays do so by week 2 to allow time to heal and to be removed,

Pupils may wear sensible watches. There are a range of watches that are now available including trackers. These are permitted if they do not cause a distraction in class.

Inclusion:

While pupils must adhere to the school's uniform policy, we aim to be considerate to the needs of different cultures, races and religions. Our school will act reasonably and sensibly in accommodating religious requirements, providing they do not pose a threat to security, safety, learning and well-being. Religious clothing will need to be in keeping with the rest of the uniform, i.e. plain colours, and agreed with the class teacher in advance.