

# St Luke's Catholic Primary School

## School Uniform Policy 2021-2022



### Mission Statement

As God's family we learn love and laugh.  
Together: love one another,  
forgive one another, work together,  
play together, worship together,  
be happy together

Academic Year	Changes Made	Made by whom	Date shared with staff
2021-2023	Paragraph relating to informal dress during covid 19 restrictions removed	S J Bell	

The Governors of St. Luke's Catholic Primary school believe that the wearing of a school uniform provides the value for money. While promoting a sense of pride within our school community, and in the interests of Health and Safety, it allows pupils to access all areas of the curriculum.

### Uniform

In order to maintain a strong sense of identity and belonging within our school, we require all pupils to wear school uniform which consists of;

- Maroon School Sweatshirt
- Maroon School Cardigan
- White Shirt
- School Tie
- Grey Trousers (leggings must **Not** be worn as school uniform)
- Grey Skirt
- Grey Pinafore
- Black, flat sensible, safe, shoes (for health and safety reasons, trainers are **Not** to be worn)

### Summer Options

- Grey Shorts
- Gingham Dresses – Pink
- Maroon School Cap to protect from the sun
- Black, flat sensible, safe, shoes (for health and safety reasons trainers are **Not** to be worn)

### PE Kit

- White School Polo Shirt
- Black School Shorts
- Yellow Sweatshirt – with hood
- Trainers for outdoor games only – these may be worn during breaks and lunch, pupils to change into school shoes afterwards.
- Plimsolls for Indoor PE – this is for health and safety reasons

### Jewellery

- Jewellery should not be worn to school.

- Should a pupil have pierced ears, plain studs may be worn and in order to comply with health and safety regulations. These ideally should be removed by parent prior to the planned PE session, otherwise they must be covered with a plaster during all PE activities.
- Teaching staff must **Not** take responsibility for removing any jewellery

### **Make Up**

- Make up or nail varnish should **Not** be worn
- For health and safety reasons False Nails must **Not** be worn.
- Pupils are **Not** to wear Stickers or Transfers

### **Equipment**

- Pencil cases if advised (usually Y5/6) should be of a standard size in order to not take up valuable desk space. Most children will only require standard equipment which is provided by school.
- No knives or sharp blades should be brought into the school in any circumstances
- Mobile phones should not be brought into school without the permission of the Head teacher
- Pupils who have received permission to bring their phone to school (Y6) will be requested to hand their phone into the school office where it will remain securely throughout the school day.
- No 'swap' cards, unless there has been phase group permission
- No inappropriate books, videos or magazines
- No money should be brought to school unless for a specific permissible purpose
- School Bags (maroon with school logo) vary in size – Book bags for EYFS/KS1/Satchel Y2/3/4/ Backpack Y5/6

### **Hair**

- We recommend that hair should be neat and tidy and worn with no extremes of style or colour.
- Long hair should be tied back during Physical Education lessons for safety

### **Role of the Class Teachers and Support Staff**

- Set a good example in term of dress
- Remember that in our respective roles we serve the local community as a set of professionals
- Not wear track suits unless during a morning or afternoon session where Physical Education is being taught.
- No jeans or denim to be worn please.

- Midday Assistants will wear a High Viz Jacket when on playground duty

### **Role of the Head teacher and Governing Body**

- The Head teacher to ensure that pupils comply with the uniform policy agreed by the governing body.
- The Head Teacher has a duty to enforce the school uniform throughout the school community, as part of the duty within maintenance of day to day discipline in the school.

### **Role of the Parents/Guardians**

- To ensure that their child / children adhere to the school's uniform policy. Ensure that they come to school in uniform everyday unless there are special circumstances such as Christmas parties or charity fun raising.

### **Racial Equality & Equal Opportunities**

- All children have equal access to wearing school uniform regardless of their culture, race, religion, gender, disability or ability.

### **Value for Money**

- We believe our school uniform provides value for money. All items can be purchased via our school website. This is a direct link to the provider and will ensure all items purchased are delivered directly to your home address/ or otherwise advised.

### **Review**

This policy will be reviewed in the Nov 2022.