

King's Stanley C of E Primary School Uniform Policy



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 with inclusion;
 - prevents children from wearing 'fashion clothes' that could be distracting in class;

We are committed to ensuring our uniform is affordable for all families. Branded items are optional and non-branded, supermarket alternatives are welcomed.

Expectations

We expect all pupils to comply with this uniform policy, which is 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. Parents should name all items. If families are finding it difficult to obtain uniform, please contact the school office. We can support through our PTFA second-hand stock and by discussing reasonable adjustments where needed.

Inclusion and reasonable adjustments

We recognise that some pupils may require adjustments to the uniform for reasons related to SEND, sensory needs, medical conditions, religious observance, or gender identity. Reasonable adjustments will always be considered on an individual basis.

Branded or unbranded uniform

Both branded or unbranded (generic clothing) uniform may be worn.

Branded school uniform

School uniform with the School logo on, plus book bags can be purchased from:

Bateman's (Sports Ltd),
2 Kendrick Street,
Stroud, GL5 1AB.

Online orders: www.batemanssports.co.uk

Telephone: 01453 764320

Unbranded school uniform

School uniform may also be purchased from any supermarket or clothes shop plus our PTFA have a supply of second hand, good quality uniform which can be acquired for a small donation. If you would like to buy anything from PTFA, please email them on kssp.p.f.a@outlook.com.

Second-hand uniform sales are scheduled regularly and available year-round on request through the PTFA. Donations of good-quality, clean items are welcome.

What to wear: Required and optional items

Main uniform (branded or unbranded):

- Jumper or cardigan in school colour (logo optional)
- Polo shirt or shirt/blouse (white or light colour)
- Trousers/shorts/skirt/pinafore in grey or black
- Seasonal option: blue/white checked dress or tailored shorts (spring/summer)
- Plain dark socks or tights

PE kit:

- Plain white t-shirt
- Plain black shorts or joggers/leggings
- Trainers (and plimsolls if preferred)
- Optional: plain sweatshirt/hoodie for colder weather (no large logos)

Outerwear & accessories:

- Weather-appropriate coat
- Sunhat (summer); gloves/hat (winter)
- Book bag (logo optional)

Jewellery, hair, and makeup



- For health and safety reasons, only small **stud** earrings may be worn and must be removed for PE (or covered with tape supplied by home if recently pierced).
- No necklaces, bracelets, rings, smartwatches with cameras, or other jewellery.
- Long hair should be tied back for PE and practical activities.
- Extreme hairstyles, hair dye, nail varnish, false nails, and makeup are not permitted.
- Religious items (e.g., kara) will be discussed with families to ensure both safety and inclusion.

Footwear

Children should wear sensible shoes at school, and may wear appropriate sandals in the summer. Infant children will also require a pair of wellington boots to stay permanently at school for playtimes and outdoor learning activities.

Labelling

All items should be clearly named. This helps lost items to be returned quickly and reduces costs for families.

Jewellery and long hair

Jewellery should not be worn in school. One pair of discreet earring studs may be worn but must be covered or removed for P.E. Watches may be worn but must be removed for P.E. and dance. The school cannot be held responsible for any loss or damage and any long hair must be tied back and away from faces and we do not allow extreme colours or styles.

Headscarves/Hijab

These may be worn for religious reasons but should be in a neutral colour.

School Bags

There is very little reason for children to bring large bags into school. There is a great shortage of space in the cloakrooms and large bags exacerbate the problem. Lunch boxes can be carried and stored on trolleys.

School uniform list

ITEM	required	optional
Burgundy sweatshirt or cardigan	x	
Long or short grey trousers or a grey skirt, pinafore dress	x	
White short-sleeved polo shirt	x	
Dark coloured shoes	x	
Pink/red and white gingham dress or skirt or shorts in the Summer term		x
A white blouse/shirt in the Summer to stay cool		x
Sun hat		x

PE KIT	required	optional
Navy or black shorts with a white T-shirt	x	
School Sweatshirt/PE hoodie/cardigan to wear during the day	x	
Trainers	x	
Plain coloured ankle socks	x	
Plain dark coloured track suit bottoms when needed (not gym type leggings)		x