



# Shirwell Community Primary School Uniform Policy

We ask that parents' ensure that children have the correct uniform, but aim to make this as affordable as possible for our school community. While there is a selection of branded items available which can be purchased through the school, as long as the uniform is the correct colour, there is no expectation or requirement to use branded uniform.

Uniform is ordered via the school office or School Gateway and can be paid for using the School Gateway system, by cheque payable to Devon County Council or by cash. The school accepts donations of used branded uniform and redistributes at no cost. Parents are advised that they can request second hand uniform by newsletter, at least annually – it is organised on a first come, first served basis and our ability to help is dependent on the clothing that has been donated to us. Here is our current uniform list:

### All children:

- Grey or Black trousers (not jogging bottoms or tracksuits)
- Royal Blue polo shirt (short or long sleeved)
- Royal Blue sweatshirt
- Royal Blue Fleece (optional)
- Blue checked summer dress or a grey/black skirt
- Sensible Black shoes - black trainers are fine as long as they are all black.

### For PE

- Black shorts
- A plain royal blue or white t-shirt
- Trainers or plimsoles
- Tracksuits and bottoms are allowed for PE in cold weather
- PE Bag - any colour

### General

We ask that all uniform is named, to ensure it goes home with the right child. Children should not wear jewellery in school, with the exception of stud earrings for pierced ears. Watches are allowed, but children are responsible for their safekeeping. Long hair should be tied back using a simple hair tie, not with bandanas or scarves - this is important for safety with electrical equipment and in PE and also stops the spread of head lice.

This policy will be reviewed in line with the school's policy review programme.

Signed .....Headteacher

Signed ..... Chair of Committee

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