



Witley C of E Infant School

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School Uniform Policy

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Our School Uniform Policy complies with the [Human Rights Act 1998](#) and the [Equality Act 2010](#) as well as the legal requirements under the [Children's Wellbeing and Schools Act 2026](#)

Throughout this guidance, 'parents' should be taken to include all those with parental responsibility, including guardians and carers.

School uniform plays a valuable role in contributing to the ethos of our school. The wearing of uniform instils pride; supports positive behaviour; ensures that pupils of all ethnicity, cultures and backgrounds feel welcome and supports effective teaching and learning.

The Governing Body at Witley C of E Infant School have set a formal bottle green, grey and white school uniform; we expect parents to provide their children with the full and correct uniform. The Governor Body respects and values the wearing of religious clothing, however, we request that all clothing reflects the school colours.

Uniform List for Girls and Boys

School or plain bottle green sweatshirt/cardigan

School or plain white or bottle green polo shirt

Grey trousers or shorts

Grey skirt/pinafore/green and white checked summer dress

White/grey/black cycling shorts can be worn with skirts/summer dresses

(This is an addition to our uniform policy at the request of our School Council)

Grey/bottle green tights or white/grey socks

School book bag

Black practical shoes (Velcro)

Physical Education

White round necked T-shirt

PE drawstring bag

PE shorts (bottle green/black)

Bottle green/black/grey jogging bottoms (optional for cold weather)

Trainers (Velcro)

Medium/long hair must be tied up for school including PE lessons

Earrings

- The wearing of earrings is discouraged in school. If parents opt for their child to wear earrings they must be small, plain stud earrings.
- We recommend ears are pierced at the start of the summer holidays to allow time for them to heal and your child can practise taking them out and replacing them as staff are not permitted to remove/insert earrings.
- Earrings must be removed by the child for all curriculum physical education activities. Staff are not allowed to remove them.
- If your child does wear earrings the school accepts no responsibility for injury or loss of any items of jewellery.

Forest School/Outdoor Learning

Waterproof jacket and trousers, wellies, long sleeved top/leggings.

(Please see our Forest School page on our website for further information. We have lots of pre-worn outdoor clothing, so please ask if you are finding difficulty sourcing items.)

Cost considerations

We have taken into account the cost of our school uniform and we have made some changes to ensure our uniform is affordable. Changes include:

- Non logo white/green sweatshirts/polo tops available from leading supermarkets
- Non logo white PE T-shirt
- Green or black PE shorts
- Optional bottle green coat

The Headteacher is empowered by the Governing Board to prevent the wearing of unsafe or inappropriate items of clothing. These include:

- Shirts and sweaters which carry slogans or motifs deemed by the Headteacher to be unsuitable within school.
- Sandals or shoes that are unsafe on the school site.
- Jewellery; small ear studs may be worn.
- Please note we do not allow pupils to wear makeup, temporary tattoos or nail varnish.
- Smart devices, such as smart watches or fitness trackers, are not allowed to be worn by pupils to school. A traditional analogue/digital watch may be worn but must be removed for safety reasons on request.

All uniform should be clearly labelled with the child's name.

Second hand and nearly new uniform/Forest School outdoor clothing is readily available. There is no charge for these items but parents may make a voluntary contribution to The Friends of Witley School if they wish to.

Any parent/carer experiencing difficulty in meeting the required standard of uniform is invited to contact the Headteacher in confidence for support.

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