



# BISHOP PERRIN

## Church of England Primary School

### School Uniform Policy

*Our school is a Church of England School and works in partnership with our two local parish churches, St Augustine's and St Philip and St James'. We aim to reflect the values, traditions and beliefs of the Christian Faith and therefore our Spiritual Values underpin everything that we do.*

At Bishop Perrin we believe that school uniform is important. A smart and distinctive uniform contributes to the public image of our school and makes Bishop Perrin children easily identifiable. By taking pride in their appearance, children are encouraged to take pride in other aspects of school life, including their work and surroundings.

It is expected that all children wear the uniform detailed below. Many items are available for parents to purchase from the School Association Uniform Cupboard. Parents must name all of their child's belongings and items of clothing.

When a child's school uniform does not comply with our school uniform policy, a member of staff will speak with the child and a letter will be sent home to inform parents that their child is not wearing correct uniform.

### School Uniform

<b>Winter Uniform</b>	
Children must wear winter uniform from October half term until the Easter holidays. Children may choose to wear winter uniform from September.	
<b>All Boys</b>	<b>All Girls</b>
School jumper Plain white collared shirt School tie (elasticated for infants and non- elasticated for juniors) Grey shorts / trousers Grey or black socks Black school shoes	School jumper / cardigan Plain white collared shirt School tie (elasticated for infants and non- elasticated for juniors) Grey knee-length skirt / culottes / trousers/ knee-length shorts Black / grey tights or white socks Black school shoes

<b>Summer Uniform</b>	
Children must wear Summer uniform for the whole Summer Term. They may choose to continue to wear Summer uniform for the first half of the Autumn Term, but must change to Winter uniform when they return from the October half term holiday.	
<b>Summer Uniform - Foundation Stage and Key Stage 1</b>	
<b>Boys</b>	<b>Girls</b>
School polo shirt School jumper Grey knee-length shorts / trousers Grey or black socks Black school shoes	Either yellow and white striped dress School jumper / cardigan or Grey knee-length skirt / culottes / trousers / knee-length shorts School polo shirt White ankle / knee length socks or white tights with summer dress Black school shoes/closed toe sandals
<b>Summer Uniform - Key Stage 2</b>	
<b>Boys</b>	<b>Girls</b>
School polo shirt school jumper Grey knee-length shorts / trousers grey or black socks black school shoes	Either yellow and white striped dress School jumper / cardigan or Grey knee-length skirt / culottes / trousers / knee-length shorts School polo shirt White ankle / knee-length socks or white tights with summer dress Black school shoes/closed toe sandals

### **Sports Kit**

Children are required to change into the following kit during PE lessons:

<b>Foundation Stage / Key Stage 1 Sports Kit</b>	<b>Key Stage 2 Sports Kit</b>
School black shorts Plain white T shirt Black plimsolls  <u>For Year 2 only:</u> From February half term, PE kit may include <b>school</b> tracksuit bottoms and tracksuit top / sweatshirt as some PE lessons will take place outside. Trainers are acceptable, but not compulsory, for these outdoor PE lessons.	School black shorts House coloured T shirt Either house coloured socks or short white sport socks School training pants School training top/sweatshirt House coloured rugby shirt (optional) Trainers
<b>Swimming - all children (Years 2-6)</b>	
Plain black school swimsuit/trunks School swimming cap School tracksuit bottoms (or plain black tracksuit for Year 2 only) School tracksuit top / sweatshirt (or school jumper for Year 2 only)	

### **Outer Wear**

Children must wear dark coloured coats. Parents can purchase a 3-in-1 black which is for outdoor wear only, from the School Association Uniform Cupboard.

Children are strongly encouraged to wear caps during hot weather for protection from the sun. If children choose to wear a cap in summer or a hat in winter, then for Foundation Stage and Key Stage 1 it must be either a Bishop Perrin Legionnaire cap or a Bishop Perrin baseball cap. For children in Key Stage 2, it must be a Bishop Perrin baseball cap.

Towards the end of Year 6, some parents choose to purchase 'leavers' hoodies for their children. These are not part of our school uniform and are therefore not allowed to be worn to school. They should not be worn when there are opportunities for children to wear their own clothes during the Summer Term, such as School Fete Mufti Days, unless clear permission is given by the Headteacher and discretion is given. However, we do allow children to wear them whilst on their Year 6 school journey, and they are allowed to wear them during the last week of term when they are leaving Bishop Perrin.

### **Jewellery, Hair and Accessories**

Children are permitted to wear a watch and one small stud earring in each ear. Children will be asked to remove other items as no other jewellery is permitted, unless worn for religious reasons. For safety reasons, children will also be asked to remove their watch during Physical Education lessons.

Make-up and nail varnish is not permitted.

Long hair, which is below collar length or falls in front of the eyes, must be worn tied back with a suitable band or clip. Excessively large or brightly coloured hair accessories are not permitted - they should be small, functional and in school or neutral colours. Parents are asked not to have designs shaved into children's hair during term time. Hair colour should be children's natural colour. Children are permitted to bring sunglasses for outdoor use (preferably in school colours). This is at the parents' own risk.

### **School Bags**

Children are not permitted to have key rings, bag tags or other accessories attached to their school bag other than reflective safety tags.

### **Foundation Stage and Key Stage 1**

Infant children need to have a school book bag, which is to be brought in daily, plus a drawstring PE bag which stays in school. The school book bag and PE bag can be purchased from the School Association Uniform Cupboard.

Children may use their own, reasonably-sized, dark-coloured bag to carry their swimming kits when needed on a Friday or for sportswear required for attending a Bishop Perrin afterschool sports club. Bishop Perrin branded backpacks are suitable for this purpose, though not compulsory. They can be purchased from the School Association Uniform Cupboard. Handbags are not permitted.

## **Key Stage 2**

Junior children must have a Bishop Perrin branded backpack which can be purchased from the School Association Uniform Cupboard. In addition to their school backpack, children may use their own, reasonably-sized, dark-coloured bag to carry their swimming kits when needed on a Friday. Handbags are not permitted as a school bag.

## **Foundation Stage, Key Stage 1 and Key Stage 2**

For the purposes of carrying packed lunches and water bottles when going on school visits, tote bags are very suitable and are available to purchase from the School Association Uniform Cupboard.

## **Monitoring and Review**

This policy will be reviewed by the SLT on a regular basis and when the need arises.