



# **Enniskillen Integrated Primary School and Nursery Unit**

## **School Uniform Policy**

The wearing of school uniform is not governed by legislation but our policy has been adopted by the Board of Governors.

### **Aims of the policy**

- To instil pride in our children through the wearing of their school uniform.
- To encourage the children's identity with and support for our school ethos.
- To protect our children from social pressures to dress in a particular way.
- To nurture cohesion and promote good relations between different groups of pupils.
- To ensure children of all races and backgrounds feel welcome.
- To support positive behaviour and discipline and in turn support effective teaching and learning.

## Uniform

### Nursery Unit

- Round neck navy sweatshirt with school logo.
- Tracksuit bottoms/leggings.
- Trainers/comfortable footwear.

### Primary School

Year 1 - 7
Smart trousers (navy)
Smart pinafore <u>or</u> skirt (navy)
Navy tights/socks
Blue shirt.
School Tie.
Navy School v-neck sweatshirt or navy school cardigan with school logo
Black, flat shoes

\*Trainers only permitted at break time or lunch at discretion of Principal. Trainers not to be worn before school or during the school day.

### Summer Options

- Blue gingham dress.
- Navy shorts.

### PE Kit (in a labelled bag)

- Navy shorts.
- Navy tracksuit bottoms/leggings.
- Kukri T-Shirt.
- Kukri quarter zip jumper.

\*All uniform including coats and shoes should be labelled clearly. Non permanent ink washes or wears off.

### Jewellery

- We would encourage children not to wear jewellery to school.
- Necklaces should not be worn over the top of uniforms.
- We would encourage those children with ear piercings to wear plain studs in the interests of their health and safety.

- Any boy or girl wearing hoop or long earrings will either have to remove them or have them taped during PE.

Please note that the school will be unable to take any responsibility for any jewellery that is lost.

### Make-up

- No make-up should be worn at primary school.
- Nail varnish should not be worn.

### Role of Staff

- To set a good example in terms of dress.
- No jeans or denim unless agreed to on a specified day.
- Wearing of tracksuits/PE kit on a Physical Education Day is permissible.

### Role of the Principal

To ensure children and staff comply with the uniform policy.

### Role of the Governors

Governors will be receptive to any reasonable complaint from parents or carers and will handle it respectfully, considering fully the issues they raise. Governors will work with parents to arrive at a mutually acceptable outcome.

### Role of Parents/Guardians

Parents/guardians/carers will ensure their children adhere to the school's uniform policy.

### Race Equality and Equal Opportunities

We are committed to creating a positive climate that will enable everyone to work free from racial intimidation and harassment and to achieve their own full potential.

Our school uniform has been sourced by Parents' Council to provide the best possible value for money.

School logo items are available at LE Graphics beside the IMC Cinema and School Days Enniskillen (Online and in store - School P.E. available to buy from here also.)

School blue shirts, pinafores/trousers etc may be purchased at shops of your choice.

Uniform grants are available depending on your personal circumstances from the Education Authority. Please go to <https://www.eani.org.uk/parents/pupil-applications-and-grants/free-school-meals-and-uniform-grants/apply-for-free-school> and apply online. Apply by the end of July to have the grant in place for September.