

## **Uniform Policy**

A school uniform provides a school with a sense of belonging and pride in the school community. It also contributes significantly to the ethos of the school and sets the right tone for learning, communicates high standards and the message we can do it.

The Governing Body of Kingswood Parks Primary School has decided that all children should wear clothing that is in keeping with a purposeful learning ethos and is based on the following principles:

- promotes a sense of pride amongst the children in the school;
- engenders a feeling of community and belonging;
- is practical and smart;
- identifies the children with the school;
- is not distracting in class (as fashion clothes might be);
- makes children feel equal to their peers in terms of appearance;
- is regarded as suitable, and good value for money, by most parents;
- has been designed with health and safety in mind;
- impacts positively on attitudes to learning.

Governors have agreed that children at Kingswood Parks Primary School require the following uniform:

- Kingswood Parks sweatshirt or cardigan;
- Pale blue polo shirt;
- Grey or black formal school trousers/shorts or skirt
- Sensible flat *black* school shoes

During the warmer weather girls have the option to wear *blue* checked dresses.

## PE Kit

For reasons of both Health and Safety and personal hygiene children must change for every PE lesson. We also ask our staff to change for PE.

Our required PE kit consists of:

- Black shorts;
- White Kingswood Parks T-shirt;
- Trainers.

Best practice requires that children take part in indoor PE lesson in their bare feet.

In cold weather, children require navy blue or black long trousers (tracksuit bottoms or similar) and a sweatshirt to wear over their PE kit.

Child must remove earrings for PE lessons, or if this is not possible, provide suitable tape or plasters to cover them.

All branded school uniform can be purchased from Rawcliffes online here: <a href="https://rawcliffes.co.uk/product-category/primary-schools/kingswood-parks-primary-school/">https://rawcliffes.co.uk/product-category/primary-schools/kingswood-parks-primary-school/</a>

Or in-store at 17 Saville Street, Hull HU1 3EF.

Please note that generic items which adhere to the uniform policy can be purchased from various local retailers including ASDA and Matalan.

## Indoor shoes

All children require a pair of black sandshoes to change into when indoors.

Please make sure your child's name is on all their clothing.



## Hair

We ask that hair is styled sensibly and appropriate to the age of our children. Please be mindful that head lice spread via contact with infested hair it we recommend that long hair is not left loose. All hair ribbons should be navy blue and not overly ornate. Long hair must be tied back in PE.

We are mindful of our responsibilities under the single equalities scheme and believe that our Uniform Policy is fair and reasonable and sensitive to the beliefs of pupils from particular religious groups. If you do have any concerns please see the Headteacher who is happy to listen to you.