



"Let your light shine"

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Dear Parents and Carers,

You may remember that you completed a uniform survey in the Autumn Term as we sought your views on changing our uniform to an 'active uniform'. Due to the results that we received and thanks to all your feedback, we had a lot to think about. We have spent the rest of this year trying to problem solve all your comments, and we have reached a decision, which we hope will be fair to everyone. Therefore, from September 2026, our uniform will be as follows:

For children who want to wear a more **active uniform** every day, they can wear the following every day:

- Yellow School T Shirt with logo
- Yellow school jumper or cardigan with logo
- Black joggers (must be plain and must be black) OR
- Black leggings (three quarter length or full length) OR
- Black loose sports shorts, as near to knee length as possible.
- Black trainers (as plain as possible)

For children who want to wear a more **traditional uniform**, on **non-PE days** they should wear:

- White polo shirt, shirt or blouse
- Yellow school jumper or cardigan with logo
- Black or dark grey school trousers or shorts OR
- Black or dark grey pinafore, culottes or skirt – knee length
- Black/ white / grey socks or black /grey tights
- Black school shoes or black trainers
- Black/white/brown sandals
- Yellow gingham check dress / playsuit / skirt for the Summer Term

For the children who wish to wear the more traditional uniform on their non-PE days, they should follow the Active Uniform guidelines for their PE days. Mid length cycling shorts (mid-thigh or longer) may also be worn, **but only on PE days**. Class teachers will let you know your child's PE days on Class Dojo at the start of the Autumn Term.

Just a reminder:

Children with shoulder length hair or longer need to have their hair tied back. Hair accessories should be yellow, grey, black or white. Also, if wearing earrings, these should be a plain stud.

We really do want to make our uniform fair for all, and also make our children feel as comfortable as possible. This works best when expectations are the same for everyone. Thank you for your continued support and for working in partnership with the school.

Kind regards,