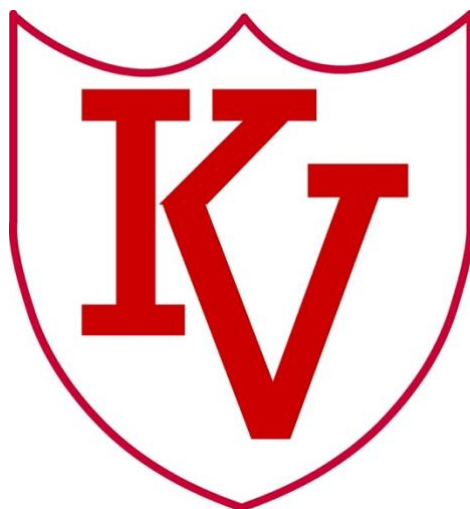


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Respect for All



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Within our school we promote *Respect for All* which encourages respect, high expectations, success, perseverance, enthusiasm, care and teamwork for all of our pupils. Our high standards are also reflected in the pride we take in our school uniform, and the feeling of belonging it creates.

It is our school policy that all children wear school uniform when attending school or when participating in a school organised event outside of normal school hours.

The uniform is part of our school ethos and in coming to Knowsley Village Primary School, parents/carers agree to support our policy.

Aims and Objectives:

Our policy reflects the belief that the school uniform –

- . Promotes a sense of pride in the school and it has a positive impact on behaviour and attitudes in school.
- . Develops a sense of community and belonging towards the school
- . Is practical and looks smart
- . Is regarded as suitable wear for school and considered by parents as good value for money.
- . Is designed with health and safety in mind.

Uniforms are available from –

- Kids Kirkby – Located in Kirkby shopping centre – 0151 548 9390 www.alphaschoolwear.com
- Topform (NW) Limited – Prescott Business Park – 0151426 1813 www.schooluniformknowsley.co.uk

Uniform is also readily available in most children's clothing outlets including supermarkets at what is considered to be a reasonable and fair price.

If anyone has difficulties purchasing uniform for their child, please contact the school office for support and guidance.

All clothing should be clearly marked with child's name.

School cannot accept responsibility for misplaced clothing, however we will make every effort to see that the lost items are returned.

SUMMER UNIFORM– APRIL TO OCTOBER

NURSERY CLASS

Red & White checked dress or Yellow polo shirt
Grey shorts/skirt/pinafore/trousers/Red joggers
Red (KV) jumper/cardigan
Black shoes

White/Grey socks

Hair accessories – small, school colours

RECEPTION CLASS

Red & White checked dress or Yellow polo shirt

Grey skirt/pinafore/trousers/shorts

Red (KV) jumper/cardigan/tank top

Black shoes

White/Grey socks

Hair accessories – should be small, and in the school colours

Y1 – Y6

Red & White checked dress or White polo shirt/short sleeved shirt & tie

Grey shorts/skirt/pinafore/trousers

Red (KV) jumper/cardigan/tank top

Black shoes

White/Grey socks

Hair accessories – should be small, school colours

WINTER – OCTOBER TO APRIL

NURSERY CLASS

Yellow Polo Shirt

Grey skirt / pinafore / trousers / Red joggers

Red (KV) jumper / cardigan

Black shoes

White / Grey socks / Grey tights

Hair accessories – small, school colours

RECEPTION CLASS

Yellow Polo Shirt

Grey skirt / pinafore / trousers

Red (KV) jumper / cardigan

Black shoes

White / Grey socks / Grey tights

Hair accessories – small, school colours

Y1 – Y6

White shirt & School tie

Grey skirt / pinafore / trousers

Red (KV) jumper / cardigan

Black shoes

White / Grey socks / Grey tights

Hair accessories – small, school colours

P.E. Kit

All children to wear:

Red (KV) t-shirt

Black shorts / leggings / tracksuit bottoms

Red (KV) sports hoodie or red school jumper

Black pumps or trainers may be worn on PE days

Jewellery

For health and Safety reasons we do not allow children to wear jewellery in school. The exception to this rule is one pair of plain ear-ring studs in pierced ears and a watch. All ear-rings must be removed before P.E. and swimming lessons by the child or parent.

Hair

Hairstyles should be reasonable and appropriate for being in a learning environment at school. All children are required to have hair longer than shoulder length tied back. Children will be asked to tie back long hair in the school day for their own health and safety (hair bobbles can be provided by school). All hair accessories must be in school colours and they should be small in size.

Role of the Headteacher and Governors

The Headteacher:

- . Implements and monitors the policy throughout the school as part of the duty of maintenance of day-to-day discipline
- . Has overall responsibility for ensuring standards are maintained
- . Is responsible for any disciplinary measures required for failing to follow the uniform rules
- . Issues letters if needed to parent/carers

The Governing Body

- . Should be receptive to any reasonable complaint from parents/carers concerning uniform by handling it respectfully and considering fully the issues they raise
- . Should aim to work with parents to arrive at a mutually acceptable outcome.

Inclusion

All children have equal access to wearing school uniform regardless of their race, religion, gender, disability or ability. We ensure that the set uniform respects other policies and allows for individual sets of circumstances for all groups and individuals.

Non-compliance with the School and P.E. Uniform Policy

If a child breaches the school uniform or P.E. policy the teacher will discreetly talk to the child to find out why they are not in uniform and helps to resolve the issue or reminds them of the need to wear one informing parents of this need. If a child breaches this again a reminder letter will be sent home to parents notifying them of this breach.

If a child forgets a swimming kit school will attempt to contact parents/carers to bring a swimming kit as soon as possible.

Some spare school uniform will be kept in school and children may be asked to change into this. We understand that there may be some exceptional and unavoidable situations where children may have to come to school without part of their school or P.E. uniform. When this is the case, we ask parents to contact us on the day to confirm the reason.

Knowsley Village Primary School expects all pupils and parents to conform with this policy, but in the event of persistent breaches, we will endeavour to work closely with parents/carers to resolve the situation.

