



## Horsell C of E (voluntary aided) Junior School

At Horsell C of E Junior School we believe we are all 'made in the image of God'. Through a commitment to Christian values and high academic aspirations, we strive to provide a rich and inclusive education for every member of our school family.

UNIFORM POLICY 2023	
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This policy has been equality impact assessed and we believe that it is in line with the Equality Act 2010 as it is fair, it does not prioritise or disadvantage any pupil and it helps to promote equality at this school.

At Horsell C of E (A) Junior School we have a uniform policy for all children. We are proud of our school and we expect pupils to reflect this pride in the way that they present themselves.

A school uniform .....

- gives a sense of belonging and unity to the school
- enables children to concentrate on their education and not be preoccupied with fashion
- enables all children to come to school and not be confronted by peer pressure
- assists parents so that children do not make a fuss over what they are going to wear for the day

The school uniform is Royal Blue.

## Availability

All badged items of Horsell C of E (A) Junior school uniform are available from Valentino's in Knaphill:

<http://www.valentinoschoolwear.com>

You are also able to purchase grey trousers, skirts, and pinafores from chain stores and children's outfitters. Boys' trousers and shorts should be the classic design (not 'cargo style'). Pinafores / skirts must not have any form of embroidery on.

Good quality second hand uniform can also be purchased through the PTA.

## Girls Uniform

### Winter:

- A white shirt to be worn with the school tie
- A royal blue V-neck jumper with school logo
- Mid-grey, knee-length skirt or mid-grey trousers (not black)
- White or grey socks or tights
- Strong and sensible black leather shoes (no boots or trainers)

### Optional items:

- Gold and blue scarf
- School coat (reversible, with school logo)

### Summer:

- Dress (no two piece outfits) royal blue and white gingham (check)
- Grey skirt or shorts (knee length)
- White, short-sleeve open neck shirt
- Sun hat
- Shoes must be black. Flat school shoes with laces, slip-on, Velcro or buckle fastening are acceptable.
- Boots, high heels, suede, trainers and sandals are not permitted.

### **PE Kit:**

- White school t-shirt with logo
- Blue shorts
- Trainers and spare socks if bringing kit into school (especially for girls who wear tights)

### **Optional item:**

- Blue tracksuit with logo

## **Boys' Uniform**

### **Winter:**

- White shirt to be worn with school tie
- Royal blue V-neck jumper with school logo
- Mid grey trousers (not black)
- Grey socks
- Strong and sensible black leather shoes (no boots or trainers);

### **Optional items:**

- Gold and blue scarf
- School coat (reversible, with school logo)

### **Summer:**

- Mid-grey shorts
- Short sleeve white shirt to be worn with school tie.
- Shoes must be black. Flat school shoes with laces, slip-on, Velcro or buckle fastening are acceptable.
- Boots, trainers and sandals are not permitted.

### **PE Kit:**

- White school t shirt with logo
- Blue shorts
- Trainers, and spare socks if bringing kit into school

### **Optional items**

- Blue tracksuit with logo

Children should not borrow other children's PE / games kit.

**We expect shirts to be tucked in and jumpers not to be tied around the waist.**

## Coats

We encourage all children to wear the school coat and during the winter it is important that children have their coats in school. We place particular value on our outdoor playtimes, and children will play outside in light rain, cold and wind. As well as break time and lunch time there may be other times when pupils are working outside the classroom and for all these occasions they will require a coat.

## Hats

We encourage the wearing of a hat during the summer term for protection against the sun.

## Art/craft shirts

All children should have protective clothing for use in art and craft sessions. Old shirts are useful for this, especially if elasticated at the wrists. Children should bring a named old shirt to school to be kept on their peg or in their locker throughout the term.

## Jewellery and make-up

Make up and nail varnish may not be worn in school and we do not allow the wearing of jewellery except a watch. Pierced ears must be covered with a plaster during the day or removed before coming to school.

No child is permitted to wear any form of jewellery during a P.E lesson. If you are likely to have your child's ears pierced, it is essential to have this done at the beginning of the summer holidays so that P.E. lessons are not missed.

Body adornments e.g. mimic tattoos/ body piercings are not acceptable in school.

## Hair

All children are expected to wear their hair sensibly.

- We do not allow boys or girls to wear gel/wax on their hair.
- Girls and boys must keep long hair tied back from the face (preferably in a plait).
- Any hair accessories should be discreet and be in school colours (blue, black or yellow).
- Hair should be no shorter than a grade 3, with no "Sculpture" lines in hair or eyebrows.

Please consult the school if you are uncertain whether a particular style adheres to our school policy.

## Swimming

For each swimming lesson, your child should bring in a waterproof bag, a swimming costume, towel and a hat. All items must be named. The children are permitted to wear swimming goggles if they wish to do so.

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

Below are some companies who provide name labels and stamps to make labelling your child's possessions easier.

STAMP IT - naming your child's belongings with a stamp <https://www.stamptastic.co.uk/products/>  
EASY 2 NAME - name labels for your child's belongings <http://www.easy2name.com/>

Requests for variations in uniform must be made in writing to the Headteacher.