

Emmbrook Junior School



Uniform Policy

Responsibility of: Finance, Community and Premises (FCP) Committee
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2014 Mission Statement

The Emmbrook Junior School community works together to further develop each child's abilities by creating a nurturing and motivating environment for learning. Each child's self-confidence will be strengthened so they make good academic progress whilst gaining increasing resilience and respect for the community.

Emmbrook Junior School children have an excellent reputation for looking smart in their uniform. We are proud of our children and hope that you will help us maintain this high standard as it is important that your child is dressed appropriately and smartly at all times.

Our school uniform:

Boys

Long grey or black trousers or knee length shorts
White polo shirt **or** short/long-sleeved white shirt with school tie
Dark green v-necked jumper (with school logo preferred)
Black or white socks (no trainer socks)
Sensible black shoes which provide a good grip and fasten securely, no open toed sandals or boots

Girls

Knee length grey or black skirt **or** pinafore dress
Long grey or black trousers or knee length shorts
Knee length summer green and white checked dress
White polo shirt **or** short or long-sleeved white shirt with school tie
Dark green cardigan or v-necked jumper (with school logo preferred)
Black or white socks (no trainer socks)
Dark green, grey or black tights
Sensible black shoes that provide a good grip and fasten securely, no open toed sandals or boots

PE Kit

Plain green T-shirt (with school logo preferred)

Plain black shorts
Plain black tracksuit bottoms
Plain black sweatshirt, no hoodies, zips or pockets
Trainers (not plimsolls)

PE Kit should be in school all week and only taken home at the weekend for washing. Please provide a named drawstring bag in which your child can keep their PE Kit whilst at School.

Shoes should provide a good grip and **fasten securely** for the sake of the child's safety in the playground. When using the fitness trail, children should change into their trainers. Trainers are NOT acceptable footwear at school other than for outdoor activities.

Jewellery, including religious adornments, should not be worn in school. If a child has pierced ears, plain gold or silver studs only should be worn. For safety, these have to be removed during PE. If the child cannot remove the earrings, you must provide them with protective tape to be applied for PE lessons.

If you come from a religious background and there are items of dress culturally required of children of junior school age, please ensure that you contact the school to discuss how this may be accommodated. Where relevant, the colour of any such items if possible should be dark green to match the school colour. Headscarves and hijabs may be worn but have to be removed for PE, unless your child has reached puberty. This should be confirmed in writing to the school

Extreme hairstyles are not acceptable in school and only natural colours are suitable for the children. Please support us in this by not allowing your child to attend school with inappropriate hairstyles and colours. Hair accessories; slides, scrunchies and bands are to be dark green, black or white and long hair must be tied back at all times. No make-up, including nail varnish should be worn to school. Temporary tattoos are also unacceptable.

It is important that ALL of your children's belongings be clearly named. Each term we collect an enormous quantity of un-named items, many of which are almost new. Our lost property box is located outside by the hall and is cleared at the end of each term, with any unclaimed items donated to charity.

All types of shirt are to be tucked in at all times. In the event of hot weather, the Head Teacher may make the decision, on a day-to-day basis, to allow the children to remove their school ties and undo the top button of their shirts and leave their shirts untucked.

Approved by Governing Body

Chair of Governors

Date 27.02.2018

Head Teacher

Date 27.02.2018