

# Uniform Policy

We encourage all our children to wear our school uniform with pride. A consistent school uniform helps create a sense of belonging, supports equality, and prepares pupils for life beyond school. We are committed to keeping costs as low as possible for families, in line with Department for Education (DfE) guidance.

## Our School Uniform

Pupils may choose from the following items:

- **Trousers, shorts, skirts, or pinafore dress** – dark grey or black
- **Summer option** – light blue gingham dress
- **Polo shirt** – white or royal blue
- **Sweatshirt or cardigan** – royal blue
- **Footwear** – plain black shoes

## PE Kit

- **T-shirt** – white or royal blue
- **Shorts** – royal blue
- **Trainers** – suitable for physical activity

## Branded vs Non-Branded Items

- Branded items are optional and not required.
- Items with the school logo are available to purchase from **Ziggy's in Halifax**.
- Non-branded royal blue sweatshirts, cardigans, and other items are equally welcome.

## Pre-loved Uniform

We encourage families to make use of our good-quality pre-loved uniform, which is:

- Usually available in school.
- Mostly stocked at **St Mary's Church Pop In Shop** (opposite school).
- Typical prices are **50p per item**.
- Opening times:
  - Monday: 9:30am – 12:00pm
  - Tuesday: 1:00pm – 3:30pm
  - Wednesday: 1:30pm – 4:00pm
  - Friday: 10:30am – 3:30pm

## Inclusivity and SEND

We recognise that some pupils may have additional needs which affect what they wear. Our uniform policy is always sensitive to individual circumstances. Adaptations can be agreed with families to ensure every child feels comfortable and included.

## Equality and Non-Discrimination

- Uniform items are not gender-specific; pupils may choose whichever option suits them.
- Families are not required to purchase from a single supplier.
- No pupil will be disadvantaged due to uniform costs.

## Review of Policy

This policy will be reviewed annually to ensure it remains affordable, inclusive, and in line with updated DfE guidance.