Janvrin School

Uniform Policy

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Introduction

At Janvrin School, it is our school policy that all children wear school uniform when attending school and school organised events in and outside school hours. School uniform is a way of showing that children and parents/carers are organised, respectful and safe, whilst being proud of being part of their school community. We want all our pupils to feel as if they belong and are part of our school community – wearing the appropriate uniform will ensure this!

Some items of uniform can be bought with the Janvrin School logo on, such as our jumpers, cardigans, and PE jackets, whilst other items are easily available.

A complete list of items and photos of expected school uniform and presentation is included below.

Please ensure ALL items of clothing are clearly labelled.

Aims and Objectives:

The aim of this policy is to:

- Ensure clarity of what can and cannot be worn at school;
- Promote a sense of pride in our school;
- Help to create a sense of community and belonging within the school;
- Ensure that pupils can be easily identified with our school;
- Support our commitment to inclusion and equality;
- Prevent pupils from wearing 'fashion clothes' that could be distracting in class;
- Ensure pupils' uniforms are practical, smart and suitable, with health and safety in mind.

Jewellery, Hair, and Nail Polish

For health and safety reasons, we do NOT allow pupils to wear jewellery of any kind; this includes bracelets, necklaces and large earrings.

Hair bands, ribbons/bows or 'scrunchies' should be **PLAIN** – either red, white or black. Hair bands should not have objects attached, such as flowers**. If your child's hair is longer than shoulder length, it MUST be tied up every day.**

During the Summer Term, hats are to be brought in for sun protection, especially during PE days and break/lunch times. Your child is not to wear a hat or hood up inside.

Makeup and nail varnish should not be worn to school, unless for an out of school event, for example a school disco.

OPAL (Outdoor Play and Learning) – Uniform and Clothing Guidance

As part of our commitment to OPAL, children are encouraged to play, explore and learn outdoors as much as possible. Clothing should therefore support children to be **comfortable, safe and suitably dressed for outdoor play in all weather conditions**.

Footwear

Children may wear **plain black trainers** as part of their school uniform. Trainers provide suitable comfort, support and grip for active outdoor play. We would recommend that EYFS and KS1 children have velcro.

Outdoor Clothing

Children will play outdoors **in all weathers where it is safe and appropriate**. Parents and carers should ensure children come to school prepared for the weather, including bringing a suitable **coat** when required.

Additional outdoor clothing such as **waterproof trousers, waterproof jackets and wellies** is welcomed, particularly during wet weather. All additional clothing and footwear should be **clearly named**.

Mud, Mess and Outdoor Play

OPAL encourages children to make the most of natural outdoor environments. As a result, children may become **muddy, wet or dirty** during the school day, and clothes may come home marked.

We ask families to support our approach by providing **suitable clothing and, where appropriate, spare clothes**, so that children can continue to enjoy outdoor play comfortably.

Being appropriately dressed for the weather enables children to develop **confidence, resilience, creativity and a love of being outdoors**.

Adaptations to Weather

Cold Weather: Wear warm, waterproof coats. Hats/earmuffs, scarfs and gloves are optional.

Hot Weather: Wear full summer uniform (although not jumpers/cardigans). Email will be sent out if extreme heat and alternative clothing option, PE kit.

- September to Easter Holidays – Winter Uniform (long trousers, grey skirt, or dress/tights)
- After Easter Holidays to End of the Year – Summer Uniform (shorts and summer dresses) - optional.

The Role of Parents

We believe that one of the responsibilities of parents is to ensure that your child arrives at school in the correct uniform and PE kit. It is vital that it is clean, in good repair and the child's name is written on all items.

If a parent has any difficulties fulfilling this request, please speak confidentially to a member of the Senior Leadership Team to discuss issues and we can aim to provide support.

Parents will be contacted by the Class Teacher if the child arrives to school in the incorrect uniform to discuss the matter. Parents may be requested to return to school with the correct uniform. Monitoring of incorrect uniform will be undertaken by the school, with potential meetings for discussion and support.

The Role of School

All Janvrin staff should maintain high expectations of all pupils' presentation and uniform dress. Presentation and uniform will be added to each termly school report.

They should ensure that they are role models in wearing appropriate clothing (including on trips). Where pupils fail to wear the correct uniform, staff should make discreet and sympathetic enquires with the parents.

Where pupils are wearing the correct uniform, staff should give positive encouragement and praise.

If staff are concerned about a pupil's standard of dress, this will be followed up with a discussion with parents.

Special dispensation can be requested for exemption from school uniform or elements of it if it is on medical grounds, religious reasons, or for other exceptional circumstances. The Headteacher or Deputy Headteacher will have the ultimate decision on granting or refusing this.

Lost Property

Any identified items of school uniform will be taken to the School Office. Pupils are encouraged to look here to reclaim lost property, on the understanding that the found item will be clearly named. After a short period of time, these lost items may be put forward for a future uniform sale.

Uniform Support and Sales

If you are concerned or having issues regarding the uniform policy and our school expectations, then please contact your child's class teacher or member of the Senior Leadership Team. We are happy to try support when we can.

Our Jersey Parent-Teacher Partnership (JPTP) regularly hold uniform sales to offer recycled, cheaper items of our uniform. Below are upcoming dates for the year.

Dates TBC each year. There will be morning and after school slots.

Nursery

There is no set uniform for Nursery children to adhere to. However, it is expected that children are wearing comfortable clothes that are Nursery environment friendly. We ask for no open toe shoes. Trainers/boots/closed in sandals such as crocs.

Nursery children are expected wear trainers on the day they have PE.

UNIFORM LIST:

BOYS

- Grey trousers / shorts
- White short sleeved school shirt
- Tie
- Janvrin School jumper
- Grey / white socks
- Black shoes (including trainers)
- Hair bands – red, white, black

GIRLS

- Grey trousers / skirt or dress / summer dress
- White short sleeved school shirt
- Tie
- Janvrin School jumper / cardigan
- Grey / white socks
- Black shoes (including trainers)
- Hair bands – red, white, black









~~PE Kit~~

Boys and Girls

- Red or white, plain t-shirt
- Black, plain sport shorts (not branded or too tight/short!)
- Black, plain sport trousers (not branded)
- Black, plain sport leggings (not branded)
- Janvrin School red logo jacket or zip-up
- Comfortable trainers (any colour)
- Short, plain sport socks





All school uniform items should NOT be branded or too tight/short!

We would like your child to wear the correct P.E. kit to school <u>ONLY</u> on their designated P.E. days or days communicated by Mr Ashton, Head Teacher, or Class Teacher.

- Nursery – Tuesdays.
- Reception – Tuesdays and Fridays.
- Year 1 – Wednesdays and Thursdays.
- Year 2 – Wednesdays and Fridays.

- Year 3 – Thursdays and Fridays.
- Year 4 – Mondays and Tuesdays.
- Year 5 – Mondays and Thursdays.
- Year 6 – Mondays and Wednesdays.

Further information:

Microsoft Word - CYPES Department Policy Template