



Uniform & Dress Code Policy

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1.0 Policy statement

Kirton Lindsey Primary School has a prescribed uniform and dress code firstly, so that all children appear and feel part of our school family and secondly, so that children are appropriately prepared for academic work. This policy outlines the rationale for our uniform and dress-code and details the items that children should and should not wear or have in school.

The school encourages and expects parents and carers to support the school uniform and dress code.

Navy Blue is our primary school colour for our uniform. All children are expected to wear the prescribed uniform set out below.

Purple is our secondary colour for our PE kit only. Children should only wear the purple PE kit on days when they have PE; otherwise it is expected all children will wear prescribed uniform set out below.

Items bearing the Kirton Lindsey school logo can be ordered through a company called Uniform Direct.

Link to Uniform Direct: <https://www.uniform-direct.com/acatalog/Kirton-Lindsey-Primary-School-Uniform.html>

2.0 Uniform

All children should have a suitable school bag to store their belongings while at school. The bag and all uniform items should have the child's name written clearly on a label or tag.

All children should wear the prescribed uniform which is detailed below:

- Trousers or Shorts Black, navy or grey formal trousers
- Skirts or Pinafore Dresses Black, navy or grey
- Summer Dresses Light or navy blue
- Sweatshirt / Cardigan Navy blue
- Shirt / Blouse / Polo Shirt White / navy blue
- Footwear Black school shoes (no open-toed sandals)
Entirely black trainers are allowed (no white or coloured logos)

2.1 Prescribed PE Kit

- Indoor PE Kit Purple T-shirt or polo shirt & black shorts, optional indoor plimsols (EYFS and KS1 only)
- Outdoor PE Kit Purple sweatshirt or hoodie, purple T-shirt or polo shirt & black tracksuit bottoms, outdoor trainers suitable for sport (e.g. not canvas / Converse style)

3.0 Dress code

Children should not wear jewellery to school as it can be dangerous in certain activities, and it is likely to get damaged or lost.

Children with pierced ears may wear plain stud earrings. We recommend that parents and carers who wish their children to have pierced ears should leave this until the beginning of the summer holidays in order for ears to be healed on their return. The school will not accept any responsibility for any accidental injury caused by children wearing earrings.

In the interests of safety, all earrings should be taken out by the pupils themselves before a PE lesson. If ears are pierced in the middle of a term then plasters are allowed to be worn (supplied by the parents/carers) for a 6-week period. After this, earrings should be removed.

4.0 Personal belongings and possessions

Money and other valuables should not be brought into school, unless required for a specific activity.

Mobile phones should not be brought into school. If a child needs to bring a mobile phone into school, this should be pre-arranged with the class teacher and handed in for safekeeping on arrival at school.

If a child is found to have a mobile phone in school that has not been handed in for safekeeping this will be confiscated by the Headteacher until a parent/carer collects it at the end of the day.

The school will not accept any responsibility for the loss of, or damage to, mobile phones, smart watches, wrist watches or other valuables in school.

Smartwatches which take photos or receive calls are not allowed in school.