



## Chislehurst (St Nicholas) C of E Primary School

### POLICY FOR SCHOOL UNIFORM AND GENERAL APPEARANCE

(Updated July 2016)

#### **Aims**

- To promote and foster a sense of unity, pride and belonging in our school
- To promote and foster self respect and respect for the values held by the school community
- For each pupil to project an image that would bring credit to themselves and the school

#### **Girls' Uniform:**

##### **Winter**

Navy Pleated Skirt (culottes recommended);

White Closed-Neck Pointed Collared Blouse *not round collared* (with a top **button**; not 'Velcro' fastenings);

School Tie;

Long White Socks – preferred (Long Navy Socks or Navy Tights may be worn for 'every day' use in muddy, cold conditions; except for **smart formal occasions** when **Long White Socks** must be worn)

##### **Summer**

Light Blue Gingham Summer Dress (culottes recommended)

White Socks – long

##### **Girls' winter or summer**

Cardigan or Navy V-Neck Sweatshirt with small embroidered logo

Black 'school style' Shoes (not covering ankle)

Dark Coloured Outdoor Coat (Navy or black)

Navy Fleece with small embroidered logo for outdoor use only (optional)

Hair accessories should be blue, yellow or white

## **Boys' Uniform:**

### **Winter & Summer**

Grey Trousers/Shorts

Grey Socks – (long with shorts)

White Collared Shirt long or short sleeved (with a top **button**; no 'Velcro' fastenings permitted)

School Tie (in very hot weather boys may wear short sleeved shirt and open collar)

Navy V-Neck Sweatshirt with small embroidered logo

Black Shoes (not covering ankle)

Dark Coloured Outdoor Coat (Navy or black)

Navy Fleece with small embroidered logo for outdoor use only (optional)

### **Girls & Boys general uniform:**

#### **PE Kit**

Yellow Polo Shirt with small embroidered logo

Navy Shorts with small embroidered logo

White Sports Socks

Black Plimsolls and for juniors – trainers for outdoor games

Navy track suit (with optional small embroidered logo)

#### **Additional items**

Navy Wellington Boot Bag (School logo optional)

Yellow PE Bag (School logo optional)

Infant Book Bag with School logo and reflector strip

Junior Book Bag with School logo and reflector strips

Painting Overall

Baseball Caps – Navy or Yellow (School logo optional)

Legionnaire Caps – Navy or Yellow (School logo optional)

Scarf in school colours

Warm/bobble hat in school colours

Navy Beanie Hat

Navy Gloves

#### **Retail Outlets**

All items with logo can be bought from 121 uniforms at: [www.121uniforms.co.uk](http://www.121uniforms.co.uk) or from the 'National Schoolwear Centres' shop in Bromley High Street at:

[www.bromleyschoolwear.co.uk](http://www.bromleyschoolwear.co.uk); all other items can be purchased from any retail outlet. The school also holds regular PTA 'nearly new' uniform sales to encourage the economical 'recycling' of uniform items.

#### **Hair Style**

Hair style should conform to a reasonable norm as determined by the Headteacher. The following are **not** allowed: patterned or sculpted styles, close shaved cuts, dyed hair or hair extensions. In addition for boys: pony tails, the use of hair gel or hair in excess of collar length.

## **Jewellery**

No jewellery may be worn with the exception of small stud sleeper earrings for girls with pierced ears, which must be removed or covered over by tape during PE related activities. An appropriately sized watch for telling the time may be worn (must be removed for PE).

## **Watches**

Watches may be worn provided they are appropriately small sized for the child's age and are able to fit, without being visible, under a school sweatshirt or cardigan. Analogue display is preferable as this assists children with their understanding of telling the time.

## **Other accessories**

The following may **not** be worn: wrist bands, visible tattoos, badges or stickers other than those officially awarded by the school.

## **Exceptions**

Certain allowances will be made in cases where there are genuine religious or cultural needs that require a child to deviate from the above rules. Permission must be sought from the Headteacher.

## **Discipline**

The school expects that all pupils will adhere to the school's uniform policy while on route to or from school; on activities outside the school premises when school uniform is required to be worn. Pupils found to be in breach of the school's uniform policy will be subject to appropriate sanctions during school time.

The school holds the right to send pupils home for not wearing the correct school uniform and is supported in this stance by DFE - "It is nonsense to suggest that a school can't send a pupil home to change into the correct uniform" (19/1/07) Spokesman for DFE.