School Uniform Policy

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Review Cycle:	Every 3 Years	**Ratified by Govs:**	10.9.2026

Aims
At Hart Plain Junior School, we believe that a school uniform promotes belonging, pride, equality, positive behaviour and readiness for learning while ensuring pupils are dressed safely and appropriately.

Principles
The governing body is committed to keeping uniform affordable, minimising branded items, complying with equality legislation and providing access to second-hand uniform.

Required School Uniform
Black trousers, plain black full length leggings, shorts, skirt or pinafore
White polo shirt, shirt or blouse
Green school sweatshirt with logo
Black school shoes
Green and white checked dress (summer option)

PE Kit
Grey polo shirt with logo
Black shorts
Black skort
Trainers
Plain black joggers
Green school sweatshirt with logo

Footwear
Plain black school shoes are expected (Plain black trainers are also allowed)
Open-toed footwear, high heels, sliders and fashion boots are not permitted.

Jewellery and Personal Appearance
A watch (no smart watches are allowed)
One pair of or single small stud earrings may be worn.
Makeup, false nails and extreme hairstyles are not appropriate for school.

Equality and Inclusion
Reasonable adjustments will be made for religious, cultural, medical or disability-related needs.

Affordability
Generic items may be purchased from any retailer. The school will maintain access to second-hand uniform and keep requirements under review.

Labelling of Clothing
All uniform and PE kit should be clearly labelled with the child's name.

Non-Compliance
The school will work with families to resolve any uniform concerns and offer support where financial hardship is identified.

Monitoring and Review
This policy will be reviewed every three years or sooner if guidance changes.