

School Uniform Policy

Faith Courage Love

Faith to move forward in confidence and succeed.

Courage to make a difference in the world every day.

Love one another as God loves us.

Faith - Roecliffe School will prioritise good relationships and will model respect for all in their policy implementation.

Courage - Roecliffe school commits to implementing this policy with integrity and in order to achieve the best possible outcomes for all stakeholders.

Love - All policies will be implemented in such a way as to ensure faith in fair process.

Policy Date	Review Date	Headteacher	Chair of Governors
June 2023	June 2025	Lesley Briggs	Nick Baird

At Roecliffe CofE Primary School, we believe strongly that a school uniform plays a valuable role in contributing positively to the school ethos. Our uniform is practical, comfortable and smart, and helps children feel part of our school community.

The school uniform.

- Jade green school sweatshirt/cardigan school logo optional
- White polo shirt/shirt/blouse
- Grey trousers/skirt/shorts/pinafore dress
- Green gingham dress for warmer weather
- Grey socks/grey tights/white socks
- Black trainers may be worn. Our school has adapted an 'Active Learning' approach.

No family should ever feel disadvantaged when purchasing uniform, therefore Roecliffe CE Primary FORCES have second hand uniform available for £1 an item. Please speak to staff if you would like some.

PE Kit

At Roecliffe CoE Primary School, we provide all of our children with many sporting opportunities and we offer the children a wide range of extra curricular activities both before and after school. As a school we also take part in many different sporting events and competitions with other schools in our local area. We encourage all children to take part in sport and we encourage our children to be as active as possible. We, therefore, believe that comfortable and supportive footwear is important in facilitating our pupils to be physically active.

Children should wear their PE kits on their allocated PE day.

For their PE lessons children should wear:

- Black/Navy shorts/tracksuit bottoms
- Jade green school t-shirt or plain white t-shirt
- Grey hoodie school logo optional
- Trainers

During the second half of the autumn term (October half term – Christmas) and the first half of the Spring term (Christmas – February half term), children MUST have tracksuit bottoms and a sweatshirt in school. We aim to go outside in all weather conditions so it is important that children are appropriately dressed to participate in their PE lessons.

Swimming kit

Swimming costume, towel, and a swim bag is required. Pupils may bring their own goggles, labelled with their name.

Jewellery/Piercings /Tattoos

On health and safety grounds we do not allow children to wear jewellery to school. Should a pupil have pierced ears, earring studs may be permitted but must be removed by him/herself for PE and swimming. Due to safety reasons it is preferred that earring studs are not worn on PE/swimming days. Any other piercings are not permitted in school.

Please note that the school will be unable to take any responsibility for any jewellery that is brought to school.

Makeup

No make-up or nail varnish should be worn

Watches

Watches may be worn for school. However, school can not hold any responsibility for any loss or damage of the pupil's watches. Smart watches with camera may not be worn at school.

Hair

Hair should be clean and tidy and tied back if long for PE/swimming.

Summer requirements

- A sun hat is essential in sunny weather
- On sunny days sun cream should be applied before coming to school.

Equipment

All pupils must bring a named water bottle.

Roecliffe CofE Primary School provides all equipment that pupils will need for their studies. No pencil cases are required.

Please note that all belongings brought to school and pupil's clothing should be labeled with the pupil's name. The school cannot take responsibility for loss or damage to personal belongings and uniform.

Role of the Head Teacher and Governing Body

- The Headteacher is responsible for ensuring and monitoring that all pupils comply with the uniform policy.
- The Governing Body, along with the Headteacher, should be receptive and supportive to any reasonable complaint from parents/carers concerning uniform. Governors should work in partnership with parents/carers to arrive at a mutually acceptable outcome.
- Both the Headteacher and the Governing Body will follow the DfE guidelines on school uniform (2013) available at

https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/school-uniform

Role of the Class Teachers and Support Staff

- Set a good example in terms of dress
- Assist the Headteacher in ensuring and monitoring that all pupils comply with the uniform policy.

Role of the Parents/Carers

- To ensure that their child/children adhere to the school uniform policy and dress appropriately to ensure optimal safety and learning. • To ensure that all pieces of their child's uniform is named clearly • To ensure that their child/children attends school everyday in school uniform unless there are special circumstances.
- Parents and Carers should raise any complaints or difficulties with regards to school uniform issues to the Headteacher.

Role of the pupil

- All pupils have a level of responsibility (age dependent) to follow the uniform policy and wear the correct clothing for school.
- To report any damage to their uniforms to their class teacher. Pupils should look after their uniform and the uniform of their peers with care and respect.

Racial Equality and Equal Opportunities

All pupils have the right to equal access to wearing the school uniform regardless of their culture, race, religion, gender, disability or sexual orientation. We ensure that our school uniform respects other policies such as our Equalities statement, Child Protection Policy and Health and Safety Policy.