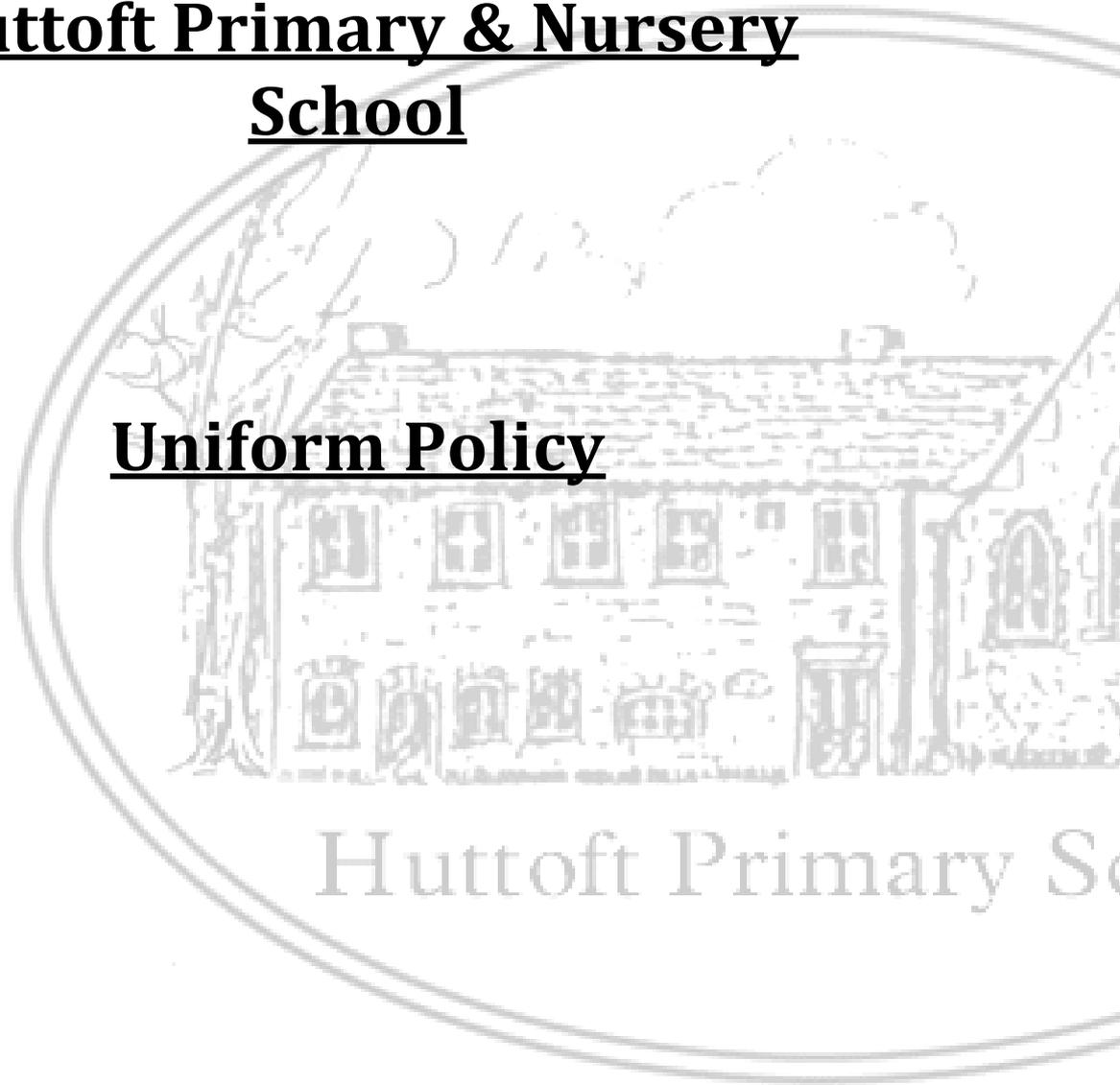


Huttoft Primary & Nursery School

Uniform Policy



Huttoft Primary & Nursery School (Academy)

'Building Foundations, Enabling Discovery, Broadening Horizons'

A Governing Body Policy

Aims

We believe that our school uniform contributes to the ethos and culture of Huttoft Primary and Nursery School. It sets the required standard and promotes a common understanding and cohesion. A school uniform ensures children from poorer backgrounds don't feel isolated if their parents are unable to afford the latest styles of clothing. It therefore reduces the chances of conflict and bullying, reduces the chance of peer pressure whilst also promoting equality.

Sourcing Our Uniform

School logo items

School jumper/cardigan, Nursery polo shirt and PE tracksuit, PE polo shirt are compulsory items of uniform and must be worn. They can only be purchased through the school's supplier – online or from the shop (Nationwide Uniform, Spilsby we are currently sourcing an alternative provider to ensure our uniform pricing is competitive). All other items can be sourced in the local market towns or beyond – including low-cost outlets. Huttoft Primary School coats and gilets are optional, but preferred. They can only be purchased from the school's supplier (online or at the shop). A supply of good quality, low cost second-hand uniform is always available. Ties must be purchased from school or Nationwide Uniforms.

Achieving Best Value

A review of the school's two uniform suppliers is carried out at intervals. The last review was held in 2020. The number of compulsory items of uniform is kept to a minimum. The only specialist PE equipment required is a swim hat for longer hair.

Variations to our Uniform Policy

Our Uniform Policy does not discriminate (directly or indirectly) on gender, race, disability, sexual orientation or belief, however any request made to vary it (e.g., accommodating a religion or belief, ethnicity, disability) will be carefully considered taking into account the health, safety and protection of the rights and freedom of others. Such a request and the school's response to it will be recorded.

Non-compliance with our Uniform Policy

Where uniform or appearance does not meet the required standard, the Headteacher will advise parents/carers of non-compliance. Where a parent or carer is asked to take their child home briefly to correct their uniform this will be considered an Authorised Absence. An absence will become unauthorised if a child has to be taken home frequently or takes longer than is deemed necessary to correct their uniform

Uniform List

Nursery Children

- Nursery polo shirt
- Nursery Sweatshirt
- Sensible trousers/jeans
- Sensible shoes/boots

Outdoor Play:

- Wellington boots
- Waterproof 'puddle suit' or waterproof coat and trousers

These items can be left in nursery and sent home at the end of each week for washing.

EYFS/ Key Stage 1 & Key Stage 2

- *Huttoft School jumper or cardigan
- *mid-grey trousers (boys)
- *mid-grey straight leg trouser (girls) (not skinny)
- *mid-grey pinafore/skirt/divided skirt (girls)
- white shirt/blouse (school-style with a traditional 'pointed' collar short or long sleeved NOT polo shirt)
- *scarlet tie
- black 'school-type' shoes
- grey/black socks
- grey tights

P.E. Kit -

- Huttoft School white T-shirt*
- Huttoft School shorts*
- Huttoft School black sweatshirt top*
- Huttoft School jogging bottoms*
- trainers
- black plimsolls

Each child should have their P.E. kit in a separate bag, in School every day. PE kit is sent home for washing fortnightly on a Friday – the dates are advertised in Newsletters.

Coats

- Huttoft Primary School red, reversible coat*
- Huttoft Primary School black cagoule*
- Huttoft Primary School gilet**
- Black or dark single colour coat

Bags

- PE bag*
- Rucksack*
- Book Bag*

Summer Uniform – only to be worn in the Summer Term

Summer uniform should only ever be worn in the summer term from Easter until the end of July.

Girls optional Summer uniform –

- red and white checked or striped uniform-style dress
- black or white sandals or the winter shoes

Boys optional Summer uniform –

- mid-grey uniform style short trousers
- grey or black sandals or winter shoes.

Hair Styles

Children with long hair should have it tied back during the school day, where a fringe hangs over the face this should be tied back also

Hair Embellishments –

Hair bands, bows and hair clips etc. should be simple and co-ordinated in school uniform colours.

Makeup and Nails

Makeup and nail varnish is not permitted in school. The only exception to this is when we have a non-uniform day.

Items marked * may be purchased through Nationwide School Uniforms, Spilsby

Items marked ** can only be purchased from the school

Our School uniform

- any significant change(s) to our existing, long established uniform code will be put out for consultation
- consideration of a time frame for introducing a significant change to our uniform will be given

Relevant legislation, regulations and guidance

- The Equality Act 2010
- The Human Rights Act 1998
- The Education Act 1996
- Regulations S1 1999 Number 1727
- Behaviour and Exclusions Guidance 2015
- Admissions Guidance 2012
- DFE non statutory School Uniform Guidance 2013