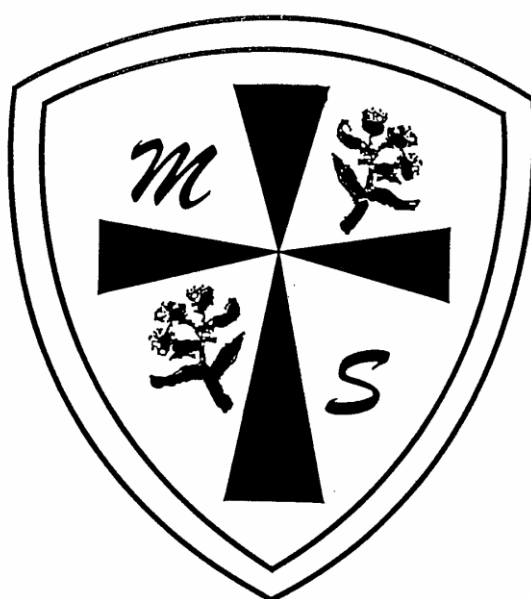


Marcham CE Primary School



School Uniform policy

Date Agreed with Governing Body: 13th November 2025

Date of next review: November 2026

Signed..... Chair of Committee/Governors

Signed..... Headteacher

1. Introduction

Marcham Church of England Primary School believes that a school uniform helps to promote a sense of belonging, equality, and pride in our school community. Wearing our uniform encourages pupils to present themselves smartly and to take pride in their appearance, while supporting our shared values of respect and unity.

2. Aims

Our uniform policy aims to:

- Encourage a sense of community and identity within the school.
- Support equality and inclusion by providing a clear and affordable dress code.
- Ensure pupils are dressed appropriately for learning and active play.
- Promote safety and practicality in school activities.

3. Uniform Expectations

Winter Uniform

- **Trousers:** Grey or black (not jeans, leggings, or jogging bottoms).
- **Pinafore Dress or Skirt:** Grey.
- **Shirt or Polo Shirt:** White (long or short-sleeved).
- **Sweatshirt or Cardigan:** Red, with or without the school logo.
- **Knitwear:** Red.
- **Socks:** Grey or white.
- **Tights:** Grey or red.
- **Shoes:** Plain black, flat-heeled, with toes covered (no trainers, sandals, or boots for indoor wear).

Summer Uniform

- **Trousers or Shorts:** Grey or black.
- **Summer Dress:** Red and white checked.
- **Shirt or Polo Shirt:** White.
- **Sweatshirt or Cardigan:** Red, with or without the school logo.
- **Socks:** Grey or white.
- **Shoes:** As per winter uniform.

4. Physical Education (PE) Kit

- **T-shirt:** Red with school logo or plain red.
- **Shorts:** Black.
- **Tracksuit Bottoms/Leggings:** Black (for colder weather).
- **Trainers:** Suitable for outdoor PE (bare feet for indoor PE).
- **Hair:** Long hair must be tied back.
- **Jewellery:** None to be worn during PE lessons.

5. Additional Guidance

- **Outerwear:** A waterproof coat suitable for the weather is required.
- **Wellies:** Pupils are encouraged to bring wellington boots for outdoor activities and wet weather, with indoor shoes to change into.
- **Jewellery:** Only small plain stud earrings may be worn; these must be removed for PE. No other jewellery is permitted.
- **Hair Accessories:** Plain, small, and in school colours. Large decorative bows or bands are not permitted.
- **Make-up and Nail Polish:** Not permitted.
- **Labelling:** All clothing and footwear must be clearly labelled with the child's name.

6. Uniform Supplier

Our official supplier is **Trutex**, based in Didcot. Items with the school logo can be purchased through their website or via the school office, which holds sample stock for sizing.

The **PTA** runs regular sales of pre-loved and donated uniform items to keep costs low and reduce waste.

7. Financial Support

Families eligible for **Pupil Premium** or **Service Premium** funding will receive an annual uniform voucher to be used with the school's uniform supplier.

8. Equality and Inclusion

We are committed to ensuring our policy is fair and inclusive. Adaptations will be made for pupils with specific religious, cultural, or medical needs following discussion with the Headteacher.

9. Non-Compliance

Pupils are expected to wear the full school uniform daily. If a pupil attends school out of uniform, parents will be contacted to discuss the reason and how the issue can be resolved.

10. Policy Review

This policy will be reviewed annually by the Governing Body in consultation with staff and parents to ensure it continues to reflect the school's values and meets the needs of all pupils.