

GRANGETOWN PRIMARY SCHOOL



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Dear Parent/Carer

AN IMPORTANT MESSAGE ABOUT UNIFORM

Please note that leggings are not part of our school uniform. ***Leggings should not be worn for school.*** They do not count as trousers. Also, they should not be worn for PE - they have never been part of our PE kit.

We recently reminded parents/carers about our uniform and PE kit - in July this year and again in September. The policy has been in place for years, is on our website, and has been sent to parents/carers many times. Leggings have never been included in our Uniform or PE policy. Schools generally do not permit leggings - our approach is typical of the vast majority schools.

We're sure you agree that, over the years, we have always aimed to be sensible about uniform, and we have ensured that uniform is affordable (by allowing good value supermarket items for example).

Our uniform is as follows:

Girls

- Royal blue sweatshirt, v-neck jumper or cardigan
- White or blue polo shirt (or traditional collared shirt if you prefer, in white)
- Grey or black skirt or trousers, or grey dress/pinafore – note that an acceptable alternative would be a blue Gingham Dress
- Black or grey tights can be worn
- Leggings are not allowed.
- Black shoes or black shoe/trainer crossovers (but not colourful, branded trainers)
- P.E. Plain t-shirt, plain shorts or gym skirt and trainers. No football strip items. Children can wear PE kit on PE days, with jogging bottoms and a school sweatshirt or pullover/jumper.

Boys

- Royal blue sweatshirt or v-neck jumper
- White or blue polo shirt (or traditional collared shirt if you prefer, in white)
- Grey or black shorts or trousers
- Black shoes or black shoe/trainer crossovers (but not colourful, branded trainers)
- P.E. Plain t-shirt, plain shorts and trainers. No football strip items. Children can wear PE kit on PE days, with jogging bottoms and a school sweatshirt or pullover/jumper.

The website link for our Uniform is here: <https://grangetown.sunderland.sch.uk/For-Parents/Uniform/>

Thankyou for your valued support, Mr McAnaney and the GPS Team.

Enjoy - Respect - Achieve

