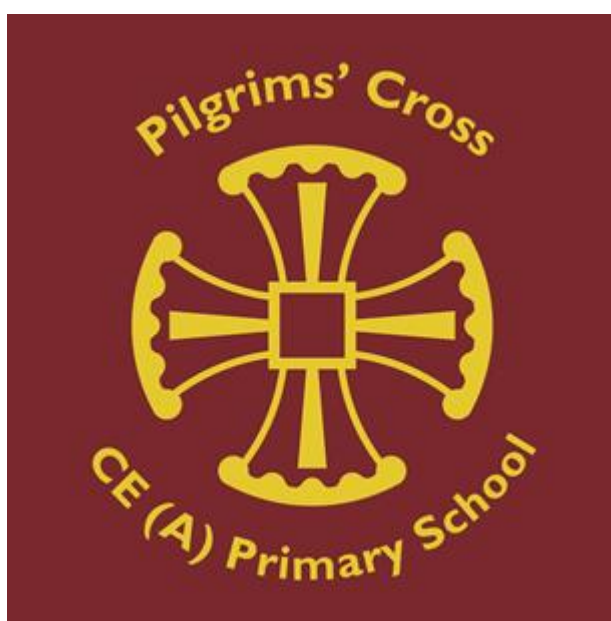


*Learning, to make a difference,  
in God's world*

# **Pilgrims' Cross CE Aided Primary School**



## **Uniform Policy**

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## **Pilgrims' Cross CE Aided Primary School**

Every decision we make as a school is driven by our WHY, the school VISION, detailed below, which is based on the school VALUES of LOVE, COURAGE and TRUST.

“Children at Pilgrims' Cross CE Aided Primary School will be LOVING, COURAGEOUS and TRUSTWORTHY so they can become TALENTED, ROLE MODELS and make a POSTIVE DIFFERENCE in GOD's WORLD.”

We have decided that our educational provision will be providing Adventurous Learning for ALL. Adventurous Learning has 5 elements – Interesting Destination and Flexible Maps (Our Curriculum), BEING A GREAT GUIDE (how to ensure our children learn), ADVENTURE SKILLS (Personal Development) and UP FOR IT ATTITUDE (Personal Development and Behaviour)

The result of this VALUES / VISION driven education is we are working towards being a TRANSFORMATIONAL SCHOOL, which is where ALL children achieve better than anyone would have expected!

The Uniform Policy demonstrates and focusses on the school's value of **LOVE**.

**At Pilgrims' Cross CE Primary School we aim to foster a feeling of community within our school. We therefore prefer all children to wear school uniform. We believe that it is smart; gives the school its own identity and gives your child a sense of belonging and togetherness.**

**Our uniform includes:**

White Shirts and blouses – tucked in please 😊	A School Tie – (Year R – 2 children ties can be on elastic)
Grey trousers (long or short)	Grey Skirts and pinafore dresses grey – knee length
Maroon Jumpers and cardigans with school logo	Summer dresses red / maroon gingham
Strong sensible black shoes or closed toe sandals (Velcro shoes are great for younger children)	Strong black simple boots are allowed in the winter
White or grey socks	Grey or Maroon plain tights
Sensible and smart hair styles	Long hair worn up

The school offers two suppliers of the school uniform and sells an attractive range of school clothing. These have the advantage of having the **school logo** or the **school name** sown into some of the items. Please ask the school office for the order forms.

The items you can order through our suppliers with the school logo are:

- Maroon cardigan
- Maroon jumper
- White PE t-shirt
- Maroon PE shorts
- Sun cap for summer
- PE bag
- Book bag
- Rucksacks
- Coats

We would ask that where possible your child's maroon jumper or cardigan has a school logo and that your child wears a Pilgrims' Cross tie, all other items with a school logo or name are optional.

If you need assistance with your child's school uniform costs or your child is registered as pupil premium we can offer you a discount on the cost of the uniform. If this would be helpful then please let us know as we would not any child to feel different and not have the school uniform.

We respectfully ask parents to **'name'** all items of school clothing. We can accumulate many items with no names throughout the year and this can be frustrating if your child's clothing disappears. Clothing with no names could be accidentally taken home by another

child. To avoid this happening, please use sew-on or iron-on name labels or permanent pens to name your child's clothes.

### **Dressing for PE**

- When we have PE in the hall, pupils wear a plain (school logoed –optional) white T-shirt and a pair of maroon (if possible) or black PE sports shorts. All indoor PE is done in bare feet.
- Your child will also need suitable warm clothing for outdoor games in cold weather. This includes trainers or plimsolls and a tracksuit or jogging suit. If the field is damp, plimsolls can be very slippery so try to find plimsolls with a good tread. Trainers provide a much better grip but we appreciate these are more expensive.
- **All Year 5/6** will require trainers as their sport requires greater precision and speed.
- If children have pierced ears they must be able to remove their earrings or apply their own medical tape to cover them up. If this is not possible, please remove all earrings on your child's PE days.

### **Dress code**

We ask parents **not** to send their children to school wearing:

- Unsuitable shoes, such as high heels, mules, platform heels, open toed shoes or sandals
- Make up or nail varnish
- Jewellery
- Large hair accessories, including large bows or hair bands
- Fake glasses
- Hooped or dangly earrings