Elson Infant School - Uniform Information



Thank you for supporting us with providing your child with the correct uniform. We are proud of how smart the children look. At Elson Infant School we have a school uniform because we recognise that a consistent uniform approach increases children's identity and self-esteem, impacting positively on behaviour. It also puts the children in the right frame of mind for working. Additionally, it ensures that pupils are not differentiated one from another because of the clothes they wear to school. We have given careful consideration to the uniform list ensuring that it is readily available and reasonably priced. Children will bring their PE kits into school at the beginning of each week and change for PE in school. They will then take kits home at the end of the week for the purpose of washing/getting kit ready for the following week

PLEASE mark your child's name in ALL clothing and personal belongings to help us return them if they are mislaid.

School Uniform

Grey Trousers/Skirt/Pinafore dress or Shorts White Polo Shirt Red Logo / or Red Non Logo Sweatshirt or Cardigan White / Black / Grey Socks/ Tights Black Shoes (no trainers) School Logo Book bag / Red book bag Red Gingham Dress (in warmer weather) Hat – any type Wellington boots

PE Kit

Black Shorts – no drawstring Plain White Logo or Non Logo T-shirt (No football / sports shirts) Trainers PE bag – any type

Our logo uniform is available to purchase via Mapac, please click on the link: Mapac

All **logo** uniform is optional, you are able to purchase plain items of uniform from other retailers, such as supermarkets and second hand retailers (e.g. Jacobs Well, or pre-loved uniform sales in school).



Hair: In line with health and safety and to maintain a smart appearance, hair that can be tied back should be tied back (in any way you choose) with discrete neutral or school coloured hair ties / bands.

Jewellery: Please can earrings be **removed** for PE days, or if your child is able to remove the earrings on their own these can be placed into an envelope. This is for the safety of your child and others. If ears have been pierced recently then we will tape them until healed (normally 2 weeks).

At Elson Infant School any child eligible for FSM Pupil Premium will receive **1 x logo sweatshirt or cardigan and a logo book bag** at the start of each new academic year.

FSM Pupil premium is available to children whose parents/guardians are in receipt of one or more of the following benefits:

- Income Support
- Income-based Job Seekers' Allowance
- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999 The guaranteed element of State Pension Credit
- Child Tax Credit, provided you are not also entitled to Working Tax Credit, and have an annual gross income, of no more than £16,190 as assessed by Her Majesty's Revenue and Customs (Parents who are made redundant or start working less than 16 hours per week, may find their children are entitled to free meals for a limited period.)
- Working Tax Credit run-on paid for 4 weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit
- Universal Credit (provided you have an annual net earned income of no more than £7,400, as assessed by earnings from up to three of your most recent assessment periods)

No other benefits qualify for pupil premium.

It is easy to see if your child is eligible for Pupil Premium and this can be done online, please visit: FSM Pupil Premium Criteria

The service is instant and the school is informed by email from Hampshire County Council. It is vital to register so that your child and school receive the funding.

If you qualify please order uniform direct with the school either by telephone on 02392 580808 or email at office@elsoninfantschool.co.uk