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Dear Parents and Carers,

### **School Uniform**

I am writing to remind parents and carers that children must wear the correct uniform to school. It has been noticed that a significant number of children are not abiding by the School Uniform Policy, particularly the PE uniform.

In September, we opted to continue allowing the children to wear their PE kit to school on PE days, rather than the full school uniform. This was welcomed by children, staff and parents. However, it was made clear that children were expected to wear the correct PE uniform to school.

We believe that there are many benefits to wearing a uniform; research shows that it has a positive impact upon behaviour and provides a valuable sense of community and pride. Included with this letter is a reminder of the correct PE uniform.

Staff will be monitoring school uniform for the remainder of this term, and where incorrect clothing is being worn, a letter will be sent home to parents. Our uniform does not need to be branded with the school logo as we recognise the cost implications, however, clothing does need to be in the correct colour. Logos other than the school logo are not permitted.

If you do not wish to purchase new uniform, we have a range of good quality second-hand uniform available to purchase at low prices. Uniform can also be purchased from larger supermarkets and Pages Schoolwear - <https://pages-schoolwear.co.uk/>.

We are keen to support parents where there is a need. Please contact the school office in confidence, if you need financial assistance in paying for school uniform.

With kind regards,

Miss T Gobell  
Head Teacher



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### The Discovery School PE Uniform



Plain navy blue hoodie with the school logo  
Or plain navy blue – **NO SPORTS BRANDING**  
(picture for illustrative purposes only)



Black plimsolls for inside PE lessons



Navy blue 'shadow stripe' shorts



Plain PE t-shirt in the correct house colour



Black trainers or plimsolls for outside PE lessons

Plain navy blue or black jogging-bottoms or ankle length leggings  
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