

## 'Where Children Come First'

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# **School Uniform Change**

Dear parents/carers,

In the light of the move to a brand new school building in September 2025 we are taking this opportunity to make a change to our school uniform to mark our brand new future.

We are moving from the current red colours to a more natural green colour.

Green is considered one of the colours that promotes a calmer school and would also reflect the big focus we will have on the outdoor environment given the huge outdoor area we are going to have.

The current Early Years children already have light green jumpers so there would not be a change for Nursery or Reception classes.

However, for Years 1 to 6 (including Galaxy and Apollo classes) we will be moving from red to a darker (bottle) green. The green will also be reflected in the signs around school and the logo used on our letterheads and documents. We will also update our web-site and social media pages.

We are not proposing to change anything else other than the colour of the uniform (so it should be minimal cost to parents) and we are negotiating with Impressions (our school uniform shop) about prices. A pack of two crew neck bottle green jumpers without logos from Tescos currently costs between £5 and £9 depending on the age. We will let you know about the cost of a jumper with a logo on if you would like to purchase that.

(We will have examples to display to parents at the office and over the next few weeks)

We are aware that this might mean an added expense to some parents who were not planning to buy new uniform for 2025 so we will have a period when children will be allowed to wear their red jumpers and uniforms up to March 2026 if they want/need to.

If you have any questions or comments please let us know either on Class Dojo or email.

The normal uniform expectations for September 2025 can be found below.

If you wish to see our updated Uniform Policy it will be on the school web-site to see once it has been revised.

Yours sincerely

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Seven Stars Uniform options	PE Uniform
YEARS 1 to 6	(Select as weather dependent)
Top Half: - Plain white shirt	Top Half:
<ul> <li>Plain white blouse</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Plain white crew (round</li> </ul>

- Plain white or dark green polo shirtPlain dark green school jumper (crew neck)
- Plain dark green school fleece
- Plain dark green cardigan
- Plain dark green sweatshirt
- Dark green and white gingham blouse
- \*\*Waterproof coat

### **Bottom Half:**

- Plain black or grey trousers
- Plain black or grey shorts
- Plain black or grey skirt

#### Footwear:

- Sensible, flat, plain black shoes
- Plain black trainers (no coloured logos must be fully black)
- Plain black ankle boots

### Additionally:

- Dark green and white gingham dresses (with optional black or grey tights)
- Grey dresses (with optional black or grey tights)

We strongly advise that jewellery should not be worn to school for health and safety reasons. If you choose for your child to wear earrings, **only** stud earrings are allowed. If your child needs to wear any medical or religious jewellery, then an appointment needs to be made to speak with us.

## **NURSERY AND RECEPTION CLASSES**

Same as above BUT light green instead of dark green (same as now)

- Plain white crew (round)-neck t-shirt

 Plain dark green jumper or sweatshirt/fleece

Waterproof coat

#### **Bottom Half:**

- Plain black shorts
- Plain black leggings
- Plain black tracksuit bottoms

## Footwear:

 Any trainers can be worn (of any colour – so long as they are trainers suitable for PE/Sport)

We strongly advise that all watches and earrings should be removed for physical activities (for example, PE and swimming lessons). Your child will be advised to put surgical tape over the piercing themselves or take the jewellery off at this time.

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