



Peases West Primary School Uniform Statement

Introduction

Peases West Primary School has high expectations of its pupils not just in terms of their educational achievements but also in respect of their behaviour and personal presentation. It is the policy of the school that all children will wear our agreed uniform each day. This fosters a feeling of belonging to our community, and helps children feel equal to each other. The Governing Body recognises that there may be a diversity of cultures and religions represented amongst the pupils of the school and will take a sensitive and respectful approach when this affects dress requirements. Priority will, however, be given to health and safety, the education and wellbeing of pupils and other similar considerations.

At Peases West Primary School, we believe that physical education (P.E.) is vital as part of children's all-round development, enabling them to pursue happy, healthy and active lives. We encourage all children to engage and succeed in a variety of sports and fitness activities in school, to understand the importance of health and fitness as a fundamental life skill and to experience the benefits of social interaction, teamwork and cooperation. We aim to encourage and support our children to develop competence to excel in a broad range of physical activities and have healthy, active futures.

For this reason, we want children to be prepared for the physical demands of the school day, from active breakfast club and after school clubs, to sports crew led lunch and breaktime clubs, outdoor learning and playtimes and P.E. lessons. Our uniform expectations support our 'active' school day, so that children are ready to access all physical activity opportunities safely, and in practical, comfortable and affordable clothing.

We encourage children to wear the following 'active uniform' items each day for school:

- Trainers
- Black joggers or tracksuit bottoms/ black leggings/ black shorts/skorts
- White T shirt/polo shirt (with or without school logo)
- Black hoodie

Children may also wear:

- White or green polo shirt (with or without school logo)
- Grey/black trousers; grey/black pinafore dress/skirt
- Bottle green sweatshirt/cardigan/hoodie (with or without school logo).
- Plain socks (black/white/grey)
- In the warmer months, children may choose to wear shorts/skorts or summer dresses/skirts

Footwear:

Children should wear flat, black or dark coloured shoes/trainers.

P.E. kit:

We encourage children to come to school in active uniform each day.

P.E. uniform consists of a white T shirt or polo shirt, black shorts, joggers/tracksuit or leggings and children should come to school wearing this on their P. E. days (if not already in an active uniform).

Standards for all pupils

Hair should be neat and tidy with no extreme hairstyling or accessories.

Nails should be of a practical length.

Children should not wear any form of jewellery to school, in order to maintain their own and others' health and safety. (Please see jewellery policy)

Make-up, nail varnish and large hair accessories should not be worn to school.

UNIFORM SUPPLIERS

You can purchase all of the Peases West Primary School Uniform your child requires for school in most supermarkets.

We hold a selection of 'pre loved' uniform items in school, available to all children and families. Please contact us if you would like to view our pre loved uniform.

Items can also be ordered via the following link. All items are delivered free directly to the school in a bulk delivery twice a month on the 6th and 20th of each calendar month.

<https://peaseswest.cre8ivegraphics.co.uk/shop/>

During School Holidays, you can contact and pick up in store at:

Cre8ive Graphics, 12 Peel Street, Bishop Auckland, County Durham. DL14 7LF

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