

Uniform Guidelines

We believe that high standards of dress and a smartly worn school uniform are important for a number of reasons

- It encourages children to feel pride in being part of the school community.
- It reduces scope for competitive dressing which can be a source of unhappiness for children.
- It is practical and relatively inexpensive.

We also know that a clear and consistent policy is helpful to parents and carers. We therefore ask that parents/carers ensure that their children are dressed in the correct, named, clothes and shoes (including PE kit).

- White or blue polo shirt (with or without logo)
- Royal blue sweatshirt or cardigan (with or without logo)
- Dark grey school trousers (not jeans), long shorts, skirt or pinafore dress
- Blue checked summer dress
- White or grey socks or black tights
- Black school shoes.

Our school uniform is available to order from Mapac – please go to www.mapac.com/education/parents or search online for ‘Mapac find your school’.

It is not compulsory for parents to purchase a polo shirt or sweatshirt that has the New Swannington logo embroidered on it. This is entirely optional.

Jeans, jeggings, jogging trousers, hooded tops or ‘leisurewear’ of any type cannot be worn as school uniform.

Please ensure that children wear suitable footwear ie. black, flat shoes. Children should not wear trainers, pumps, canvas or sports branded shoes for every day. If children come to school wearing snow boots or wellingtons, they will need to change into black shoes during the day.

PE Kit

For indoor PE, children will require:

- White t-shirt or polo shirt (plain or with school logo)
- Plain black or navy shorts
- Plain black plimsolls/pumps

For outdoor PE, children will require:

- White t-shirt or polo shirt (plain or with school logo)
- Plain black or navy shorts
- Royal blue hoody/sweatshirt (with or without the New Swannington logo).
- Plain blue sweatshirt/joggers.
- Trainers

Long hair must be tied back and jewellery must be removed (or, in the case of earrings, covered with tape). Stud earring only are permitted.

Children are allowed to wear their PE kit into school on the days when they have PE. However, please ensure they wear sweatshirts and joggers, especially in the colder months.

Swimming

Swimming lessons normally take place in Years 3 and 5.

- A full swimsuit/swimming trunks and a cap (bikinis are not appropriate and children will be unable to swim)

As always, please ensure that all of your child's clothing is clearly labelled.

Our uniform supplier is Mapac:

- www.mapac.com/education/parents
- Tel: 01923 255525
- Email: parentcustomerservices@mapac.net