



HUNNYHILL PRIMARY SCHOOL

WHERE ALL THE PIECES COME TOGETHER



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Policy: Home/School Agreement

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Signed by Chair of Governors:

Date:

Date of next Review: June 2015





Agreement for the School

The school will

- Encourage children to do their best at all times and expect the best in behaviour and work
- Recognise good attendance and punctuality and support parents and carers where there are persistent difficulties of any kind
- Inform parents and carers regularly about their child's progress
- Inform parents and carers what topics and subjects are to be taught each term
- Be open and welcoming and offer opportunities for parents and carers to become involved in the daily life of the school
- Set, mark and regularly monitor home tasks, in keeping with the school's homework policy
- Contact parents and carers as soon as is possible if we become concerned about a child's work or behaviour
- Offer a safe and stimulating environment and a broad and balanced curriculum which meets the needs of all children
- Listen to both the opinions and problems of children and their families and treat everyone with fairness and respect
- Ensure the safety and wellbeing of every child, and insist that all pupils observe the anti bullying and positive behaviour policies
- Provide an education pack for a child not in school for any reason





Agreement for Parents and Carers

I will do my best to:

- Make sure my child arrives at school on time and is collected on time from the appropriate place, and inform the school of any difficulties I am experiencing
- Make sure my child attends school regularly and inform the school of any difficulty or reason for absence
- Encourage my child to explore the range of activities on offer at school and take an active interest in his or her school life
- Support the school in maintaining good behaviour and discipline
- Ensure that my child wears the school uniform and support the school's dress code
- Support the school in maintaining good behaviour in line with the school's Positive Behaviour Policy
- Let the school know of any problems and/or changes in circumstance that might affect my child's ability to learn
- Enjoy the opportunities and invitations to attend the school and see and discuss my child's work and do my best to attend parents interviews and events to which I am invited
- Support the school in providing a safe and secure environment for everybody
- Respect all members of the school community at all times
- Support my child in completing an education pack if they are off school for any reason





Agreement for Pupils

I will do my best to:

- Work hard and listen carefully to instructions so that I can achieve my targets
- Come to school regularly and on time, bringing with me all the equipment I need
- Keep to the school rules and behave well so that the teachers can teach and every pupil can learn
- Be polite and respectful to all other children and adults
- Do my homework and bring it back to school on time
- Wear the school uniform and follow the dress code
- Take good care of our school environment
- Tell someone I trust if I do not feel safe and seek advice when I need it
- Help and share in the making of classroom and school rules
- Understand who will help me and work out with them what to do about my problems
- Understand that my opinion is valuable and be prepared to take part in class and School Council decisions





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We have signed up to Hunnyhill School's Home School agreement

Name of child.....

Signature of child.....

Signature of parent or carer.....

Signature of Headteacher.....

Signature of home/school
Coordinator.....

Date.....

This page to be retained by the school





Uniform and Dress Code

This code sets out the uniform and standard of appearance that the school expects from its pupils. Governors are responsible for setting the uniform requirements in community schools and in this school we believe that a consistent approach helps to promote a sense of belonging. The Dress Code is designed to help children in the classroom environment by preventing distraction and to ensure Health & Safety requirements are met.

The Governing Body is very aware of the financial implications of buying school uniform and has therefore ensured that the majority of the uniform items are available at many supermarkets and stores. Some items of clothing are available from the school. All items with the school name are available to order from the school office or direct from the Big Wight T-Shirt company on Dodnor Industrial Estate.

Uniform

Boys:

Dark Grey Trousers

White Polo Shirt with collar, either plain or with school name

School Sweatshirt with school name

Grey socks

Black shoes with firm fixings (Velcro or laces)

Coat suitable for bad weather

Dark grey shorts just above the knee may be worn during the summer

Items not allowed:

Trousers: no jeans, tracksuit or cargo type trousers or cargo type shorts allowed

Shirts: no T shirts or button-up shirts allowed

Sweatshirts: no other jumpers or sweatshirts allowed

Socks: no 'trainer socks', no socks with logos, pictures etc.

Shoes: boots and trainers are not allowed, no logos eg. Nike etc.

Girls:

Dark grey trousers, pinafore or knee length skirt

White Polo Shirt with collar, either plain or with school name

School Sweatshirt or Cardigan with school name

Grey socks or tights

Black shoes with firm fixings (Velcro, laces or buckles)

Coat suitable for bad weather

Blue check dress or grey culottes may be worn during the summer with plain white ankle socks





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Items not allowed:

Trousers: no jeans, tracksuit or cargo type trousers allowed. No low-waisted trousers.

Shirts: no T shirts or button-up shirts

Sweatshirts: no other jumpers, cardigans or sweatshirts

Socks and tights: no 'trainer socks', no socks with logos, pictures etc. No patterned tights.

Shoes: no boots, ballet-style pumps or trainers are allowed, no logos eg. Nike etc. No raised heels. No open toes.

PE: Kit List

Yellow T-shirt with school name

Royal blue shorts

Black plimsolls

A change of socks (Years R, 1 & 2)

Royal blue PE socks (Years 3, 4, 5 & 6)

Yrs 5 & 6 will need trainers for outside activities (Suitable for hard work and mud)

Yrs 5 & 6 will need to wear a tracksuit for winter outdoor sport. (Suitable for hard work and mud) A school logo tracksuit is available from the Big Wight T-shirt Company.

Please label all items of clothing clearly

Dress Code

This code aims to provide a standard of appearance consistent with the expectations of parents, teachers and the Secondary schools that our pupils move on to. Some are Health & Safety considerations and some to prevent distraction in the classroom.

Earrings: Many children have their ears pierced by parental choice and some for religious reasons. Hunnyhill Primary will only allow **STUD** earrings to be worn in school. Only one earring in each ear is allowed. The British Association of Advisors and Lecturers in Physical Education, **BAALPE**, recommends earrings are removed for all PE lessons to help prevent any injury to the child or those around them. We will however continue to provide tape to cover earrings. The school accepts no responsibility for any loss or damage. Other activities may require removal of earrings at the discretion of the teacher.

Jewellery: Some religions require items of personal jewellery to be worn and the school will consider each case on application to the Headteacher. No other jewellery is allowed except Medicare bracelets. Individual cases should be discussed with the Headteacher.





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Watches: Suitable watches are allowed to be worn by pupils in Years 5&6 only. The school has plenty of time-telling opportunities and watches are not necessary. Pupils in Years 5&6 must remove them for PE. The school accepts no responsibility for loss or damage.

Hair: The school expects all pupils to have tidy hair. No sprays, colours, gels or similar hair styling products are allowed. Some pupils may have allergies to ingredients in these products and some products are flammable. Long hair must be tied back, boys and girls, with a covered elastic 'stretchy' or a hair band. Ties and bands must be plain blue or black and have no other ornament; this is to prevent distraction in the classroom. Hair grown long for religious purposes must be restrained in a manner which prevents the hair becoming a Health & Safety risk. No spikes, patterns or logos cut into the hair are allowed. Head lice infestations will be discussed as a matter of urgency with the parent/ carer and a course of action recommended.

Religious Head coverings:

Hunnyhill Primary is fully conscious of the requirements of some religions to obscure or partially obscure the face for reasons of modesty. However to enable all children to receive the best education that the school can provide the teaching staff and other pupils need to be able to observe responses to teaching therefore we do not allow facial covering. Head coverings which do not cover the face are allowed for those whose faith requires head coverings.

Following the Uniform and Dress Code:

All pupils are expected to follow the uniform and dress code. If it is not followed a letter will sent home asking for the problem to be remedied. Parents and carers are welcome to discuss any problems with the Headteacher.

