

MAIN STREET, CLIFFE, SELBY, NORTH YORKSHIRE, YO8 6NN ADMIN @ CLIFFE.N-YORKS.SCH.UK 01757 638426

#### Dear Parents / Carers,

As mentioned in previous correspondence we are looking to revise our school uniform from this coming September.

This is in part to move towards the use of our new school logo and in part to meet the needs of our more active curriculum.

Our aim is to maintain a clear 'school identity' but move towards something that better suits the way we learn and ensures the comfort of our pupils. This means a uniform suitable not only for the classroom but also for the Daily Mile, PE sessions, Active Maths etc.

This includes a move away from 'school shoes' towards simple, plain trainers, suitable for running on grass. We will also make a change from trousers and skirts towards tracksuit bottoms / leggings. In the warmer months pupils will be welcome to instead wear plain black jersey style shorts (just above the knee) or the established white / blue checked summer dress. On the top we will continue with a royal blue crew neck sweatshirt or cardigan (plain or with the school logo) and a white polo shirt (again plain or with school logo). The exception to this being our Year 6 class, who will be invited to wear their 'leaver's sweater' from the beginning of the academic year, should they wish. We appreciate that families may have stocks of embroidered uniform at home and pupils are more than welcome to wear 'old logo' uniform, blue polos etc for as long as is required. Further details can be found below.

Should you wish, embroidered items can be purchased from here -

#### https://myclothing.com/cliffe-voluntary-controlled-primary-school/6298.school

Please note this website also offers additional items (blue bottoms, v-necks etc) that ARE NOT part of our uniform – please disregard these.

In regards to an additional 'PE kit' we would ask they have available a pair of basic black PE shorts (in case of particularly warm weather) and a pair of basic canvas 'pump' type shoes in case their standard school trainers get wet. These can be kept on a bag, in school at all times.

While the style of uniform may perhaps appear 'more relaxed' we must stress that these are still very much uniform expectations and all pupils will be required to meet them. Please see further details of uniform specifications below and do note that clothing bearing brand names, logos, stripes etc will be in breach of uniform policy.

As well as meeting our needs here in school we also hope this new uniform will be of benefit to families in a number of ways. The practicality of the new clothing means pupils will not have to attend some days in uniform and some days in 'sports clothing' as is currently the case, often causing confusion. Equally, the clothing to be worn should be fit for outdoor / exercise purpose and as such hopefully wear and last a little longer. We have also scrutinised the price point of the new uniform required and believe it should come at no greater cost to families and may indeed represent a saving.

Thank you for your support in this and please do not hesitate to get in touch via email should you have any further questions.

Yours Sincerely,

Mr A Blackwood Headteacher











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Royal blue crew neck sweater or button up sweater type cardigan.

With embroidered school logo or plain. No brand / team logo. No hooded top with the exception of Year 6 'leaver's sweater'.

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White, button up polo shirt.

With embroidered school logo or plain. No brand / team logo.

No stripes or coloured cuffs etc.

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Plain black trainers.

No excessive coloured accents etc. Ideally waterproof rather than soft cotton. Velcro or laced if they can tie themselves.











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Black, fitted style leggings.

Matt black cotton type – not tights.

No brand / team logo.

No stripes or coloured cuffs etc.



Black, elasticated waist / cuff tracksuit bottoms.

Matt black cotton type.

No brand / team logo.

No stripes or coloured cuffs etc.



Blue / white check dress with collar.











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For summer uniform – Black, elasticated waist shorts. Just above knee. Matt black jersey type. No brand / team logo. No stripes or coloured cuffs etc.



Plain white or black sports socks. No brand / team logo. No stripes or coloured cuffs etc.



In the PE bag at all times -

Black, elasticated waist shorts.

A pair of basic canvas 'pump' type shoes.







