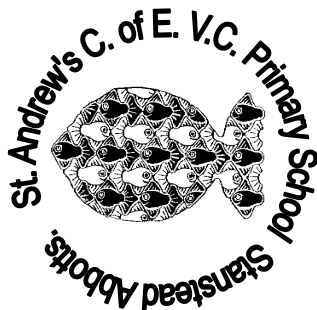


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SCHOOL UNIFORM POLICY

We expect that all our children will wear school uniform. Uniform is important because it gives the children a sense of belonging and raises self-esteem. We work with you to ensure all our children maintain a smart appearance.

The children are positively encouraged and rewarded for taking care of their possessions and for remembering to bring the right items to school on the right day.

Our uniform comprises of:

<u>Early Years and KS1</u>	<u>Lower and Upper KS2</u>
Boys	Boys
White polo shirt <i>(with school logo if possible)</i>	White shirt
	Striped school tie <i>(to be removed at discretion of class teacher during summer months)</i>
Grey trousers or shorts <i>(Shorts for the Summer Term only)</i> Grey or black jogging bottoms can be worn in Nursery only.	Grey trousers or shorts <i>(Shorts for the Summer Term only)</i>
Red school knitted Courtelle V-Neck Jumper with school logo	Red school knitted Courtelle V-Neck Jumper with school logo
Grey socks	Grey socks
Black shoes <i>(No trainers)</i>	Black shoes <i>(No trainers)</i>
Girls	Girls
White polo shirt <i>(with school logo if possible)</i>	White shirt/blouse
	Striped school tie <i>(to be removed at discretion of class teacher during summer months)</i>
Grey pinafore dress / grey, knee length skirt or grey fitted trousers	Grey pinafore dress / grey, knee length skirt or grey fitted trousers
Red school knitted Courtelle V-Neck cardigan or jumper with school logo	Red school knitted Courtelle V-Neck cardigan or jumper with school logo
Grey socks or grey tights <i>(Autumn & Spring Terms),</i> White socks <i>(Summer Term)</i> - not trainer socks	Grey socks or grey tights <i>(Autumn & Spring Terms),</i> White socks <i>(Summer Term)</i> - not trainer socks
Black shoes <i>(No trainers or high heels)</i>	Black shoes <i>(No trainers or high heels)</i>
Red checked dress <i>(Summer Term only)</i>	Red checked dress <i>(Summer Term only)</i>

PE Kit

- School drawstring PE bag
- Black shorts
- Red round-necked T shirt with school logo
- Short white socks
- Black plimsolls and trainers for outdoor use
- Tracksuit for outdoor winter games (plain dark colour)
- (Years 3 – 6) Simple one-piece swimming costume or trunks (shorts not acceptable), towel and swimming cap. Goggles may be worn.



Parents will be notified when their children are due to take part in swimming lessons. Children who cannot do P.E. or swimming for medical reasons must have an up-to-date, current cover note from their parents.

Please ensure that P.E. kit remains in school at all times, going home only at half-term and holidays. Thank you.

All Children

- Must have a water bottle in school at all times
Require a red school book-bag with the school logo on it (*3 sizes available depending on child's class*)
- Must have a sunhat in school in the summer and wear sun cream when necessary

Additional/Optional

- School waterproof storm dry coat – reversible black inside fleece
- School waterproof parka style coat
- School baseball cap
- School legionnaire hat

Availability

Water bottles and swimming caps are available to purchase from the School Office.

Please be aware - Whilst some items of the school uniform are only available from Mapac, e.g., items embroidered with the school logo, parents are free to purchase the balance of uniform, where applicable from any other alternate retail outlet. For example, grey trousers, grey skirts, red checked dresses, white shirts, white blouses, black PE shorts, etc can be purchased according to parental preference. White polo shirts (which will continue to be worn by Early Years and Key Stage 1) should have the school logo if possible.

Please note: for reasons of safety:-

- Long hair must be tied back and only a small red hair accessory is permissible.
- Hard hair bands should not be worn for PE
- Hair should be kept neat in conventional styles
- Gel, braids and beads must not be worn (unless specifically allowed E.g. on a charity fundraising day). *Parents may be contacted to collect their child to remove hair gel etc, if necessary.*
- Nail varnish and other fashion accessories are not allowed
- Watches should be removed for PE
- Shoes must be closed toe at all times and no heels – including on fundraising, non uniform days
- Earrings are not permitted, except for children with pierced ears, who may wear only simple studs and ensure that they take them out for all physical education activities. Please provide your child with a small box and teach them how to remove their own earrings. (Staff cannot accept responsibility for removing or replacing earrings or for their loss). In the initial 6 week period when earrings cannot be removed, or if your child cannot managed to remove them themselves, children must provide tape / Elastoplast to cover their studs, for safety during PE and games.

If parents / carers have difficulty providing our school uniform, please let us know, we will try to help. Please contact the School Office for further information. Thank you.

