

Goostrey Community Primary School School Uniform Policy

September 2024

To be reviewed Spring 26

Goostrey Community Primary School (GCPS) believes that a consistent school uniform policy is vital to promote the ethos of the school and provide a sense of belonging and identity for all pupils, regardless of their protected characteristics or socio-economic circumstances.

This document lays out the school uniform requirements to ensure a consistent, fair and inclusive policy, and to implement a uniform that reflects the needs of all pupils, and is affordable and the best value for money for the school and pupils' families.

This policy takes due regard of, but is not limited to:

Education (Guidance about Costs of School Uniforms) Act 2021

This policy operates in conjunction with the following school policies:

- Complaints Procedures Policy
- Behaviour Policy
- Equality Statement and Policy

FULL UNIFORM – required by all pupils throughout the full school		
year, but branding** is optional.		
School Trousers	Black or Grey	
or		
Skirt	Black or Grey	
or		
Pinafore Dress**	Black or Grey	
Polo Shirt**	White or Red	
Sweater**	Red	
or		
Cardigan**	Red	
or		
Sweatshirt**	Red	
Red & white striped or checked dresses may be worn during the summer term.		
Hair must be tied back, for both girls and boys, once it reaches shoulder length.		

Black school shoes, not trainers. (No flashing lights please)

Pupils should not wear any jewellery in school other than a watch (not a smart watch) and small stud earrings if their ears are pierced. They should not wear makeup or have painted nails.

SPORTS UNIFORM - required by all pupils, to be worn on PE days throughout the full school year, but branding** is optional.

Sports tops must be plain with no logo and no football shirts – they are either plain red or plain white

(there is an official Goostrey sports top, available through our official supplier (details below), although any plain red or white top is suitable)

As well as the list below pupils will be allowed to wear their usual Goostrey sweat shirts or their plain red jumpers / cardigans.

Goostrey sports top with logo**	Red
Or a plainT-shirt	White or red
Shorts	Black
Socks	White
Trainers	Plain black or white – no other
colours or logos	
Jogging bottoms	Plain black

^{**}The optional branded items can be purchased from:

www.myschoolstyle.com/school/goostrey

Non branded items may be purchased more widely, including from second hand retailers or our own PTA.

A painting overall or overshirt is also required.

Uniform assistance

GCPS supports vulnerable families in meeting the costs of uniforms. This assistance is provided by the school and our supplier, My School Style, via an online voucher code worth £50, which can be spent on school clothing or accessories, once each academic year.

The budget for the school uniform assistance scheme comes from our Pupil Premium funding, and is available to families who are registered as eligible for Income Related Free School Meals.

Any family requiring assistance in providing uniform can talk to the school, who will be happy to assist in signposting support.