



School Motto

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Jesus walks by our side.
The Holy Spirit gives us strength.'

Review date July 2027

School Uniform Policy

We are very proud of our school uniform and how smart it makes us look!

You can purchase our school uniform here <https://www.headmasters-schoolwear.co.uk/> or visit the shop at 11 Union Road, New Mills, High Peak SK22 3EL or e-mail info@headmasters-schoolwear.co.uk

We are a FairTrade school. You can choose Fairtrade uniform here - <https://www.koolskools.co.uk/schools-list>

School items can also be purchased from stores such as Asda, Sainsbury's, M&S, Tesco and other general school outfitters as well as online. Our policy is to ensure that parents have a choice of retailers to purchase different items from.

Please ensure that every item of clothing is labelled clearly with your child's name.

Adaptations for pupils with SEND and sensory needs.

As part of our provision for pupils with SEND or sensory needs we have an agreed adaptation (following agreement with the Headteacher and SENDCO) to ensure these pupils can dress in our PE kit- black/navy joggers/leggings or black/navy shorts and a white t-shirt- plain or school badge.

Girls

Royal blue sweatshirt or cardigan with or without school badge.

White polo top.

Grey pinafore, skirt or trousers.

Grey/black socks/tights.

Back active wear school shoes (as in the picture)

Blue Gingham summer dress.





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Boys

Royal blue sweatshirt with or without school badge.
Grey trousers.
White polo top.
Grey or black socks.
Black active wear school shoes as in the picture.
Grey school shorts.



Book Bags

All children should have a school book bag. Rucksacks, backpacks or tote bags are not permitted as we simply do not have the space to store 30+ large bags in each classroom. Book bags are available from the Headmasters as above and most school uniform stockists as well as online.



PE Kit

Children should wear their PE kit on their PE days:

For 2025/2026

Class one – Monday and Friday (Forest school)

Class two – Monday and Wednesday

Class three – Thursday and Friday

Class four – Monday and Friday

The kit should consist of a white t-shirt (their normal school polo is perfect), jogging bottoms or shorts (black or navy only), blue sweatshirt (their normal blue school jumper, with or without logo is perfect) and trainers. Trainers should be designed for sport, not fashion. Trainers should be well fitting and in good condition as injuries can be sustained from poor fitting footwear.

Swimming (Only key stage 2)

Dark coloured swimming costume and towel or dark coloured swimming trunks (not baggy shorts) and towel stored in a named bag. Ideally, children should wear a swimming hat. All long hair should be tied back so that it does not impair vision.

As well as wearing school uniform, pupils at St. Mary's CVA are expected to abide by the following rules regarding appearance:

Hair

Long hair should be tied back for health and safety reasons. Extreme hairstyles e.g. coloured hair, hair with logos or shapes cut out and styles that are obviously not in keeping with what is normal within the school are not allowed and the Headteacher reserves the right to instruct parents to collect children whose hairstyle contravenes this ruling. If in doubt, always check first. Hair bands/Alice bands are allowed but only plain bands are permitted.

Jewellery



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Small earring studs are permitted, but these must be removed by the child before each PE lesson. Your child will have to put their own studs back in after the lesson. No other jewellery should be worn to school. As key stage 2 pupils must remove piercings before swimming, we ask that your child only has their ear pierced at the beginning of the summer holidays. Pupils should not wear nail varnish.

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