

ARNESBY C E PRIMARY SCHOOL

‘Where every child shines’



UNIFORM POLICY

School Values:

Curiosity: opportunities for children to achieve their best and have positive learning attitudes.

Respect and thankfulness: for others, our environment and celebrate our differences.

Independence: a sense of responsibility for ourselves and the world around us.

Resilience: showing courage, determination and perseverance.

Forgiveness and honesty: living by our values and morals.

Teamwork and koinonia: working together in our community with love for all.

*“Be kind to one another, tender-hearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ forgave you.”
Ephesians 4:32*

Date of Review:	September 2025
Next Review:	September 2027
Approval By:	Headteacher
Review Frequency	24 months

Arnesby CE Primary School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children, and this policy supports this commitment.

Embedding Pupil Safeguarding Awareness in the Curriculum

All teachers incorporate elements of safeguarding into their lessons where appropriate. This involves:

- informal conversations
- teacher/pupil discussions
- briefings for outings and trips (road safety / clever never goes)
- implementing an E-Safety Policy regarding the use of ICT
- an awareness of potential hazards in lessons and identifying risks and danger.

Safeguarding is also about pupils' emotional wellbeing. Teachers encourage pupils to speak out if there is something worrying them, or if they are aware of, or witness, something that is unacceptable, untoward, or disturbing. Staff promote tolerance and respect for each other and an acceptance of individual differences. They help pupils to develop confidence and resilience and discuss what to do if things go wrong. Staff are approachable and show their willingness to always help pupils.

British Values

At Arnesby C of E Primary School, we promote the fundamental British values of democracy, the rule of law, individual liberty, and mutual respect and tolerance of those with different faiths and beliefs. This includes:

- paired and group work, and sharing and working together
- making choices with an understanding that the freedom to choose and to have different views is respected and tolerated
- debating social issues with an understanding of how people can influence decision-making through the democratic process
- an appreciation that school rules protect individual children and are essential for their wellbeing and safety
- an acceptance that other people may have different faiths or beliefs to oneself (or have none), and these are accepted and tolerated without discrimination through school council elections, persuasive writing, and by promoting our Christian school values and 'Fruits of the Spirit' as guidelines for behaviour choices.

UNIFORM

At Arnesby CE Primary School, we believe it is important that our pupils feel a sense of belonging to our school and by wearing a smart and practical uniform that allows all children, regardless of their backgrounds, to feel equal to their peers, confident in their appearance and ready to learn. It is also important that children represent the school and its values and take pride in their uniform whether in the classroom or engaged in a sporting activity where appropriate clothing is essential.

As part of our aim to reduce, reuse and recycle, we encourage the re-use of good quality second-hand uniform items and facilitate the sharing of these items within the school community and as such we are committed to promoting equality and ensuring that no child is discriminated against due to their religion or belief, economic circumstances or social and cultural background. This uniform policy contains provisions to meet these objectives and has been created with health and safety, value for money and practicality at its heart.

Our school colours are navy, blue & white and the uniform for boys and girls is as follows:

- Navy sweatshirt (with logo is preferred)
- Navy cardigan (with logo is preferred)
- Pale blue/sky blue polo shirt (with logo is preferred)
- Navy fleece with logo (to be worn as outside garment only)
- Navy reversible jacket (with logo is preferred)
- Grey or navy trousers/shorts
- Navy or grey socks
- Navy trousers
- Navy pinafore dress
- Navy skirt
- Navy/white or sky blue/white checked summer dress
- Navy, white or grey tights
- Arnesby navy blue book bag or expandable book bag with school logo
- Sensible black/blue flat shoes with soft soles and closed-in toes are recommended with a secure fastening
- NO boots or open toe sandals. Trainers are for PE/Sport only.

P.E. AND GAMES

- All children need navy shorts and a plain white round neck T-shirt (with or without the school logo)
- Navy or black tracksuit and trainers for outdoor games.

For reasons of safety especially in PE, the wearing of jewellery is discouraged. Children may be asked to remove items, which are considered to be dangerous.

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All children need an apron, overall or old shirt. Please remember that all clothing and footwear should be clearly labelled with your child's name.

All branded items (with the Arnesby school logo) can be purchased from our uniform supplier www.yourschooluniform.com

The Friends of Arnesby have a second-hand uniform sale at most big events such as the Summer Fair and parents are encouraged to pass on any unwanted uniform especially if branded with the school logo to the PTA for resale or donation. Please contact the school office for further information - office@arnesby.embracemat.org or 0116 247 8563.