



**Ravenscroft Community Primary  
School**

**Uniform Policy**

**September 2023**



## Mission Statement - Strategic Direction

### Our School Vision

At Ravenscroft Community Primary School, we aim to create a positive, stimulating and happy learning environment in which all children will achieve success and develop their potential to the full.

We offer a challenging broad and balanced curriculum to promote their spiritual, moral, cultural and physical development and foster independent, life-long learners.

All children, regardless of race, creed, culture, gender, sexual orientation or disability will be treated equally in every aspect of school life.

#### School Aims for Pupils:

- To develop independence, confidence and self-belief
- To encourage self-discipline and integrity
- To develop effective communication skills
- To promote tolerance, respect and sensitivity to others so that citizenship is valued
- To develop the ability to work together co-operatively, sharing a sense of responsibility for the common good
- To provide a safe, caring environment in which children can happily maximise learning
- To foster creativity and innovation
- To empower all children to achieve their full potential
- To inspire in children a joy and commitment to learning that will last a lifetime

**Our School is committed to promoting a sense of community as well as an individual sense of worth.**

**We are a fair, caring community of life- long learners, for whom access to knowledge is both a right and a critical achievement.**

## **Our Key Values**

Our school motto is 'Soaring to Success'.

We do this through working with 'HEART':



At Ravenscroft Community Primary School, we are the HEART of the community. We embrace our vision and seek to live it out through our thoughts, words and deeds.

Within our school we promote an atmosphere which encourages effort, enjoyment and a celebration of achievements of our pupils. Our high standards are reflected in the pride we take in our school uniform and the feeling of belonging it creates. It is our policy that all children wear school uniform when attending school or when participating in a school organised event outside of normal school hours. The uniform is part of our school ethos and in coming to Ravenscroft Primary School, parents agree to support our policy.

### **Aims and Objectives**

Our policy for a uniform is based on the belief that school uniform:

- Promotes a sense of pride in the school and it has a positive impact on behaviour and attitudes in school.
- Develops a sense of community and belonging towards the school.
- Identifies children with our school when taking part in out of school educational activities and visits.
- Is practical and looks smart.
- Makes children feel equal to each other in terms of appearance.
- Is regarded as suitable wear for school and considered by most parents as good value for money.
- Is designed with health and safety in mind.

### **Purchasing Uniform**

Most items can be bought from high street shops or supermarkets. Our jumpers and cardigans (which have the school logo) and PE kit can be bought from:

Kids Kirkby School Wear, 29 St Chad's Parade, Kirkby L32 8UG

Liver Print, St Chad's Parade, Kirkby

## **School Uniform List**

Grey skirt or pinafore

Summer – Red and white checked school dresses

Winter – White blouse or polo shirt, trousers can be worn in the Winter

Red cardigan or sweatshirt

Grey or black trousers (long or short)

White shirt or polo shirt

Red school sweatshirt

### **Footwear**

All children's shoes should be sensible, strong, and black. No open toe shoes, converse or trainers are allowed.

### **Foundation Stage Uniform**

Red jogging pants and sweatshirts

Red shorts and white t-shirt

Velcro pumps or shoes

### **P.E. Kit**

Plain red shorts

White T-shirt

Draw string bag large enough to hold kit

Black/white pumps

### **Jewellery**

Children should not wear jewellery. If necessary, children with pierced ears can wear small stud earrings but they must be removed for P.E activities.

### **Hair Styles**

We expect our pupils to wear their hair in a way that is both suitable for school and appropriate for a primary age child. For health and safety reasons we require pupils with long hair to tie it back when in school.

**Pre-loved Uniforms and PE kits are available on request. We will also have a half termly table set up on the KS1 and KS2 playgrounds for you to select items from.**