

Equipment

SCHOOL UNIFORM

The school expects all children to wear school uniform. School uniform provides a sense of pride and belonging and is excellent training for secondary education when the wearing of uniform is enforced. Children should always come to school smartly dressed.

Girls:

White blouse/polo shirt
Grey skirt/tunic/grey school trousers
Royal blue school sweatshirt
Sensible shoes, coat, raincoat or anorak
Summer dress – blue and white gingham

Boys:

White shirt/polo shirt
Grey school trousers/school shorts
Royal blue school sweatshirt
Sensible shoes, coat, raincoat or anorak

PE AND GAMES

In the interest of health and safety all children are required to have the correct clothing for physical education. In addition with the guidance issued by the Local Education Authority, no jewellery (earrings, studs, watches, rings, neck chains, bangles etc.) can be worn. All children will participate in games unless the school is notified otherwise in writing.

Girls:

Navy/black shorts
White T-shirt
Plimsolls/outdoor trainers
One piece swimming costume and cap

Boys:

Navy/black shorts
White T-shirt
Plimsolls/outdoor trainers/football boots
Swimming shorts and cap

All items of clothing should be named. Parents are expected to support the above school policy.

DAILY EQUIPMENT

Children must bring their reading and homework diaries to school on a daily basis. Whilst pencils, pens, rules and colouring pencils are available many of the children like to bring in their own equipment (including felt tip pens and for the older children, geometry sets). These should be labelled with the child's name.

SCHOOL MEALS

All the children at East Wittering C.P. School eat a packed lunch at lunchtime as the County Council no longer provides a hot cooked meal (under review). Children should bring a packed lunch to school in a sealed lunchbox. Glass bottles/hot drinks are not allowed for safety reasons. Packed lunches will be supplied to pupils in receipt of free school meal entitlement (application forms available from the school office or Area Education Offices).



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Children may bring a plastic container of fruit juice to drink (water is available via the water fountain) and a healthy snack to eat at mid-morning. Children are not permitted to bring or eat sweets/chewing gum during the school day.

*Under a central government initiative, 'Cool Milk Scheme', Reception children under the age of 5 and children entitled to Free School Meals are offered a **free** carton of semi-skimmed milk (189mls). Milk may also be purchased for older children.*

Free fruit and vegetables are also available to the children in KS1 as part of a Healthy Eating Programme.

