

Dean Bank Primary and Nursery School

Believe, Achieve and Grow with Us

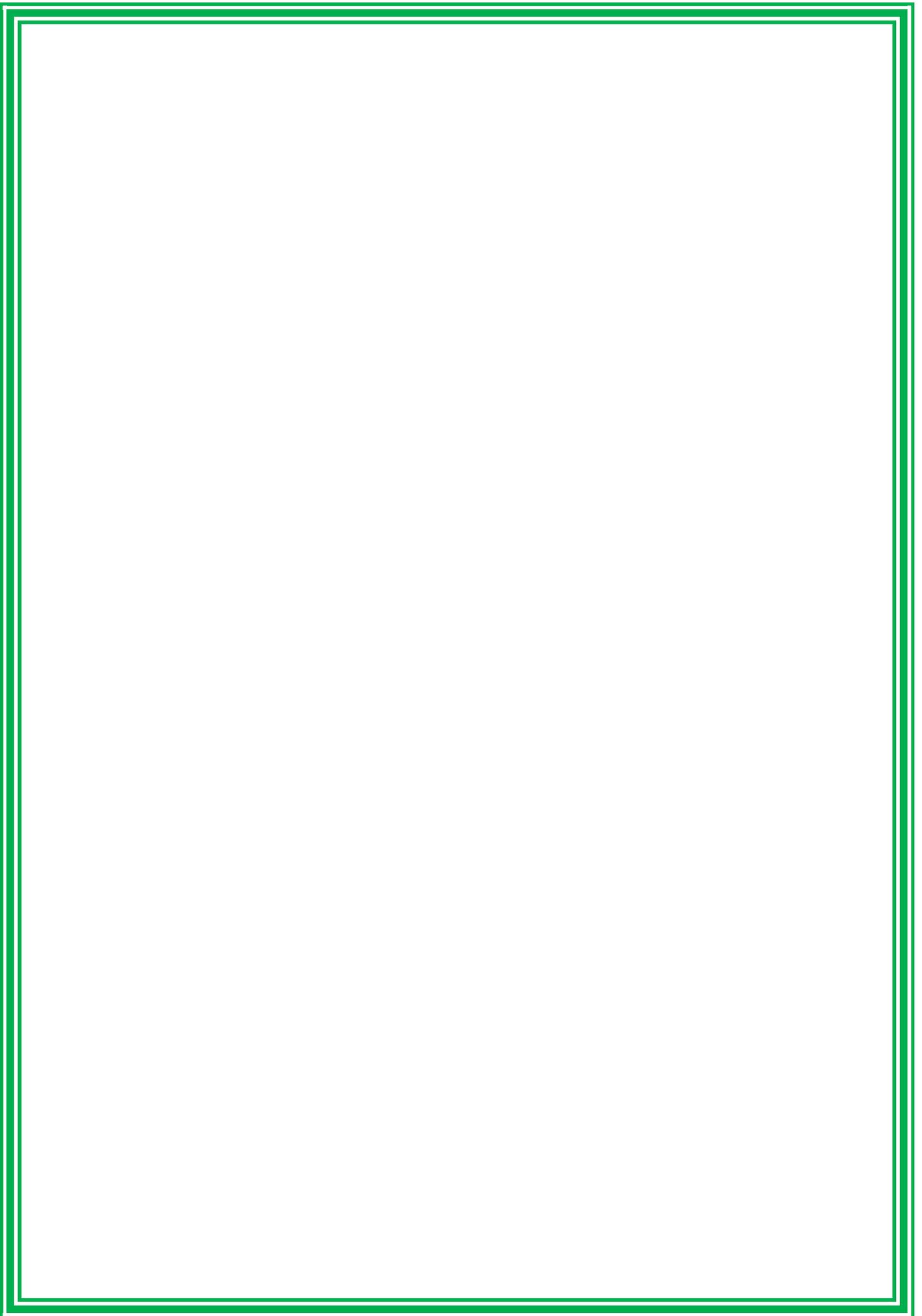
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School Uniform Policy

Headteacher: Mrs P Northcott
Chair of Governors: Mr J Davison

Date: March 2022
Review Date: March 2024





Dean Bank Primary and Nursery School is justifiably proud of its reputation within the community. Within our school there exists an atmosphere which encourages effort and a celebration of achievements of our school and its children.

These high standards can also be reflected in the pride we take in our school uniform.

In order to maintain a sense of identity and belonging within our school, it is our school policy that children wear school uniform when attending school, representing our school or participating in a school organised event outside of our school.

Our school uniform policy is based on the notion that school uniform:

- Promotes a sense of pride in our school
- Engenders a sense of community and belonging towards our school
- Is both practical and smart
- Identifies the children of our school
- Provides equality in terms of appearance
- Is regarded as suitable for school and provides value for money
- Is designed with health and safety in mind

Dean Bank Primary School encourages all our children to grow into healthy adults. Our school believes it is dangerous for children to wear shoes that have platform soles or high heels, so we discourage children from wearing such shoes. All children should come to school in black school shoes; trainers should only be worn if they are all black. If children come to school not wearing school uniform parents will be contacted immediately to bring in replacements.

Jewellery

Jewellery other than a wrist watch SHOULD NOT BE WORN. If a child has to wear earrings, they must be of the small stud type. For P.E., games and swimming, earrings must be removed (by the child).

Dean Bank Primary and Nursery School Uniform

- Red polo shirt
- Navy Crew Neck Sweatshirt or cardigan
- Black shoes

Dean Bank Primary and Nursery School PE Uniform

- Red T Shirt
- Black / Navy shorts
- Black plimsolls

Dean Bank Primary School does expect our children to be correctly dressed for PE. During the winter months, children are permitted to wear tracksuits and trainers when taking part in outdoor PE activities. School does not permit the wearing of leisurewear which may be considered revealing or displays inappropriate wording.

From Year 3 onwards, children attend swimming lessons throughout the school year. During these lessons, school expects our children to have the appropriate swimwear. This consists of swimming trunks/bathing costume, a bathing cap and towel. Bathing caps can be purchased from the swimming baths on your child's first visit. Swimming goggles are optional but the wearing of goggles must be agreed with the swimming teacher Mrs Warwick.

Items of school uniform can be ordered using our on-line system direct from the manufacturer The School Outfit at www.theschooloutfit.co.uk

The children and staff of Dean Bank Primary School will be expected to adhere to this policy, with the exceptions to the use of uniform for religious, cultural beliefs, Special Educational Needs (SEND) or disability.

Dean Bank Primary and Nursery School operates a system of team points where bringing their reading bag etc every day results in a green dojo. If children do not do this they receive a red dojo.

Children should have their PE kit in school every day and only take it home at the end of every half term. Year 5 and 6 children, due to child development and hygiene, should take their PE kit home on a Friday and bring it back on a Monday.

The Governing Body implements the School Uniform policy. It considers all representations from parents regarding the School Uniform policy and liaises with the Head teacher to ensure that the policy is implemented fairly and sensitively.

If a parent has a concern they should notify a member of staff about why an item of uniform is not being worn.

It is the Governors' responsibility to ensure that our school uniform meets all regulations concerning equal opportunities.

The Governing Body will ensure that the School Uniform policy supports our children to dress sensibly in clothing that is safe, sensible and practical.

The Governing Body will monitor and review our School Uniform Policy through its committee.

Date of Policy:

Review Date:

Signed:

Headteacher

Chair of Governors