Millbrook School Uniform Policy

Importance of school uniform

At Millbrook Primary School we believe that the school uniform plays a large part in:

- Promoting the ethos of the school;
- Providing a sense of belonging and identity
- Setting an appropriate tone for education.

We also believe that a school uniform should be cost effective for parents. With this in mind, we have simple expectations for uniform at our school. Most items can be bought from several shops including supermarkets which keeps the cost at a minimum level.

Uniform expectations

Hair

- All long hair should be tied back (long hair is defined as when it reaches shoulders and can be tied back in part or fully)
- Hair should not be coloured.

Autumn/ Spring

- Red school jumper or cardigan with the school logo
- · White school shirt
- · Grey skirt or trousers
- School tie
- Black shoes
- Grey socks or tights

<u>Summer</u> (children can wear the above uniform all year round, there is no expectation to change in summer). The following items are optional.

- Red and white gingham dress
- White polo shirt
- Grey shorts / trousers

All other above uniform expectations remain the same.

Physical Education

- Red polo shirt (preferably with school logo on)
- Black shorts (leggings, plain sport trousers in colder weather)
- Trainers laced trainers are preferable as they are more secure on pupils feet

Pupils will need a warm and waterproof coat during colder months. We encourage parents to avoid paying a large sum for coats as these are worn during playtime.

Recycled Uniforms

At Millbrook, we accept recycled uniform items in good condition. We have a store of good quality recycled uniforms and are happy to support any family who need to use his facility. We will give these items out free of charge. Please contact our school office or speak to Miss Gray (Learning Mentor) at the school gate.