

12th January 2023

Dear Parents

In order for PE and Games lessons to run effectively it is important that children have the correct kit in school. A lot of our activities are weather dependent so there is a need for both indoor and outdoor footwear to be in school for both P.E. and Games sessions. If children forget the correct kit the office will call home to see if it can be brought in or the child may end up missing their session.

As you can see below LII / FII pupils should bring kit in on a Monday or Tuesday and take home on a Wednesday. UII / LIII pupils should bring kit in on Thursday and take home on a Friday. Our sports kits are designed to wick sweat away from the body keeping the children fresh -they will need to be washed every week. LII / FII pupils who have Badminton or Tennis after school on a Thursday or Friday may keep kit in school until Friday.

Form	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
LII & FII		P.E. Cross country / gymnastics (weather dependent) Must have both indoor and outdoor trainers in school. P.E. Kit including blue long socks	Games Rugby / Netball (weather dependent) Must have both indoor and outdoor trainers / football or rugby boots in school. P.E. Kit including blue long socks	Swimming costume / trunks Towel Goggles Swim hat	
UII & LII				P.E. Cross country / gymnastics (weather dependent) Must have both indoor and outdoor trainers in school. P.E. Kit including blue long socks	Games Rugby / Netball (weather dependent) Must have both indoor and outdoor trainers / football or rugby boots in school. P.E. Kit including blue long socks

We are excited about the different opportunities Key Stage Two children have this term to represent the school in a variety of sporting fixtures. This is a fantastic opportunity for children to represent the school and enrich their Mayfield experience. We want to try and involve as many different students as we possibly can and give opportunities for all. If you child is invited to one of the events please return slips promptly so the travel arrangements can be made. We will post results on the school website.

- ❖ We do not mind the colour of indoor trainers they just need to have non marking soles.

- ❖ Outdoor trainers will get wet and muddy so we suggest more of a leather type trainer rather than a fabric one and the use of a shoe bag to protect the rest of the kit.
- ❖ If anyone has any football / rugby boots or outdoor trainers which their child has outgrown but are still in good condition we would value adding to our 'spare' kit collection for occasional forgotten kit.

Important reminder 'earring' can not be worn for any sport activity both during school or in after school clubs. If your child would like to get their ear pierced we suggest the start of the Summer holidays which allows the six week healing time and will ensure no P.E. or Games lessons are missed.

Thank you for your continued support

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Head of P.E. and Games