

Scoil an Chlochair, Kilbeggan, Co Westmeath



Policy on School Uniform

- As a result of consultation with the pupils, parents and staff of our school, a **PLAIN NAVY TRACKSUIT OR CRESTED SCHOOL TRACKSUIT** is now the designated school uniform for Scoil an Chlochair National School.
- All pupils enrolled in Scoil an Chlochair National School must wear the full tracksuit each day. There are no exceptions to this.
- Please have at least two tracksuits for the week so that the children are not without their uniforms during the week.

School Tracksuit

- Plain navy tracksuit bottoms-**NO STRIPES, LOGOS OR BRAND NAMES** to be visible.
 - Round neck navy tracksuit top/sweatshirt **WITH** or **WITHOUT** the school crest.
 - Plain, pale blue polo-shirt-**NO LOGOS**
 - Navy **KNEE LENGTH** shorts may be worn in warm weather. **NO STRIPES, LOGOS OR BRAND NAMES** visible.
 - Children should wear suitable flat footwear to school such as runners. (flip flops, crocs, high heels etc are **NOT PERMITTED**)
 - Sports jerseys or other t-shirts/polo shirts are not permitted as an alternative to the prescribed polo shirt.
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- Hair should be neat and tidy for both boys and girls-long hair should be tied up for hygiene purposes.
 - Children should have their names clearly marked on coats, tracksuits, all items of school clothing and all personal belongings. The school cannot accept responsibility for items lost or stolen.
 - Children are not permitted to wear makeup to school.
 - Only small studs or small earrings are permitted-hoops or long earrings are not permitted in the interest of health and safety.

The Board of Management and Staff of our School are very strict that our dress code is adhered to as it represents the standards set by our school. Continuous failure to wear the appropriate uniform will be treated as a breach of the Code of Behaviour and will be dealt with in accordance with same.

Ratification and Implementation:

This policy was originally ratified by the Board in July 2025.

References

Education Act 1998 – Sections 22 and 23

Circular 16/73

CPSMA - Board Members handbook p.234

Signed: Geordie Tennell
(Chairperson of Board of Management)

Date: _____

Signed: Sandra Watt
(Principal)

Date: 1/7/25

