

# Carrigeen NS

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## School Uniform Policy

### Introduction

The Carrigeen National School Uniform Policy supports children to be well-presented at all times. It is important that our pupils learn to present themselves appropriately. A neat and tidy school uniform helps our pupils to understand the importance of presentation and helps them develop their self-esteem and self-confidence. Carrigeen NS endeavours to maintain the highest of standards in matters of dress code and personal appearance for all pupils in the school and it is expected at all times as it represents the standards set by our school for our pupils.

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Following a review in 2022/23, it has been decided that every pupil attending Carrigeen National School will be expected to come to school in either full formal school uniform or the complete school tracksuit option depending on the pupil's and parent's preference. The school will not allocate days for the wearing of the formal and tracksuit options, but will allow the parents to make this decision provided a few basic guidelines are adhered to and respected. These guidelines are listed on the next page.

**On any given day, children are expected to come to school in either full school uniform OR full school tracksuit.**

**On P.E. days/match days/swimming etc pupils are expected to wear the school tracksuit.**

Parents should ensure that pupils comply with these standards in matters of general appearance and dress.

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<b>SCHOOL UNIFORM BOYS-</b> Navy pants, Sky blue shirt, Navy Jumper ( <b>HIGH V-NECK</b> ),	
<b>SCHOOL UNIFORM GIRLS-</b> Navy skirt/Pinafore/Pants, Sky blue shirt, Navy Jumper ( <b>HIGH V-NECK</b> ), Cardigan, Navy Tights or navy socks	
<b>FOOTWEAR-</b>	<b>RUNNERS ON TRACKSUIT DAYS.</b>
<b>TRACKSUIT-</b>	The school tracksuit can be purchased from <b>Excel Sports</b> . <b>A plain (non-crested)</b> , sky blue polo shirt may be worn under the tracksuit top.
<b>SHORTS-</b>	The school shorts are part of the uniform. These can be purchased from <b>Excel Sports</b> . <b>Other shorts are not part of the school uniform.</b> <b>** O'Neills (or other branded shorts) are not permitted**</b>

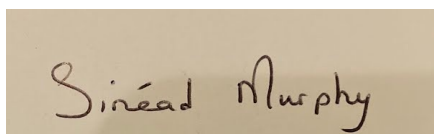
### Other Considerations:

- **School Uniform supplier is Excel School Uniforms, Unit 12, Six Cross Roads Bus. Pk, Waterford.**
- **[www.excelschooluniforms.ie](http://www.excelschooluniforms.ie)**
- Please ensure that all uniform items are clearly labelled with your child's name.
- **Ties are not to be worn in school.** They will be supplied by the school for special occasions like Confirmation/School photographs etc.

### Please note also the following guidelines.

- The highest standard of personal appearance will be expected at all times.
- The school will expect that all children's uniforms will be clean and tidy at all times.
- Parents are encouraged to have the uniform washed at the weekends so that the children are not without their uniforms during the week.
- All torn items should be repaired or replaced as soon as possible.
- Children will be required to wear the school tracksuit to school on PE days, when going swimming or playing after school sports.
- Children should have their names clearly marked on their jumpers, coats and other personal belongings.

This policy was reviewed and ratified by the Board of Management in consultation with the Parents Association on 02nd May 2023.



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