

PE Kit

- White T-Shirt or Polo Shirt
- Plain black or navy shorts or leggings
- Plimsolls For indoor PE - bare feet.
- Trainers for outdoor games only
- Tracksuit bottoms/sweatshirt for outdoor games

Many of the school uniform items above can be ordered on-line through School Trends or from the school office. Most supermarkets sell the above items too. *(without logo)*
All clothing and footwear should be clearly labelled with your child's name

Jewellery

Children should not wear jewellery to school. The only acceptable items of jewellery are a wrist-watch *(not novelty ones!)* and earring studs. Should a pupil have pierced ears, plain studs should only be worn and in order to comply with health and safety regulations, must be removed or covered with a plaster during all PE activities. Please note that the school will be unable to take any responsibility for any jewellery that is lost.

Hair & Make Up

We recommend that hair should be neat and tidy and worn with no extremes of style or colour. Long hair should be tied back during the school day. No make-up or nail varnish is to be worn to school.

I appreciate that this is quite a list of reminders but appreciate your support with the above.

Dear Parents,

Please find below our news for the last few weeks.....

- Thank you to everyone who supported the Unicef Day for Change event on 13th February 2015. It was lovely to see parents and grandparents at the event. We raised £198.46. Thank you very much for your continued support.
- Y3 and Y5 took part in their assembly for parents this week.
- Y3 assembly was based on The Stone Age and Egyptians. Children demonstrated their knowledge through a variety of work including art and drama.
- Year 5 assembly was a piece of shadow theatre relating to World War 1. The children have worked with KandoArts on this project and produced a very sophisticated performance that transported the audience back in time to explore all aspects of life at that time.
- Both performances were engaging and informative and reflected the learning that has been taking place in the classroom. I am sure that parents and grandparents would agree that Y3 and Y5 did a truly fantastic job! Well done —we are very proud of you!
- Y2's Parent Assembly will take place next week— Wednesday 11th March at 3 p.m. We look forward to seeing Y2 parents on Wednesday.

Thank you for your continued support

Wendy Gill and Staff

Latest Educational Visits

- A group of children visited Bishop Auckland Town Hall on 9th February to take part in the Febfest Art exhibition.
- As part of history topic work, Y1 children visited Escomb Saxon Church on Monday 9th February 2015.
- On 10th February Y6 attended sports activities at Bishop Auckland College.
- On 23/02/15 Year 6 visited Newcastle University as part of the 'University Safari' programme which gives children an opportunity to find out more about Higher Education and encourage their aspirations for the future.
- On the 25th February Y4 Children took part in a visit to Cassop Environmental Centre to learn about windmills.
- Y3/4 and Y5/6 took part in a Cross Country Competition at Bishop Auckland College on the 26th February. Well done to everyone for taking part and to Tilly R, Ethan S, Molly R and Abigail D for reaching the District Finals. Congratulations and good luck for the finals.



All welcome
**Celebrating
 Mother's Day
 and
 Comic Relief
 'Coffee Morning'**
All welcome

on
Friday 13th March 2015

from
9.00 a.m. — 11.30 a.m.

in the
school hall

Donations of cakes welcome

Children may come to school dressed in red and/or any
 'Comic Relief' attire! (further details to follow)

