

Samares School – Uniform Frequently Asked Questions

Why has the uniform changed?

There has been a Uniform Policy published by the Education Department. It asks schools to review their uniform policy with the aim of reducing costs. We consulted with our School Council, where elected children from each class gave their views and we sent a parent questionnaire. All views were taken into account when making adjustments to the policy.

Can my child continue to wear their current uniform (sky blue jumpers, ties, shirts, white t-shirts).

Yes, your child can continue to wear their current/existing uniform for as long as you like. Children will continue to wear our current uniform for years to come (including sky blue jumpers and cardigans). There is no pressure for parents to purchase additional uniform until they need to. Parents will often hand down uniform to younger siblings – please continue this as children can wear the current uniform for as long as it lasts.

Can I still purchase uniform?

Yes, you can still purchase all uniform from JSSK until they close. You can continue to buy sky blue jumpers and cardigans.

Can my child start wearing the updated uniform policy now

Yes they can. They can also continue to wear our existing uniform for as long as you wish. Our new uniform suppliers will not stock white t-shirts or sky blue jumpers/cardigans.

What happens if I need uniform and JSSK don't have the size I need?

Please do not worry. You can wear a similar colour t-shirt/jumper which hasn't got the school logo on or we have a second hand uniform shop.

What will happen when JSSK close?

Samares School are currently working with another supplier to offer our uniform. When we have more detail, we will share this with you.

When we have events, we sometimes ask children to wear 'smart winter uniform'. What happens now?

Children will need to wear smart uniform (which could be their winter uniform or it could be blue t-shirts and navy sweatshirts or a mixture). The most important thing is that they look smart rather than which uniform they wear.