



Hanley St Luke's C of E (Aided) Primary

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Dear Parents and Carers

Due to changes in our timetable, Year 1 PE will now take place on Wednesday afternoons and Friday mornings.

PE is a key part of the curriculum where children are entitled to develop practical skills, be physically active and compete. They do this through Dance, Gymnastic activities, Games, Athletic activities and Outdoor and adventurous activities.

We would like to take this opportunity to remind you about the appropriate school PE kit.

For all indoor activities children must change into T shirts and shorts. For outdoor activities children should wear shorts, t-shirts and a tracksuit when appropriate (cold weather). Suitable trainers must be worn outdoors. All children will be barefoot in gymnastics and dance. Trainers can be used for indoor games where appropriate. Children, who for cultural/religious reasons, need to wear alternative dress will be treated sensitively. Long hair should be tied back. **No** jewellery is to be worn for physical education.

Please make sure that suitable PE kit for both indoor and outdoor is in your child's PE bag as these are interchangeable depending on the weather and the availability of the school hall. PE kit should also be in the school colour of royal blue.

Also, please be aware that as staff are not able to remove a child's earrings, if they have pierced ears, they must not wear earrings to school on PE days.

Thank you for your continued support in getting the most out of your child's Physical Education.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Moreton
Class Teacher