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Dear Parents and carers,

We are writing to you to inform you of a change to the uniform requirements.

On the days that your child has PE, they are now able to come into school wearing their PE kits. We believe that this change will help in the following ways:

- Reduce lost learning time arising from waiting for children to change into their PE kit
- Cloakrooms will be clearer
- Big reduction in lost property for parents and children
- PE kit gets washed more regularly

This change in uniform will be under constant review and if the children do not adhere to the PE kit required, then, we will revert back to children bringing in their PE kit from home once again.

We will also continue to keep appropriate PE kit in school, in a range of sizes and ask your child to change into this spare kit if they interpret the PE kit as "an own clothes day".

If you are unsure which days your child has PE, please contact your child's class teacher (or refer to the class newsletter sent out at the beginning of term).

I have included a list below of the PE Kit which is required:

PE Kit

- **A white T-shirt, black shorts and black plimsolls**

As children will be coming into school in their games/PE kit we will also allow the children to wear **black trainers** into school, but they must still keep a pair of black plimsolls at school for use in indoor PE lessons in the school hall. Trainers will be permitted for outdoor games lessons.

As the weather is becoming colder, all children will need to wear a **Rye Primary school jumper or cardigan** over their PE kit, but they may wish to **bring a plain, black or dark navy blue sweatshirt/hoodie to wear ONLY for PE lessons outside**. In these cooler months children will also be permitted to wear **dark tracksuit bottoms to school on PE days**.

Any PE kit should either be the **Rye Primary PE kit** (available from superstitch- see details below) or **PLAIN joggers and sweaters**. We do not want to see lots of branded items being worn as PE Kit.

The school reserves the right to forbid any item of clothing, accessories or footwear which are considered dangerous or unsuitable for school. The wearing of jewellery is not permitted due to health and safety reasons. If jewellery is worn, the school cannot be held responsible for any loss or injury caused as a result.

Parents can now purchase items of uniform on line or in person from:

Superstitch,
6-7 Castleham Road,
Castleham Industrial Estate
St. Leonards-on-Sea
TN38 9NR

Tel: 01424 852225

E-mail: websales@superstitch86.co.uk

Website: www.superstitch86.co.uk

Best Wishes,

Miss Martin

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