

Creating Our Calderwood Community: Calderwood Couture



18/05/2021 – Discussion points from Skype

Sway: <https://sway.office.com/eBiBcy6OrweTDSdO>

Uniform update:

- Navy uniform - consulted with parents and children
- White clean badge
- Comfortable casual gives options - sweatshirt / white polo / grey bottoms / black shoes
- Polo shirt badge children can choose the colours

Comments from parents/ carers:

- Can you wear v neck sweatshirt/ cardigan with the polo shirt – Yes! Miss Burton to update Sway.
- You can wear navy cardigans – Miss Burton to update Sway.
- Like the different coloured logos
- Can we use a local supplier- Miss Burton will send logo to Castings
- Make sure parents know it is not Long Calderwood on uniform website - Good point, thank you!
- Will there be a nursery uniform? We are currently working with the West Lothian design team to make a fawn badge option for a nursery sweatshirt and polo shirt.
- Is there a specific colour of socks? Any of the school colours are okay - Miss Burton to update Sway.
- Some items are not on the website yet? It has just been created and is still updating. It should be finished by the end of this week.

Extra uniform:

- Checked dress is fine too
- Tartan skirt kilt pinafore options only no expectation as this is more expensive

Parent comments:

- Is there a bag/ hat option? Yes - Miss Burton to contact Uniform company.

P.E.

- Term 1 - Children can come to school in P.E. kit on their 2 P.E. days
- Term 2 - Changing rooms used for P4-7, P1-3 can come in P.E. kit

Parent comments:

- Indoor shoes? Yes for the new flooring in Calderwood, Miss Burton to check with East Calder and Mid Calder.
- Gym kit can stay at school until families want to wash it
- Tracksuit bottoms are preferred, rather than legging
- Uniform will be built up, start with uniform then work towards P.E. uniform for October, as we understand everyone is purchasing the uniform for the first time
- Is there an expectation for P.E. uniform rather than children wearing anything they want on P.E. days? Yes, this helps keep our school brand and stop competition between sports brands, etc.
- Recycling uniforms will be an option

Outdoor:

- Lots of outdoor opportunities
- Waterproofs and wellies

Parent comments:

- Waterproofs and wellies or old trainers to keep in school
- Do they have to be navy? No, just a suggestion as the uniform company sell navy outdoor kits.
- Parent council suggested fund raising for class sets of waterproofs