



SENG KANG PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parent / Guardian,

Wearing of the School Uniform in 2014

With reference to our earlier Parent Notifications (SKPS/2012/P/VP/003 and 247) last year, we have had a phasing-in period of two years for the impending official change of our school attire to ensure that you have sufficient time to purchase the new school uniform for your child / ward.



With effect from **2 January 2014**, all pupils will report to school in their **school uniform every Monday**. Coming to school at the beginning of each week in their school uniform will enable the school to establish a stronger school identity in our community and set the school's expectations of **A**ttendance, **A**ttire, **A**ttitude and **A**chievements (4As) clearly to our pupils. This forms part of the school's effort to develop their personal responsibility towards hygiene and social etiquette when wearing their school uniform and we would like your support and understanding in partnering us to inculcate these values during such teachable moments. To facilitate this transition, there will be no PE lessons on Mondays.



In consideration that the younger pupils may have adjustment problems as they are used to wearing their PE attire throughout the day, the lower primary pupils from **Pri 1 to 3** will be allowed to wear their current PE attire to school from Tuesday to Friday and will not be required to change back after their PE lessons.



For the older pupils from **Pri 4 to 6**, they will also be allowed to wear their current PE attire to school **on days they have PE lessons and CCA**. However, as they have longer school days due to supplementary / remedial lessons in the afternoon, they will change back to their school uniform after their PE lessons to ensure that they practise proper personal hygiene and social etiquette. The pupils will be briefed by their PE teachers on the procedures of changing out of their PE attire and how to pack their uniform / PE attire neatly before / after the PE lessons during the first week of school next year. We will ensure on our part that pupils get ample time to change out of their PE attire.



On **examination days**, pupils are expected to turn out in full school uniform as no PE lessons will be conducted during this period. Pupils are also to wear their school uniform when attending formal school functions like the Celebration of Success (COS) and Awards Nite or when participating in external competitions.





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In line with the wearing of the school uniform next year, we would like use this opportunity to reiterate that all the pupils must wear school shoes which are **completely black** (if purchased externally) and school socks with the school acronym, "**SKPS**", embossed on them. They can be purchased from the appointed school uniform vendor every Wednesday at the canteen. Pupils who are on financial assistance will be supported by the school in the purchase of these accessories in addition to the school uniform.

The new school uniform and shoes / socks will also be sold in the school during the November / December school holidays on the following dates:

Month	Mon – Fri (Opening Hours: 9 am – 3 pm)
November	9 th , 20 th , 21 st , 22 nd , 25 th & 26 th
December	2 nd , 3 rd , 10 th , 11 th , 16 th , 17 th , 23 ^{rd*} , 24 th , 26 th , 27 th , & 30 th

*Pupils on the Financial Assistance Scheme (FAS) will collect their school uniform and shoes / socks on 23rd December 2013.

You can also refer to the above dates on our school website, <http://www.sengkangpri.moe.edu.sg/>.

We would like you to purchase uniform that fit your child / ward well as buying one that is bigger or smaller will make him / her sloppy and also uncomfortable throughout the day. We hope you will be mindful of this when purchasing the uniform for him / her.

Do contact the General Office at 6384 0809 if you have further queries. We can always discuss your concerns and will do our best to assist you.

Thank you.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Rabia Shahul
Principal



Acknowledgement Slip

I, _____ parent / guardian of _____ from class _____ have taken note of the notification letter dated 22 October 2013 on **Wearing of the School Uniform in 2014** and will make the necessary arrangements to meet the changes mentioned in the letter.