



CRICKLADE MANOR PREP

Jewellery Policy

| Whole School | Reviewed | Next Review | Signed |
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| Yes (including EYFS) | 09/2021 | 09/2022 | |
| Yes (including EYFS) | 02/2022 | 09/2022 | |
| Yes (including EYFS) | 09/2023 | 09/2024 | |

| Year | Amendments |
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| 2020 | <ul style="list-style-type: none">No amendments required |
| 2021 | <ul style="list-style-type: none">No amendments required |
| 2022 | <ul style="list-style-type: none">Clarification around types of acceptable earringsClarification around first 6 weeks after piercingUpdate on smart watches and camera enabled watches |
| 2023 | <ul style="list-style-type: none">No amendments required |

1. Introduction

This Policy applies to the entire setting including the EYFS and after school and holiday clubs.

2. Wearing of Jewellery

In the interest of safety, we encourage children **NOT** to wear jewellery in school. Jewellery can present a risk to the wearer and to others and our aim is to keep children safe from harm at school.

In general:

- Children may wear a plain watch to school, but must take it off for physical activities including PE.
- Smart watches which allow access to email messaging services or taking photos are not allowed.
- Children may wear one pair of earrings (**Small plain silver or gold studs only**) to school. These should be taken out during PE and Games lessons and fixtures or covered with tape.
- During the first 6 weeks after having the ears pierced, the studs may be covered by tape during PE and games, but inclusion in the lesson will be left to the discretion of the teacher, to ensure the child's and other children's safety.
- No other jewellery should be worn at school.
- Hair accessories, such as headbands, must be small and sensible and should be in school colours of blue or green.
- Appropriate hair syle/colour/cut - shaved designs or dyed hair colours are not acceptable.

3. PE and Physical Activities

- No jewellery should be worn for PE or other sporting activities.
- No jewellery should be worn for swimming.

4. School Staff Responsibilities

- School staff should not assist children in removing or putting in earrings.
- Staff will not forcibly remove jewellery from children.
- Staff will ask children to remove any items of jewellery that are not allowed to be worn in school, staff will contact parents to discuss the matter.
- Staff/school will not be responsible for any jewellery that is brought into school by children.

Signed: Guy Barrett, Headmaster