

UNIFORMS & PERSONAL BELONGINGS

IMS' "GET HAT, GO PLAY! POLICY"

When children are outdoors they must be wearing a hat during school hours.

UNIFORMS

IMS has a school uniform that should be worn each day, including backpack and hat. If a child attends school not wearing the correct uniform, an email will be sent to the parents. The child will also be reminded by the class teacher.

On P.E. days, the children wear their sports uniform to and from school. Each class has a different P.E. day schedule, as noted on the class calendar.

New Uniforms are purchased from Aston Wilson online (payment by paypal via credit card) at <https://shop.ims.edu.hk/>. Orders are filled by Aston Wilson, which is an independent company that manufactures uniforms. Please refer to the uniform size list provided as a guide to determine your child's size before placing the order.

* Summer uniforms are available for purchase March - September. Winter uniforms can be purchased October - February.

Used uniforms (in excellent condition) can be purchased through the PTA. Times for these purchases will be established by the PTA and published as available.

- **Winter Uniform (December - March, or as per weather)**

NOTE: It is permissible for children to wear additional clothing under their IMS winter uniforms. Children can also wear non-standard clothing to/from school; however, when at school, if a warm top is required, they must wear the IMS fleece.

Boys:

Khaki trousers, long-sleeved polo shirt, white socks and uniform shoes. Fleece optional for cold weather.

Girls:

Khaki trousers or skirt, long-sleeved polo shirt, white socks or tights and uniform shoes. Fleece optional for cold weather.

Gym:

For Casa: Sweatpants and sweatshirt, P.E. T-shirt, white socks and gym shoes.

For Elementary: Track top and pants, ECO P.E. T-shirt, white socks and gym shoes.
Sweatshirt or fleece optional for cold weather.

- **Summer Uniform (August - November/March - June)**

Boys:

Khaki shorts, short-sleeved polo shirt, white socks and uniform shoes. Cardigan optional for cooler weather.

Girls:

Khaki skirt, short-sleeved polo shirt, white socks or tights and uniform shoes. Cardigan optional for cooler weather.

Gym:

For Casa: P.E. T-shirt and sweat shorts, white socks and gym shoes.

For Elementary: ECO PE T-Shirt and Dry-Fit PE Shorts, white socks and gym shoes. Track top optional for cooler weather.

SHOES

School Shoes should be black leather with rubber soles OR trainers that are predominantly either white or black in colour. It is not acceptable for shoes to be of other colours or a mixture of colours. This applies to both Casa dei Bambini and Elementary children. Loose fitting shoes, such as Crocs or slippers should not be worn. All shoes should have Velcro fastenings for Casa dei Bambini children unless your child can tie his or her own shoelaces. The Casa dei Bambini child who can tie his/her own shoelaces and Elementary children may wear shoes with laces.

We will be working with the Casa dei Bambini children to learn how to put on their shoes and socks by themselves.

Elementary children must wear supportive white or black sports trainers during P.E. lessons. Children without proper shoe wear will not participate in any sports activities.

Indoor Shoes: For the Elementary classes, the use of indoor shoes will be optional for each child, although we will retain them for all the Casa dei Bambini classes. Due to Hong Kong's high humidity, we recommend all shoes are sent home on a regular basis for washing and cleaning. In order to provide the children the freedom to move around our campus safely, each child will take off the uniform school shoes they wear to school, and change into their indoor shoes (trainers that are predominantly either white or black in colour with Velcro fastenings for Casa dei Bambini children and Velcro or lace-up fastening for Elementary children).

SCHOOL BAGS

IMS school bags are available to purchase from our uniform providers. Elementary children will need to use the larger size bag as they have large folders and books.

JEWELRY & MAKE-UP

NO jewellery to be worn in school. Children with pierced ears should wear small studs for safety reasons. No make-up and nail polish are to be worn in school.

CHANGE OF CLOTHES FOR CASA DEI BAMBINI CHILDREN

Please provide a complete change of clothing for your Casa dei Bambini child including underwear and socks. The clothing should be labelled with your child's name and packed inside a plastic Zip-lock bag. **Please bring the extra clothing on the first day of class and have it replaced as necessary.**

LABEL EVERYTHING!

All clothing and personal belongings should be clearly labelled. Labels can be purchased from www.stuckonyou.hk.