



# Thorpedene Primary School

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Dear Parent/Guardian,

We are writing to request your support in keeping your child safe during their PE lessons.

As part of our Physical Education policy we require children to be free from jewellery of any kind. In order for you to support us with this we would ask you to remove all jewellery, including earrings, before coming to school on the days when your child has a PE lesson.

If you are unable to remove their earrings, your child will be asked not to take part in the lesson but to have an alternative role such as coaching or scoring. This is to prevent injury and is requested for their own safety. Due to safeguarding regulations we are unable to do this for them so we would ask you to show them how to do this prior to coming to school.

We do now require your child to be in PE kit for their PE lessons. Please ensure your child brings their kit into school on a Monday and takes it home to be washed every Friday.

We thank you for your support but if you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours faithfully,

Mr M. Winch & Miss J. O'Neill

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