

Collaton St. Mary C. of E. (V.A.) Primary School

Governors' policy on the wearing of acceptable jewellery

This policy denotes what children may wear. We expect that children wear a minimum of jewellery, but have developed these guidelines to explain what is and what is not acceptable.

The children may wear:

- A watch
- One simple ring with no sharp edges or obtrusive bulkiness
- An identity bracelet
- One stud or one sleeper earring in each ear; no fashion earrings, hoops or drop earrings
- A thin (2/3) chain with a cross

Pupils will be asked to remove watches rings, bracelets and chains for any activity where there could be a health or safety risk to themselves or others. The staff will also ask pupils to cover up any studs exposed in an activity that could also be a safety risk. It is preferred that earring and studs are not worn at all.

If the need for referral occurs, the Headteacher's decision will be final on the type, size, shape, acceptability or health or safety grounds.

This policy follows consultation with the Secondary school sector and in line with accepted practice.