



## Merrydale Infant School Policy on Jewellery inc during PE

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### Jewellery

Many children have pierced ears and wear earrings for school. These should be small stud earrings only. Children also need to be able to remove them by themselves for any PE or games activities. If they are unable to do so on their own, please do not send them with earrings on those days. Guidance to all schools is that no jewellery of any kind should be worn for PE. Religious jewellery can be taken off for the duration of the lesson and then put straight back on. Apart from watches, no other jewellery should be worn for school.

The wearing of SMART watches by the children is not allowed. This is because they are expensive and easily broken, distract the children from their learning and there has been an incident where children have taken photographs of other children within the classroom on their watches.

The school accepts no liability for the loss or damage of any types of Jewellery or personal possessions. We advise that these items are not brought to school.