

# Brook Primary School School Uniform Policy



We believe that a school uniform is important:

- It contributes to a sense of belonging
- It fosters a sense of pride (one of our school values)
- It gives a common identity
- It looks smart
- It wears well

We ask that all children from Nursery onwards wear the uniform and we encourage them to maintain a good standard of clean and tidy dress for school.

Our school colours are royal blue, grey and white.

#### Our school uniform is as follows:

- Grey trousers (long or short) or a grey pinafore/skirt
- Blue check/gingham dress summer only, optional
- Royal blue sweatshirt/cardigan/fleece with Brook Logo
- Light/pale blue shirt/blouse, long or short sleeved or polo shirt
- A royal blue school tie with silver stripe
- White, grey or black socks or tights.
- Sensible shoes (no trainers or high heels, or flip flops)
- A small bag and satchel for books and personal effects

Parents are asked to ensure that all items are labelled clearly with their child's name.

Children may wear one pair of small stud earrings and a watch, but for safety reasons we ask that no other jewellery is worn in school (unless for religious purposes).

#### PE Kit

For health and safety reasons it is important that children are properly dressed for any physical activity.

Our uniform for PE is as follows:

- Pumps. Slip-on pumps are preferred for Reception children.
- Black or navy shorts
- White t-shirt or house colour t-shirt (Red-dragons, blue-sharks, green-eagles, yellow-lions)
- Children need a suitable string bag to keep P.E. kit in with name or
- · initials on for identification purposes.
- Children may wear a <u>plain</u> blue/black tracksuit for outdoor games in the winter months.
- Children in Year 4 need a swimming costume, towel and swimming hat.





## Items with our school logo can be purchased from:

Totally Uniform Shop, 806 High Street, Kingswinford, DY6 8AB Telephone: 01384 270498 Email: <a href="mailto:info@totallyuniform.co.uk">info@totallyuniform.co.uk</a>

Online: https://www.totallyuniform.co.uk

There is no expectation to purchase school uniform with the Brook school label. Unbranded, plain uniform of the correct colour can be purchased from most superstores.

PE kits should be kept in school and returned home for washing at holidays. All items of clothing for PE should be named.

## No jewellery or metal hair slides are allowed for PE.

Hair styles must be reasonable and in line with our school uniform. Extreme colours, spikes, shaving, sculpting (including tramlines) or short tails are not considered suitable for school and should be reserved for holidays or weekends. If children attend school with inappropriate hairstyle, parents/carers will be called to rectify the situation and may be asked to take children out of school to do so. Long hair should be tied back for health and safety reasons.

Hair accessories should also be in line with uniform, being small and discrete.

Children whose hair style or clothing is deemed to be in contravention of this school policy can be educated safely and separately away from their peers.

## Mobile phones and smart watches.

To ensure the safety of all pupils and staff and the safety of any devices, **MOBILE PHONES and SMART WATCHES ARE NOT PERMITTED** in school. Year 5 and 6 pupils are allowed to walk to and from school with a phone, but phones will be handed in and securely stored in throughout the school day. This is only in agreement with parents through signed consent. Any children found to have a mobile phone or wearing a smart watch in school, will be asked to hand it in to be securely stored until the end of the day.

# Non-uniform days

Children can wear clothes that depict a given theme, if appropriate. However, the clothing must still be functional for school e.g. sensible, comfortable shoes (no heels), warm enough for time of year. Face painting and make-up are permitted if they are part of a fancy-dress costume only.

### **Lost Property**

A collection of lost property is kept for one school year. Parents can view this on request. Property not collected at the end of an academic year will be donated to charity or offered to other parents if in good condition.

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