



POLICY TITLE: Uniform Policy

Persons with Responsibility:

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Documents consulted:

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All children are expected to maintain a high standard of appearance and to wear our school uniform as stated in our policy. By all pupils wearing our smart, simple and inexpensive uniform consistently, they feel ready to learn and that they belong to Dashwood Banbury Academy.

For Foundation Stage pupils:

Green v-neck sweater (with or without logo); plain white **polo shirt**; **black** trousers, shorts or skirt/pinafore; plain **black or white socks** or tights; **black** school shoes. In terms 1, 5 and 6, pupils may also wear green and white checked dresses.

For Years 1 to 6 pupils:

Green **blazer**; green v-neck sweater (with or without logo) – optional; plain white button up **shirt**; green and gold **tie** (clip on or traditional, no elasticated ties please as they do not last long and can be a safety hazard); **black** trousers, shorts or skirt/pinafore; plain **black or white** socks or tights; **black** school shoes. In terms 1, 5 and 6, pupils may also wear green and white checked dresses.

Physical Education

The school P.E. Kit is compulsory. For indoor P.E., all children require a pair of black pumps, a pair of sensible black shorts and a white tee-shirt plain or inscribed with the academy logo. The P.E. Kit is to be kept at school in a bag (drawstring if possible) during the week. For outdoor P.E. a pair of training shoes, black tracksuit/jogging bottoms and a black sweatshirt is essential. Children involved in swimming lessons will need to provide all in one swimming costume/trunks (bikinis and beach shorts are not allowed), towel and a swimming hat.

Parents should note that Swimming and P.E. is a compulsory part of the curriculum and all children are required to participate every week. No jewellery can be worn whilst doing physical education or swimming lessons – this includes stud earrings. We advise that they do not wear their studs on these days. If they have to keep them in, parents/carers should provide plasters to cover them up.

Hair

In the interests of safety, practicality and hygiene, long hair should be tied back with a **plain** fixing. We would recommend that hair accessories, including hijabs are in keeping with the school/natural hair colours. We are aware of the fact that children are continually subjected to fashion influences with regard to hair styles, some of which are appropriate to the school situation whilst others are not. Bearing this in mind, bright or unnatural colours, Grade 1 shaved hair, tramlines/patterns, mullet and Mohican styles are not permitted.

Jewellery

In the interests of the safety, rings, earrings, necklaces, bracelets and other jewellery **must not be worn** during school sessions. If absolutely necessary, discrete studs may be worn but these must be easily removable for P.E. or appropriately covered with plasters provided from home. For swimming lessons earrings must be removed as the swimming provider will not accept earrings to be worn in the pool.

Make-up, Nail Varnish and temporary tattoos

No make-up, nail varnish or temporary tattoos are permitted unless necessary for a concert, play or after school event. If present then we will contact the parent/carer to ask for it to be removed.