ROBIN HOOD PRIMARY SCHOOL

SCHOOL UNIFORM POLICY

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School Uniform:

We believe that wearing a school uniform helps to foster the idea of a shared community, to which all pupils can be proud to belong. It is unrealistic to designate a particular style, material and colour. Therefore, the Governing Body agreed that the compulsory school uniform should be black or dark grey trousers or skirts, white polo shirts and jade-green sweatshirts and/or jade-green cardigans. Plain black shoes or trainers (with a black sole) should be worn.

Our school uniform policy does not discriminate in any way based on gender, race, disability, sexual orientation or belief.

For Nursery & Reception children, we would appreciate easy fastenings so that children can dress themselves quickly and easily without adult help.

We ask for your full co-operation as we believe being smart and presentable creates a respectful environment.

School and PE Uniform providers:

- The uniform centre.com which is located in Morley: www.theuniformcentre.com
- My Uniform Online: https://myclothing.com/ueslink/7013.school?t=1587112662485
- Graham Briggs: https://www.graham-briggs-school-outfitters.co.uk/school-shop/?product_orderby=name

School Uniform Checklist:

- Black or dark grey school trousers, skirt or pinafore dress (leggings are not permitted). *Shorts and skirts need to be mid-thigh length as a minimum.*
- White polo shirt or white shirt
- Jade-green school sweatshirt or cardigan (the Robin Hood logo is optional)
- Footwear should be black shoes or trainers with a black sole. If your child is in the Foundation Stage, please try to opt for shoes which fasten with Velcro.
- Hair accessories are permitted, but we kindly ask that they are kept small and simple.
- Makeup of any kind is not permitted - this includes nail varnish.
- Jewellery is not permitted, with the exception of watches (no smart watches). Pupils may wear one pair of stud earrings, provided they are removed for PE sessions and swimming lessons.

Please label everything with your child's name.

If your child is not wearing the uniform as above, you will be asked to drop the appropriate uniform off at school for your child to change into.

Physical Education Kit:

At Robin Hood Primary School, we provide the children with many sporting opportunities. All children are timetabled to take part in two PE lessons per week, each lasting one hour. One of these is an indoor PE session in the school hall; the other is an outdoor PE session either on the school playground or playing field. In addition to this, we offer a wide range of extra-curricular activities after school and at times during the school year, there may be sporting events or extra times where the children will need to be wearing their PE uniform. If your child is asked to wear any other types of sport clothing for special events, parents/carers will be informed of this in plenty of time. A PE uniform is important not just to show the children are working together but for their own safety in PE lessons.

We ask that children come to school on their PE days in their school PE uniform:

INDOOR PE UNIFORM	OUTDOOR PE UNIFORM
• Socks • Appropriate trainers which can be tightly fastened *Vans or Converse are not acceptable as they do not support the feet properly for these activities* • Black shorts or black leggings • A plain white t-shirt	• Socks • Appropriate trainers which can be tightly fastened *Vans or Converse are not acceptable as they do not support the feet properly for these activities* • Black tracksuit bottoms or black leggings • A plain white t-shirt • A plain black or navy hoodie if not wearing the school PE hoodie
No football, rugby or any other kit is to be worn on PE days.	

Foundation and KS1 trainers:

If your child is unable to tie their shoelaces, please provide your child with either pumps or velcro trainers. However, it is important by the end of Key Stage One that your child is able to tie their own shoe laces.

Jewellery and Hair:

- No jewellery can be worn during any PE lesson, including watches.
- Taping over earrings is no longer sufficient practice as it does not effectively prevent injury, particularly impact injuries. No member of staff is permitted to remove a child's earrings so children must be able to remove their own earrings.
- Any long hair must be tied up for all PE lessons

Swimming:

In Year 5, the children take part in swimming lessons every week across the school year. The following uniform is compulsory:

SWIMMING UNIFORM
• Swimming shorts/trunks must be above the knee or a swimming costume (bikinis are not permitted) • Swimming towel • Swimming bag • Goggles are optional • All jewellery must be removed • Swimming hats recommended but not compulsory • If not wearing a swimming hat, hair needs to be tied back in a ponytail, plait or bun

Staff Uniform:

It is compulsory for all staff to wear a PE uniform if they are involved in teaching or supporting indoor and outdoor PE lessons.

Jewellery:

All jewellery must be removed apart from a watch and small studded earrings.