

# Asfordby Hill School

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## Uniform Policy

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## **School Uniform Policy**

The school uniform serves to give pupils a sense of identity, a sense of belonging to a community. It helps to conceal differences in the financial circumstances of children and excludes some dress competition and excesses of fashion. Parents are urged to work in partnership with the school to ensure that standards are maintained.

Pupils are required to wear school uniform at all times. Uniform can be purchased at Kids Zone on Leicester Road in Melton Mowbray or via <https://www.tesco.com/direct/clothing-accessories/school-uniform/cat38460033.cat> where our PTA receives a percentage.

At the end of term there will be second hand uniform available for all parents to help themselves. If parents are struggling to afford certain items, please do not hesitate to contact us in the office and we will more than happy to help.

Extremes of fashion such as short skirts or high-heeled shoes or extreme haircuts are not allowed.

**Note:** If a pupil is wearing an item which is considered not to be school uniform then the child will be reminded of the school rules. Should the child continue to wear non-uniform items then a note will be sent home outlining the need for parents to ensure their child only wears items which are part of the school uniform.

### **Uniform – clothes with the school logo are optional.**

- Red sweatshirt, jumper or cardigan.
- White, red or blue shirt, blouse or polo shirt
- Black, navy, blue or white socks.
- Plain black lace-up or slip-on shoes in a formal style (with low heels no more than 5 cms in height). Please note that boots, trainers, crocs (or croc style) or sling back shoes are not permitted.

A choice of any of the following:

- Plain black or charcoal trousers/formal school shorts (not sport or fashion)
- Plain black or charcoal knee-length skirt, without splits or decoration
- Plain black or charcoal pinafore dress.
- Gingham blue/white or red/white summer dresses.
- Plain black or charcoal formal knee-length culottes

Please refer to the uniform list at the end of this policy for further information.

## **Jewellery**

Pupils may wear a watch or a fitbit/sports tracker and one set of plain gold or silver studs in the ears, but **no other jewellery is permitted** due to health and safety issues and liability in case of loss. **NO jewellery (including earrings\*) may be worn in PE activities. If children cannot remove their own earrings, please work alongside your child at home to teach them or have them removed before they attend school on their PE day.**

## **PE Kit**

We feel that the correct kit for PE lessons is important and we trust parents will support us in this matter. Football strips are not appropriate uniform for PE. Pupils need to attend school wearing their PE kit on the day allocated to their class for PE (this does not apply to the pupils in Reception from the start of the Autumn term – see updates from the class teacher.)

## **Indoor kit**

- Blue or red T- shirt (logo is optional)/or plain white T-shirt.
- Plain black or navy shorts including cycling shorts
- Flat trainers that support the ankle.
- Plain black/navy jogging bottoms (if the weather is cold/wet)
- Plain red/navy sweatshirt or school logo hoody
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## **Protection from the sun**

Please provide sun-cream and sunhats during hot weather. Children will need to be able to apply their own sun-cream. Roll on sun cream is recommended. (See Sun Protection Policy).

## **Adverse weather footwear**

Pupils can wear boots/wellingtons to school in adverse weather and bring their school shoes to change into. UGG and UGG style boots are not suitable.

## **Hairstyles**

Hairstyles should not be extreme. Parents should consult if they are unsure as to the suitability of a change of style. The school shall be the arbiter of the term 'extreme'.

Plain/gingham hair bands – blue/red/white. Fashion hair bands are not permitted. All long hair must be tied back with a bobble for PE. No clips, grips or headbands may be worn in PE.

## Make-up

Nail polish is not permitted. Pupils are not allowed to wear any make up, body art transfers or tattoos.

## Financial Support

In cases of financial hardship parents can appeal to the Headteacher/Trustees for financial support to help with school uniform. Such cases will be treated with due sensitivity and in confidence.

## Special Consideration

Parents can apply in writing to the School Trust Board if they wish their child(ren) to wear different items for religious, cultural and health reasons.

## Uniform List

General	Colour	Supplier
Sweatshirt or cardigan	Red/Blue (Logo optional)	Kidzone <a href="https://www.tesco.com/direct/clothing-accessories/school-uniform/cat38460033.cat">https://www.tesco.com/direct/clothing-accessories/school-uniform/cat38460033.cat</a>
Polo shirt, shirt or blouse	White, red or blue (Logo optional)	Generally available
Shoes – formal style lace-up, straps or slip on to be flat or with low heel less than 5cms. No boots, crocs, trainers or sling-back styles	Black	Generally available
Trousers	Black or charcoal grey	Generally available
Shorts (formal style – not sports or fashion)	Black or charcoal grey	Generally available
Skirt / Pinafore (knee-length without splits or decoration)	Black or charcoal grey	Generally available
Summer Dress	Blue and white gingham	Generally available
Book bag	Red with school logo	School Office
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T-shirt	Blue/Red (school logo optional) OR plain white	School Office Generally available
Shorts (sports style including cycling shorts)	Black or Navy	Generally available
Trainers	Any	Generally available
Jogging Bottoms	Black or navy	Generally available
Sweatshirt or hoody	Red (logo optional)	School Office Generally available
Hoody	Royal Blue with school logo	<a href="http://www.myclothing.com">www.myclothing.com</a> or Eco-shop