

UNIFORM POLICY

Brookhill Leys Primary School has strict guidelines on school dress and all pupils are expected to wear the full Brookhill uniform.

The wearing of our distinctive uniform gives students a sense of 'belonging', helps foster pride in the school and stops students coming to school in inappropriate clothing or footwear.

There is a smart and distinctive uniform from Foundation 1 to Year 6. This policy explains exactly what the uniform is for each year group and the expectations of smartness.

School Uniform (F2 – Y6)

- Sensible flat black school shoes (not boots or trainers)
- Plain white school shirt (not polo shirts)
- Brookhill silver and purple tie (available from the school office) elasticated for younger children, full tie for older children
- Grey school trousers, skirt or pinafore
- Brookhill v-necked pullover in purple, with the Brookhill logo (available from the school office)
- Black, grey or white socks or tights.
- Plain purple, grey, black, white or gingham hair bobbles or hairbands

Uniform for pupils in Year 6

- Same as above
- Brookhill Year 6 Tie. Silver and purple tie, with a yellow stripe running through (available from the school office)

Uniform for pupils in F1 (Nursery)

- Purple jogging bottoms (or plain grey available from various stores)
- Grey nursery school polo shirt with Brookhill logo
- Brookhill school jumper, purple, with the Brookhill logo (available from the school office)
- Any comfortable footwear

Summer Term (F2 – Y6)

- Short sleeved school shirt (not polo shirt)
- Grey school shorts
- Purple and white checked gingham dress (available from the school office, and a range of stores)
- White ankle socks with a purple and white gingham frill may be worn if wearing a checked gingham dress

- Brookhill purple cardigan, with the Brookhill logo (available from the school office) may be worn only if wearing a checked gingham dress

Summer Term (F1 Nursery)

- Purple or Grey School Shorts
- Purple and white checked gingham dress (available from the school office, and a range of stores)
- White ankle socks with a purple and white gingham frill may ne worn if wearing a gingham dress
- Brookhill purple cardigan, with the Brookhill logo (available from the school office) may be worn only if wearing a checked Hingham dress.

PE Kit (F2 – Y6)

- Brookhill PE kit comprising of black shorts, purple T-shirt with Brookhill logo and PE bag (available from the school office)
- Plain black, grey or navy blue long sleeved sweatshirt for winter
- Plain black, grey or navy blue jogging bottoms for winter
- Suitable trainers or plimsolls

PE Kit must be in school at all times. PE or activity lessons can take place any day at short notice and kits must be available.

Earrings are NOT allowed to be worn for PE or activity lessons. It is the child's responsibility to remove earrings in school, we recommend you do not have children's ears pierced in primary but if you do then please do this at the start of the Summer holidays so children are able to care for them.

Swimming

For the year group which attend swimming lessons the following is required

Girls

- One piece costume
- Towel
- Hair bobbles to tie up long hair

Boys

- Trunks or swimming shorts (shorts must not be baggy, longer than mid-thigh or have pockets)
- Towel

Children will not be allowed in the pool if:

- They are wearing jewellery (including earrings)
- They are wearing stick on tattoos
- They are wearing nail varnish
- They are wearing a two piece swimming costume, or swimming shorts that are longer than mid-thigh length, have pockets or are baggy.

Expectations of Smartness

- Hair styles must be sensible, children's hair styles with no shaved hair, no tracks, or hair dye
- Hair at shoulder length or longer must be tied back
- Shirts should be tucked in
- Plain or purple and white gingham hair bobble or head bands may be worn
- No jewellery other than a plain stud or small hoop earring may be worn, unless it is a piece of jewellery worn for religious purposes, in which case the Headteacher will authorise this with the individual family.
- Nail varnish is not allowed to be worn in school
- Make up is not allowed to be worn in school
- Watches are allowed and encouraged
- Skirts and dresses must be knee length

By accepting a place at Brookhill Leys Primary School and signing our mutual home school agreement, parents accept these school uniform standards and agree to support their children to always look their smartest and follow the uniform policy. Families in genuine hardship will be supported by school wherever possible to ensure children have equal opportunities to smart school uniform. This will be negotiated with the Headteacher for families on a needs must basis and treated in complete confidence.

Please direct any questions or requests for support to Mrs Sainsbury who will be happy to talk to you.

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