



Uniform and Equipment Policy (Primary)

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ADOPTION AND AMENDMENTS TO UNIFORM POLICY (PRIMARY)

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Kents Hill Park School – Primary

At Kents Hill Park School we think it is important that our pupils wear school uniform in all year groups and in accepting a place for your child at the school you agree to support us fully in this matter.

This is because:

1. School uniform helps to create a sense of common identity, community and belonging.
2. Pupils who take a pride in their uniform and wear it properly, present a good image of themselves, the school and their families.
3. School uniform helps give the best possible impression of our school in the wider community.
4. We strive for high standards of performance in our pupils and believe that a good standard of dress strengthens this aim.
5. Our school uniform is available from a variety of outlets at a range of prices. This means pupils are not identified by parental income or background.
6. The uniform code applies on journeys to and from school as well as in school. A high standard of personal appearance is expected of all pupils; these standards should be maintained and are regarded by everyone at Kents Hill Park School as very important.

Pupil's Main Uniform

All items of uniform, including coats, should be clearly named in a manner that should not wash off after a period of time.

1. Sensible flat black shoes (no: logos/branding, boots, trainers, trainer type shoes, slip on shoes, canvas shoes/pumps or similar are allowed). Pupils are welcome to wear walking boots to/from school in extreme weather events and change into their normal school shoes once on site.
2. Plain white polo shirt that is long enough to be tucked in (available with Kents Hill Park School logo from Maisies).
3. Charcoal grey tailored trousers (not tight or lycra) with plain black socks (no patterns, no trainer socks or no logos).
4. Trousers must be worn around the waist.
5. Charcoal grey knee length A-line skirt (not pencil, mini or tight) with plain black or grey tights or with plain white ankle socks (no patterns, no trainer socks or no logos).
6. Skirts must be worn to the knee and must not be rolled up.
7. Belts must be strictly functional – plain black.
8. Maroon cardigan or sweatshirt with Kents Hill Park School logo.
9. Maroon fleece with Kents Hill Park School logo (optional).
10. A plain and discreet outside coat (darker is preferable) – no hoodies, denim or leather (outside coats are not to be worn inside the school buildings).

Summer Uniform

Summer uniform may be worn during the Summer Term and the first half of the Autumn Term (until October half term). All items of uniform should be clearly named in a manner that should not wash off after a period of time.

Main uniform with the option of:

1. Maroon or red checked knee length summer dress with plain white knee or ankle height socks (no trainer socks or socks that go over the knee).

2. Charcoal grey tailored shorts (not tight or lycra) with plain black ankle height socks (no patterns, no trainer socks, no knee length socks or no logos).
3. Open toe sandals are not to be worn.

Compulsory Items

1. Book bag with Kents Hill Park School logo or a plain sturdy bag / rucksack (darker colours are preferable).
2. Maroon PE drawstring bag with Kents Hill Park School logo.

Additional Items (optional)

1. Kents Hill Park School sun cap
2. Kents Hill Park School water bottle

Equipment

All pupils will be provided with a reading journal. These must always be brought into school. If the journal is lost or defaced a new one must be purchased from the school office for £4.00.

Jewellery and Body Art:

1. Pupils are encouraged to wear a wrist watch to help with punctuality and organisation. Smart watches and personal fitness tracking devices are not permitted to be worn at school.
2. Pierced ears - one pair (one per ear) of either gold or silver small studs are permitted in the lower lobe of each ear. These will need to be removed by the individual for all PE lessons. No other styles or colours are permitted and will be confiscated and returned via Main Reception. Pupils are not permitted to wear stretchers, bars or spacers.
3. No visible temporary tattoos are permitted.
4. No rubber or plastic wrist bands or bracelets of any material are to be worn.
5. No necklaces allowed. These will be confiscated and returned via Main Reception.
6. Items of religious jewellery must be discussed with the Headteacher.

Make-up:

1. Pupils are not permitted to wear any form of make-up.
2. False nails, nail varnish and nail art are not permitted.

Hair:

The school uniform policy specifically requires that hair should not be at the extremes of fashion.

1. "Extreme" – not too short, nor too long, a "number 2" from the base of the neck is the minimum acceptable in terms of shortness, and should be blended in with hair of other lengths.
2. "Artwork" on the scalp or eyebrows is regarded as a fashion extreme and is therefore not permitted.
3. Hair should be one tone and be close to the individual pupil's natural hair tone.
4. Hair bands and head scarves should be strictly functional and plain maroon or black.
5. School approved head coverings (turbans, juras, phatkas or head scarves) must be plain black or maroon.

PE KIT

All items of PE kit, including the PE bag, should be clearly named in a manner that should not wash off after a period of time.

1. No jewellery of any type may be worn in PE or Games lessons.

2. We strongly advise that valuable items are left at home. It is the responsibility of pupils to ensure that any valuable items are given to a member of staff at the start of the lesson.
3. Maroon PE drawstring bag with Kents Hill Park School logo
4. Maroon shadow stripe shorts
5. Round necked plain white T shirt
6. Black plimsolls or suitable trainers
7. A plain navy or black tracksuit may be worn during the winter months for outdoor sports
8. Black base layers can also be worn under school PE kit during the winter months
9. Plain white / black socks – ankle height (no trainer socks)
10. Shin pads with knee length black socks (Years 3-6)

We wish to treat all pupils with respect and to acknowledge that they are young people growing up. Therefore, they have a responsibility towards wearing our uniform properly. We appreciate parents' support in ensuring children arrive at school in the correct uniform.

Clothing Supplier

Maisies is the named outfitters.

www.maisies-superstore.co.uk

Telephone: 01908 313313

They also have a store:

60/64 Church Street, Wolverton, MK12 5JW

This policy will be reviewed on an annual basis.



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