The Meadows Primary School

School Uniform and Clothing policy

April 2025

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Rationale
We expect all our children to wear our school uniform as it creates a sense of identity and community. We are proud of our logo and the wearing of school uniform, as it helps to reinforce a sense of pride in, and belonging to, The Meadows Primary School. However, branded uniform is not required as long as it is the correct style and colour. To maximise learning time, children may wear school PE kit on PE days.

What to wear
The school uniform colours are royal blue and grey. It is essential that all items of uniform are clearly marked with your child's name, including shoes.

- Royal blue sweatshirt or cardigan with or without school logo.
- Grey skirt or front-zipped pinafore dress, must be of reasonable length (at knee length.)
- Summer option: Blue and white gingham summer dress
- Grey trousers, full length, and plain material. Leggings, cords, jeans etc. are unacceptable.
- Grey tailored shorts.
- White or royal blue polo shirt with or without logo.
- Plain black, grey or white socks
- Tights - Black or grey in the winter
- Black school shoes or plain black trainers. Younger children should wear shoes with Velcro fastening. Older children can wear shoes with laces provided they can tie the laces themselves.

EYFS and Year 1
Children will also need to have waterproof trousers, a jacket and wellington boots as they make great use of the outdoor environment.

Hair
Long hair will need to be tied back as a preventative measure against the spread of headlice. Children's haircuts should be appropriate with no emblems or patterns shaved at the side or into the back of children's heads. Any hair colours or hairstyles not considered by the school to be a natural colour, are not permitted. Hair Accessories should be a simple Alice band or simple hair clips. No ornate decorations.

Jewellery and make up
Children are asked not to wear jewellery, except a wristwatch (not a smart watch). If your child has pierced ears, only the smallest plain gold or silver round studs are admissible. Children will have to remove these for PE and swimming. If they are unable to remove studs themselves, then please remove that morning for them or send them in with tape or small plasters so they can be safely covered. Children must not to wear nail varnish or make-up to school.

PE and Games Kit

- Plain black shorts/skorts,
- BPlain black jogging bottoms
- Plain white t-shirt with or without logo
- Black plimsolls
- Royal blue jumper

Games kit (KS2 only):

- Trainers (black tracksuit and football boots optional)

Swimming (KS2)

KS2 children swim at Keynsham Swimming Pool. For this, they will require a swimsuit/trunks, towel and goggles (if required).

Second-hand uniform
If you require support in obtaining second-hand uniform, please contact:
enquiries@themeadowsprimaryschool.org.uk and we can support you with this.

School Uniform Provider

Our school uniform, is available for direct ordering from Earth Uniform.
For online ordering, go to
The Meadows Primary School Uniform Shop – Earth Uniform