



School Uniform Policy

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Statement of Intent

Burnley Brow believes that a consistent school uniform policy is vital to promote the ethos of the school and provide a sense of belonging and identity for all pupils. This policy lays out the measures the school has taken to ensure a consistent, fair and inclusive uniform policy, and to implement a uniform that reflects the needs of all pupils and is affordable.

Roles and responsibilities

The **governing body** is responsible for:

- Establishing, in consultation with the headteacher and school community, a practical and smart school uniform.
- Ensuring that the school's uniform is accessible and inclusive and does not disadvantage any pupil.
- Ensure compliance with the DfE's 'Cost of school uniforms' guidance.

The **Headteacher** is responsible for:

- Enforcing the school's uniform on a day-to-day basis.
- Listening to the opinions of the school community.
- Making adaptations for pupils as needed e.g., sensory needs.

Staff Members are responsible for:

- Ensure that the pupils dress in accordance with this policy.
- Ensuring that pupils understand why having a consistent and practical school uniform is important.

Parents are responsible for:

- Providing their children with the correct school uniform as detailed in this policy.
- Informing the headteacher if they feel their child requires an adaptation.
- Ensuring that their child's uniform is clean, presentable and the correct size.

Pupils are responsible for:

- Wearing the correct uniform at all times.
- Looking after their uniform.

Cost Principles

The school is committed to ensuring that its school uniform is affordable and accessible to all pupils and does not place an unreasonable financial burden on parents. The school keeps branded uniform items to a minimum level to ensure that the cost is reasonable for all members of the school community.

Equality

Burnley Brow aims to ensure that the uniform policy is as inclusive as possible so that all pupils are comfortable and religious or cultural requirements are met.

Complaints

The school endeavours to resolve all uniform complaints in accordance with the school's 'Concern and Complaints Policy'. If parent's wish to make a complaint, they must refer to this.

Suppliers of the sweatshirt and book bag with the school logo.

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All other items can be bought from local supermarkets.

Non-compliance

If a child is not wearing the correct uniform, the class teacher will speak to the parents. Any further issues will be referred to a member of the Strategy Team.

School Uniform

Item	Optional or Required	Branding	How to acquire	Cost per item from school supplier
Regular School Uniform				
Purple sweatshirt	Required	School Logo on left hand-side	Debonair Schoolwear	£8.99 - £12.99
Purple cardigan	Required	School Logo on left hand-side	Debonair Schoolwear	£10.99 - £13.99
White polo shirt or white shirt	Required	No branding	Regular retailers	
Tie	Required Year 6 only	Purple and yellow diagonal stripe	School Office	£6.50
Grey trousers, skirt or pinafore	Required	No branding	Regular retailers	
Plain black or purple headscarf	Optional	No branding	Regular retailers	
Purple checked dress Summer Only	Optional	No branding	Regular retailers	
Grey shorts Summer Only	Optional	No branding		
Sensible, plain black shoes	Required	No branding	Regular retailers	

Book Bag	Required	Logo on front	Debonair Schoolwear	£9.50
PE Kit				
Plain red, yellow, green or blue t-shirt depending on House	Required	No branding	Regular retailers	
Plain black leggings, jogging bottoms or shorts	Required	No branding	Regular retailers	
Plain red, yellow, green blue sweatshirt depending on house colour	Optional	No branding	Regular retailers	
Black pumps with a brown (non-marking) sole	Required	No branding	Regular retailers	
Black trainers	Required	No branding	Regular retailers	
Purple or black pump bag	Required	No branding	Regular retailers	
Swimming Kit				
Close-fitting swimming trunks (not shorts)	Required	No branding	Regular retailers	
One-piece Swimming Costume	Required	No branding	Regular retailers	
Swimming Caps – these will be given to children who have long hair.	Required	No branding	Regular retailers	
Towel	Required	No branding	Regular retailers	

Jewellery

Stud earrings, a tabij and a sensible watch may be worn. Safekeeping of jewellery is the responsibility of the pupil. All jewellery must be removed for all PE and swimming lessons.

Adverse Weather

At home time, children wait in the playground to be collected in all weathers, therefore please ensure they have a waterproof coat with a hood depending on the season and weather. All pupils are required to wear weather-appropriate clothing. In hot temperatures this includes wearing a cap, summer dress or shorts. In situations of extreme heat, children are not required to wear sweatshirts – just a white polo shirt or shirt. In cold temperatures children may wear scarves, gloves and hats.

Labelling

All pupil's clothing and footwear should be clearly labelled with their name and class. Any lost clothing will be taken to the lost property box and is disposed of at the end of the year if it is not collected.