

Uniform Guidelines

We are very proud of our school uniform which shares a lot of similarities with Brighton College UK. Children are expected to wear their uniform for all normal school days with only a few exceptions such as a charity 'dressing up' day. When travelling to and from the school we ask that children are smart and in full uniform, including their tie, where applicable, since they are representing the school in public. Parents will be informed of when children may wear the PE uniform.

Our uniform supplier is Ten Feet Tall.

They can be contacted at: <u>www.tenfeettalluniforms.com</u>

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All items required can be purchased from their online store, including school shoes. They offer a full measuring service and will be available at our Orientation Day to ensure all children have the correct uniform by the first day of term. For ongoing uniform purchases, these can be made online and delivered to your home.

Ten Feet Tall source the very best quality in uniforms used by many highly reputable British Prep and Senior Schools in the UK. Their clothing manufacturer is the first carbon-neutral uniform manufacturer in the UK and is committed to ethical practices and reducing clothing waste by donating end of life uniform stock to Giving World, a registered charity that donates unwanted clothing to some of the World's poorest communities. Items in our uniform list have been made using the latest technology; each one of our blazers is made from special fibres produced from 36 plastic bottles.

<u>Shoes</u>

For reasons of health and safety, children are expected to wear appropriate shoes for school. This means no trainers, heels, slingbacks or wedged shoes. Ten Feet Tall stock a large selection of school shoes. Please ask your child's class teacher, or the admissions department, if you require clarification.

General Appearance

- Clothing must be clean, presentable, correctly sized, and fitted to the child. Long shirts must be tucked in.
- School Sun hats must be worn outside, except in sports activities when this is not practical. The school has a no hat, no play.
- School shoes must be plain black leather. No boots or training shoes are permitted in lessons
- Children may wear sports shoes to come to school or during breaks but must change back into school shoes on arrival at their classroom.
- Hair must be clean, neat and presentable. Long hair which touches the shoulder or below is to be tied back when in school. Accessories should be navy or hair-coloured.



- Children may not wear jewellery, including friendship bracelets or charity bands. Exceptions are simple, inexpensive watches, small necklaces of religious significance, which should be worn under clothing, and simple stud earrings (one per ear lobe). Stud earrings should not be worn on PE days. If they cannot be removed, they will need to be covered with tape. No other piercings are permitted. Expensive watches and fitness bands are strongly discouraged. Apple watches and watches capable of connecting to the internet are not permitted in school.
- Children must not wear any make-up, which includes nail polish, or hair beads and glitter strands. The only exceptions are for a show or performance or special Mufti Day.

Year Group	Daywear	Sportswear	Accessories			
Pre-Nursery						
Boys & Girls	Sports Top	Change of sports shoes and socks	School Backpack			
	Sports Shorts or Skort		School Book Bag			
	White ankle socks		Sun Hat			
	Sports shoes					
Nursery						
Boys	Short-sleeve Polo Shirt	Sports Top	School Backpack			
	Grey Shorts	Sports Shorts	School Book Bag			
	Navy Jumper	School Rash Vest	School Gym Bag			
	Grey ankle socks	White sports socks	Sun Hat			
	Black leather shoes	Sports shoes				
Girls	Tartan Dress	Sports Top	School Backpack			
	Navy Cardigan	Sports Shorts or Skort	School Book Bag			
	White ankle socks	School Rash Vest	School Gym Bag			
	Black leather shoes	White sports socks	Sun Hat			
		Sports shoes				



	Rece	ption to Year 2	
Boys	Short-sleeve Polo Shirt	Sports Top	School Backpack
	Grey Shorts	Sports Shorts	School Book Bag
	Jumper	School Rash Vest	School Gym Bag
	Grey ankle socks	White sports socks	Sun Hat
	Black leather shoes	Sports shoes	Black Swimwear
			School Swim Cap
Girls	Tartan Dress	Sports Top	School Backpack
	Cardigan	Sports Shorts or Skort	School Book Bag
	White ankle socks	School Rash Vest	School Gym Bag
	Black leather shoes	White sports socks	Sun Hat
		Sports shoes	Black Swimwear
			School Swim Cap
	1	Year 3 – 6	
Boys	White Shirt	Sports Top	School Backpack
	Grey Shorts	Sports Shorts	School Book Bag
	Navy Jumper	House Shirt	School Gym Bag
	Navy Blazer	Rash Vest	Sun Hat
	Grey ankle socks	White sports socks	Black Swimwear
	Black leather shoes	Sports shoes	School Swim Cap
Girls	Tartan Skort	Sports Top	School Backpack
	White Blouse	Sports Shorts or Skort	School Book Bag
	Navy Cardigan	House Shirt	School Gym Bag
	Navy Blazer	School Rash Vest	Sun Hat



	White ankle socks	White sports socks	Black Swimwear
	Black leather shoes	Sports shoes	School Swim Cap
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		Year 7 – 11	
Boys	White Senior shirt	Sports Top	School Backpack
	Grey Shorts	Sports Shorts	School Book Bag
	Black Senior Jumper	White sports socks	School Gym Bag
	Grey Boys Blazer	House Shirt	Sun Hat
	Tie	School Rash Vest	Black Swimwear
	White or Black ankle socks	White sports socks	School Swim Cap
	Black leather shoes	Sports shoes	
Girls	Tartan Senior Skirt	Sports Top	School Backpack
	White Senior Blouse	Sports Shorts or Skort	School Book Bag
	Black Senior Jumper	House Shirt	School Gym Bag
	Black Girls Blazer	School Rash Vest	Sun Hat
	White or Black ankle socks	White sports socks	Black Swimwear

Marking of items Brought to School

It is essential that important items, especially those likely to be misplaced or lost, are marked with your child's name and class. All clothing, including hats, footwear, sports gear, swimming kits, kit bags and school bags should be clearly named.

Sun Safety

For the safety of your children, we operate a 'No Hat, No Play' policy. We ask that children wear sun hats and either bring sunscreen to be applied at school or apply it at home before coming to school. Children not wearing a hat will need to play in the shaded areas of the playgrounds.



Slippers

Children in all year groups may keep a pair of slippers or slipper socks in school for use in their general classrooms and some specialist lessons. Alternatively, they may remove their shoes and wear socks only. This is completely optional.

<u>PE Kit</u>

- All children must wear the correct kit for PE, which should be named and be taken home the same day for washing
- Children may wear their PE kit to school if their PE lesson is prior to morning break. They will need to bring their school uniform to school to change into after the lesson. Similarly, Prep School children who have PE after lunch break may return home in PE kits
- All children should bring a filled water bottle to all PE lessons. There will be opportunities to shower following longer games sessions and so children should always have a towel in their PE kit bag
- Children will only be allowed into the gyms with clean sports shoes. Pre-Nursery children must have a change of sports shoes to put on for PE lessons.

Expectations

During PE lessons:

- children must take off their watches, earrings and other jewellery. Ear studs that cannot be removed will be taped;
- no student may take part in lessons or activities without the correct PE kit, including hats when appropriate;
- children must treat the equipment with care and respect;
- equipment will be counted out and counted back by the teacher, who will then ensure that all items are returned to the store;
- children may only carry equipment under the supervision of the teacher;
- no food or drink is allowed inside the Gym with the exception of water.

Physical Education (including swimming) is a compulsory element of the curriculum. All children are expected to participate. If your child is unable to do PE please contact your classroom teacher or the School Nurse.

Swimming

Swimming is an important part of the school's PE curriculum. It is excellent for general fitness and body control. It is also a skill that could save a life. As a compulsory element of the curriculum, all children are expected to participate in all swimming lessons and relevant events. The lessons will be taught weekly across the three terms.

Children should bring their own towel, goggles and black costume. All children from Nursery upwards, require a school rash vest and swim cap as part of their uniform. Safety is of paramount importance. Therefore, we ensure that all classes are supervised by trained PE teachers, swimming coaches and lifeguards. If your child is unable to take part in a lesson, please contact your class teacher or the School Nurse.