



Forty Hill CE School

Guidance for Forty Hill School Uniform

We are proud of our school uniform. We believe our uniform makes a positive statement about the high expectations of our school, gives children a sense of pride in their shared school community, and supports both staff and parents to fulfil our commitment to equality. We will work closely with parents to maintain our high standards and support our pupils to be proud of wearing their uniform.

Ordering and Purchasing Uniform

Our uniform can be purchased at J Smith & Sons (Lancaster Road) or on line by logging into <https://www.smithsschoolwear.co.uk/>

Enter "Forty Hill" in the search section and the uniform will appear.

You can also purchase general uniform items (those without our logo) from other suppliers e.g. Marks & Spencer and major supermarkets.

Where a family might face problems in providing correct uniform, or in any temporary circumstance where an incorrect uniform is likely, we request that parents contact the school in order that we might understand and offer support. Uniform will be checked regularly and if the school is aware of any problems it can save children being questioned unnecessarily.

School Uniform	Summer Uniform (optional for Summer term)
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Dark grey trousers or bottle green tunic/skirt• White shirt with collar and tie (KS1 children may wear a polo shirt and no tie)• Bottle green V-neck jumper, sweatshirt or cardigan with school badge• Black or grey socks or green or black tights	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Dark grey shorts• Green and white Gingham dress with white socks• All children have the option of wearing a white polo shirt with or without school badge without a tie

Nursery School Uniform	Summer Uniform (optional for Summer term)
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Black jogging bottoms or black leggings• White polo shirt with or without school badge• Bottle green sweatshirt with school badge• Black socks or black tights	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Black shorts and white polo shirt with or without school badge• Green and white Gingham dress with white socks

P.E. Kit

PE Kit is recognised as an important part of the school uniform and must be in school every day as the 'PE Day' can change and active learning opportunities can arise where a PE kit is more appropriate uniform. We will encourage children to take their PE kits home every half term for washing. For health and safety reasons, children will be required to remove their jewellery or cover stud earrings with tape.

The school can not be held responsible for loss or damage to jewellery.

House Colour (Yellow, Red, Orange, Green or Blue) PE T-shirt with school badge

Bottle Green shorts or Green Jogging bottoms

Black Plimsolls and/or trainers

PE bag with school badge – please ensure this is named

You may wish your child to have a green sweatshirt (with school badge) for PE

Nursery children do not require a PE kit

Labelling

CLOTHING MUST BE CLEARLY MARKED WITH CHILD'S NAME.

Book Bags

We strongly recommend that all children from Nursery to Year 6 have a school book bag or school small backpack- both available at Smiths, Lancaster Road. These can be used for their reading records, home reader and any letters that are sent out. As our school building is small with narrow corridors, we strongly discourage the use of rucksacks or personal bags.

Footwear

Black school shoes or plain black trainers (not boots or sandals)

Footwear should be confined to shoes that support the foot and are comfortable; not a fashion statement, high heeled shoes or boots. The children are encouraged at all times to ensure the shoes are correctly fixed on their feet. Younger children wearing shoes with laces must be able to tie their own laces.

Jewellery

Only stud earrings and a simple watch are allowed to be worn to school. Bracelets, necklaces or rings are not to be worn at any time. Children will be required to remove any items worn unless for religious reasons that have been notified to the Headteacher in writing. The school will not be responsible for these items. Nail varnish is not allowed to be worn in school, and will be removed if worn.

Hair

For safety reasons, long hair must be tied back with an appropriate fastening at all times (this applies to girls and boys). All fastenings need to be grey, black or green and should be small and indiscreet. Any closely cut haircuts should not have shapes or symbols shaved in, nor should hair be dyed including permanent coloured streaks.

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