



"Working together to Succeed"

Oakridge Uniform Policy

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UNIFORM POLICY

Our uniform is something that we are very proud of and it is an important part of our school. We know that implementing a uniform means that children perform better in school, thus improving their life chances.

When parent choose to send their child to our school they are agreeing to our policy on school uniform and must ensure their child is wearing the correct Oakridge School uniform (as per below).

Children who do not come to school in correct school uniform will be asked to change, either into correct uniform bought into school later in the day, or into spare uniform that we keep in school. We also have pairs of black plimsolls in school that can be changed into if children have unsuitable footwear.

If parents are unsure of our uniform, they should contact the School Office who will be happy to help.

In line with Government guidance, we've worked hard to ensure our uniform is affordable. However, parents who are struggling to afford uniform are supported by our Family Support Worker. We can offer clean, good quality second hand uniform or look into supporting parents with the cost. We regularly give away 2nd hand uniform.

UNIFORM IS AS FOLLOWS:

Grey or black shorts, trousers, pinafore or skirt

White shirt, white polo shirt or white blouse

Blue sweatshirts with school logo (ones with school logo can be purchased but is not necessary)

Grey, black or white socks, tights or shalwar kameez trousers

Summer dresses – blue and white check

Sensible and safe black school shoes

- no flashing lights
- all black trainers can be worn but they must not have logos

Blue book bag with logo

PE KIT

White T-shirt (ones with school logo can be purchased but is not necessary)

Black shorts

Plimsolls for indoor wear

Trainers for outdoor wear – no logos

Plain black tracksuit – no logos (ones with school logo can be purchased but is not necessary)

PE bag for the safe keeping of PE kit. (ones with school logo can be purchased but is not necessary)

All clothing should be marked with the child's name. Staff who notice clothing that isn't named will do so with a permanent marker in a suitable place. They will then contact parents and request that all other items of clothing are also named.

Miscellaneous

- Your child should not wear a SMART watch into school.
- Shoes such as 'crocs' and 'flip flops' are not suitable footwear, inside or outside.
- Nail varnish is not allowed.
- Please note that tattoos, real or temporary, are not part of our school uniform. Please ensure that your child does not come to school with these.
- Jewellery (including those considered to be of religious significance) and earrings are not allowed. Children with pierced ears may wear plain studs, although County safety regulations state that they must be removed or covered with a plaster for PE/games and swimming. Pupils who wear earrings other than plain studs will be asked to remove them.
- Long hair should be tied back with a dark coloured elastic, hair bobble or ribbon. Please no extreme hairstyles or adornments.
- Hijabs are to be blue, black or white only and of plain material (no sparkly or shiny bits)

Adaptations to Uniform

Adaptations to the school uniform are sometimes made to meet individual children's needs. This is done in discussion with a member of the Core Leadership Team. If parents feel this applies to their child, they should contact the school office.

All our uniform is available from MAPAC and to order it parents need to use the online service or the direct order line number which is **01923 255525**. Parents can arrange to collect from the school or have it sent to their home address.

To order on line:
<http://www.mapac.com/education/parents/uniform/oakridgeprimaryschoolhp112pn>

Please be aware that apart from our logoed jumpers, the rest of our uniform can be purchased from a wide variety of shops and supermarkets e.g. Marks and Spencer, Sainsburys, Asda etc

Item	Colour	Where to buy	Picture
Jumper/cardigan with or without logo		www.mapac.co.uk for Oakridge logo sweatshirt OR Plain blue sweatshirt can be purchased from Asda, Tesco, Matalan, Sainsbury etc	
Boys shirt or polo shirt		Asda Tesco Matalan Sainsburys	  

Girls shirt or polo shirt

Asda Tesco
Matalan Sainsburys
Primark



Trousers

Asda Tesco
Matalan Sainsburys



Skirt		Asda Tesco Matalan Sainsburys	
Summer dress - girls		Asda Tesco Matalan Sainsburys	
Socks		Asda Tesco Matalan Sainsburys Primark	 

			
Tights		Asda Tesco Matalan Sainsburys	  
Girls shoes		Asda Tesco Matalan Sainsburys No flashing lights	

Boys shoes		Asda Tesco Matalan Sainsburys No flashing lights	
PE sweatshirt		www.mapac.com for Oakridge logo sweatshirt OR Plain black sweatshirt can be purchased from Asda, Tesco, Matalan, Sainsbury etc	
PE T-shirt		www.mapac.com for Oakridge logo T shirt OR Plain black sweatshirt can be purchased from Asda, Tesco, Matalan, Sainsbury etc	
PE joggers or shorts		Asda Tesco Matalan Sainsburys	

PE trainers or plimsolls		Asda Tesco Matalan Sainsburys Primark etc	
Book bag		www.mapac.com for an Oakridge logo OR Any other plain blue book bag from other retailers.	