Hebburn Comprehensive School

Uniform Policy





UNIFORM POLICY FOR SEPTEMBER 2025

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BLACK BLAZER	 Black blazer with our new school badge. Blazers are available from The School Outfit with the badge embroidered on. Alternatively, blazers (from any provider) and the school badge can be bought separately. Iron-on/stitched on badges can be purchased from the school office. The school will provide the first iron-on/stitch on badge. Blazers must be worn around the school building at all times during the school day, including lesson changeover. It is at the discretion of the teacher whether blazers can be removed in lessons.
RED AND BLACK	Ties can be purchased from The School Outfit or from the school office.
TIE	Ties can either be clip-on or tied.
WHITE SHIRT	Plain white shirt with top button fastened.
	Available from the School Outfit or any provider
BLACK TROUSERS	 Trousers MUST BE plain black, full length school trousers. Please see the images below for further clarification. Trousers are available from the School Outfit or any provider. Pupils should not wear 'skinny' trousers, jeans, jeggings, leggings including flared or sports style leggings If pupils wear trousers that do not meet the stipulations set out in this policy, examples explained above, they will be instructed to wear a pair of our school-approved trousers from the office that we will have in a range of sizes. There will be sanctions for non-compliance.
*SKIRTS	 Skirts MUST BE black, PERMANENT PLEATED, KNEE-LENGTH school skirts. The images below stipulate what is acceptable. PLEASE CHECK THAT THE SKIRT IS KNEE-LENGTH, WHEN PURCHASING IT AND BEFORE YOUR CHILD WEARS IT FOR SCHOOL. Skirts must not be rolled up. School-approved skirts are available from the School Outfit and other providers. Tube skirts or plain A line skirts, FROM ANY PROVIDER, are NOT allowed. If pupils wear skirts that do not meet the stipulations set out in this policy, for example tube skirts, they will be instructed to wear one of our schoolapproved skirts from the office that we will have in a range of sizes. There will be sanctions for non-compliance. If a skirt is worn, pupils should wear black opaque tights. If issues with skirts remain, the Governing Board reserves the right to review this policy.
BLACK V-NECK	If worn, this must be a plain V-neck black jumper.
JUMPER	Hoodies and/or sweatshirts are not allowed to be worn inside the school
(optional)	building.

ALL-BLACK,	Plain, all-black, formal, leather or leather-style shoes which can be polished.
FORMAL	No trainers, plimsolls or boots.
SHOES	Expensive, designer footwear should not be worn.
	Please check the pictures below before buying school shoes.
	Coats (generic) must be removed when entering the building.
OUTERWEAR	Outdoor coats must not be worn in corridors.
	Caps or hats <u>must not</u> be worn inside the school building.
	Hairstyles should not be extreme.
HAIR	Note: unnatural hair colours, razored patterns or tramlines, and closely shaven
	hair are not allowed.
HEAD SCARVES	If a hijab, or other head scarf, is worn, it must be black. Pins or clips must be
TILAD SOATIVES	dark in colour and understated.
	MUST BE WORN
	black and red PE top with the school badge (from the School Outfit). <u>Initials</u>
	are optional.
	Black shorts (available from School Outfit or any provider)
	Red socks (available from School Outfit or any provider)
	 Leggings, if worn for PE, must be the school-approved leggings from the School
	Outfit. Black shorts, from any provider, are the other option. In colder weather,
PE KIT	black trackpants/tracksuit bottoms can be worn.
PERII	OPTIONAL ITEMS
	Black Long sleeve PE top (please check the quick reference guide)
	Black Skort (skirt with in-built shorts)
	For colder weather
	Black Track pants/tracksuit bottoms
	Black Quarter Zip Top
	Black tracksuit bottoms and a black top can be worn in winter and can be
	bought from any provider.
	 Make-up, if used, should be natural and subtly applied. If pupils are wearing
	excessive amounts of make-up, they will be asked to remove it. Should a pupil
	refuse to do this, they will be referred to the reflection room and parents/carers
	will be contacted, so the issue can be quickly resolved.
	Pupils should not re-apply make-up during the school day.
	The make-up policy will be monitored closely; if it is not adhered to, we will
MAKE-UP	revert to a policy of no make-up.
	No nail varnish.
	No false, gel or acrylic nails.
	For the reasons of health and safety, fingernails must be kept short.
	No false eyelashes.
	No brightly coloured eye shadow.
	No brightly coloured lipstick/gloss.
	For reasons of health and safety, we have a no jewellery policy, except for a
	wristwatch.
	Piercings, of any kind, including transparent piercing retainers, are not allowed
JEWELLERY	in school. Please note that pupils will not be allowed to cover piercings with an
JEVVELLERY	Elastoplast or any form of sticky tape. They must be removed, or sanctions will
	be put in place.
	Any piercings should be done at the start of the summer holidays, so they can
	be removed in September.
OTHER	No tattoos
JIIILIN	No lines cut into eyebrows.

If pupils are not wearing the correct uniform, sanctions will apply.

QUICK REFERENCE

ITEM	SCHOOL OUTFIT	SCHOOL OFFICE	ANY OTHER PROVIDER (MUST MEET SCHOOL EXPECTATIONS)	
BLACK BLAZER WITH	✓			
EMBROIDERED BADGE	•			
BLACK BLAZER			_	
WITHOUT BADGE			•	
STITCH ON/IRON ON	✓	_		
SCHOOL BADGE	· 	,		
TIE	✓	✓		
SCHOOL-APPROVED BLACK, PERMANENT PLEAT SKIRT	~		~	
BLACK OPAQUE TIGHTS	✓		✓	
SCHOOL-APPROVED SCHOOL TROUSERS	✓		~	
SHIRT	✓		✓	
BLACK V-NECK JUMPER (OPTIONAL)	~		~	
PLAIN, ALL-BLACK, FORMAL, LEATHER OR LEATHER-STYLE SHOES WHICH CAN BE POLISHED			✓	
	PE UNIF	ORM		
PE TOP	✓			
LEGGINGS (IF WORN)	✓			
BLACK PE SHORTS	✓		✓	
RED PE SOCKS	✓		✓	
	<u>OPTIONAL</u> P	E ITEMS		
BLACK TRACK PANTS	✓		✓	
BLACK LONG SLEEVE PE TOP	✓		Must be the same style and material as the School Outfit (please check their website).	
BLACK (QUARTER) ZIP TOP	✓		✓	
BLACK SKORT	√		✓	
SCHOOL OUTFIT HAVE THE OPTION OF ADDING THE SCHOOL BADGE TO THE TRACK PANTS AND QUARTER ZIP TOP, IF PARENTS WISH TO PURCHASE THOSE, BUT THIS IS OPTIONAL.				

From September, school shoes must be formal school shoes that are all-black, leather and polishable. No trainers, canvas shoes or shoes with canvas on them will be accepted.

Please note that any form of metallic decoration on shoes is not allowed. When buying shoes for next academic year, please bear all of this in mind, as sanctions will apply for incorrect uniform, including footwear.

Shoes that **DO adhere** to our school uniform policy.



Formal school shoes with laces	Formal school shoes without laces	Leather T-bar shoes
Formal school shoes with Velcro	Leather brogues	Leather loafer (no branding)
All-black DM shoes (with no coloured stitching)	Single strap school shoe	Patent leather shoes

This to provide an example. There will be other formal, polishable school shoes available from retailers that meet school requirements.

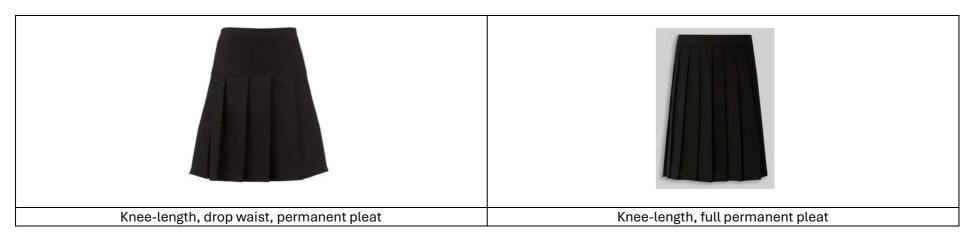




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Air Max 95s (or any style of Nike Air Max)	TN Air Max (or any trainer-style shoe).	Ballet Pump Style shoe (ALL)
Nike Air Force 1	Vans Trainers or any plimsoll- style shoes	DM boots
Leather or fabric converse trainers	Adidas Superstar	Walking boots
Uggs (any style) or any other boots	Any all-black <u>trainers (i.e. not</u> traditional shoes)	Shoes with a high heel

Shoes **must not** have any visible sports branding, such as Nike, Adidas, Converse, Vans or On Cloud.

SCHOOL-APPROVED SKIRT STYLES



NOT ALLOWED



SCHOOL-APPROVED GIRLS' TROUSERS

Trousers below are examples of what is acceptable for school. in terms of material – students should NOT be wearing Lycra style or tight-fitting legging style trousers, flares or sports leggings.



BOYS' SCHOOL-APPROVED TROUSERS



NOT ALLOWED



Signed:

Head Teacher: Mr D R Thompson

Chair of Governors: Mr G Thompson

Ratification Date: 16 July 2025

Date of Next Review: Summer Term 2026