UNIFORM AT WATER ORTON PRIMARY SCHOOL

Uniform is an important aspect of being part of a school or an organisation. Here are some reminders about our uniform policy at Water Orton, including ways that we aim to help keep costs low.

Uniform gives a feeling of belonging together and it shows that regardless of background, children are all treated equally. Some aspects of our uniform expectations are also in place to ensure the safety of everyone.

Uniform makes our children look smart, it teaches children self-discipline and that in life, a good reputation and a positive first impression can make all the difference in being successful.

At Water Orton we do recognise that purchasing uniform can be expensive and, because of this we keep the requirements for branded items to a bare minimum with just a PE t-shirt with house colours required for all.

Other items such as bags, hoodies, jumpers and caps are available from suppliers, but items such as these can also be purchased from most supermarkets too. We just ask that these items match the colour requirements set out in the information below.

The school operates a £50 per year uniform refund for any child who is eligible for Pupil Premium / Free School Meals. Please bring receipts to the office to claim this rebate. We also have a stock of preloved uniform that we can provide to children (at no cost) should this be needed - please do speak to a member of the admin team for any help needed.



OUR UNIFORM

BOYS





- **Dark green** jumper or sweatshirt
- **Black** trousers or shorts
- **Black or white** socks
- **Plain white** polo shirt or collared shirt
- Plain black **shoes** (no other colours, patterns or logos.
  No trainers allowed).

GIRLS











- **Dark green** cardigan, jumper or sweatshirt
- **Plain black** skirt, or pinafore dress **OR**
- **Plain black** trousers
- **Black or white** socks or black tights
- **Plain white** polo shirt or collared shirt
- Summer dresses
  (or skorts) in **green gingham check**
- **Plain black low-heeled shoes.**
- Sandals acceptable if toes are enclosed.
  No trainers allowed

HEADWEAR

- **School caps** with or without neckshade are available from uniform suppliers.



SPORTS KIT



Children should continue to wear their sports kit and trainers on PE days.

- PE t-shirt in **emerald green for everyone**, with 'Water Orton' in the appropriate house colour: yellow for Overton, red for Salisbury and blue for Wakefield.

  PLEASE NOTE THAT THIS IS THE ONLY SPECIFIC ITEM OF SCHOOL UNIFORM THAT IS COMPULSORY – ALL PUPILS MUST HAVE A PE T SHIRT WITH THEIR HOUSE COLOUR LOGO

- A pair of black shorts.
- Green sports socks - optional.
- **Proper trainers** (not pumps or hi-tops).
- **Hoodies** in black or dark green should be purchased for colder weather as well as **black jogging bottoms or leggings**. School hoodies with Logos are available from our suppliers but they are not compulsory.





It is important to have the right sports kit for safety reasons and also so that they can clearly be seen to belong to a particular house on sports days, in lessons and in other school events.

New children will be allocated a 'house' when they start school, which will indicate which colour 'Water Orton' wording to buy. This house colour will not change and would normally apply to all siblings.





Jewellery: Jewellery must not be worn to school. Children with pierced ears may wear studs, but in order to comply with health and safety guidance, these will need to be covered over or removed during PE lessons. No other jewellery is permitted in school. **Please note that no hoop or dangling earrings are allowed in school.**

Hair: To avoid accidents or the spread of head lice, we ask that children with long hair have it tied back.

Wellies: As we spend time in OPAL all year round, it is helpful to have a pair of wellies for each child to help keep footwear clean. We would be grateful if you could provide a pair of wellies to keep in school. Please ensure they are clearly labelled. We do have some spare wellies in school so please speak to us if you would like us to check whether we have any in your child's size.

PLEASE NAME ALL ITEMS of uniform and equipment.

WHERE TO BUY SCHOOL UNIFORM

PB SPORTS

PB Sports is a local company, based in Fordbridge, off Cooks Lane, in the Chelmsley Wood Industrial Estate.

PB Sports offer good value and the opportunity to:

- Take your child to try uniform for size
- Order online and collect, or purchase from shop.

PB Sports, Unit 8, Chelmsley Wood Industrial Estate, Waterloo Avenue, Birmingham B37 6QQ

Tel: 0121 770 8000

Order online:www.pbsportonline.co.uk

Email: info@pbsports.co.uk

HYPERBOLE

Matt and Jayne Rea, who live in the village, offer high quality jumpers & cardigans plus all other uniform items.

Parents can also order both Tree House and school clothing online through their website.

Hyperbole offer:

- Quick, easy & secure online ordering
- Easy collection from the centre of Water Orton
- The chance to try uniform for size within the village.

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Email: uniform@hyperbole-ltd.co.uk