

Eastbrook School



UNIFORM POLICY

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PRIMARY SCHOOL UNIFORM

School uniform is an important part of belonging to the Eastbrook community. We believe that the smart appearance of pupils is an important part of their schooling. We expect pupils not only to adhere to the full uniform requirements, but also to be concerned about, and take a pride in their general appearance, conforming to the standards laid down by the school. Pupils should remember that correct uniform must be worn to and from school as well as whilst in school.

If a child arrives at school in the incorrect uniform, the parent/carer will be contacted and asked to bring the correct uniform to school for their child.

Main Uniform

Eastbrook Primary knitted jumper or cardigan (bottle green with two gold stripes).

Black tailored school trousers / plain black pleated knee length school skirt.

White polo shirt (preferably with school crest).

Black shoes or all-black trainers (no colours at all are allowed).

Plain black socks or plain black tights.

PE Kit

Green PE T-Shirt with Yellow school logo (Khalsa Schoolwear).

Plain black shorts, plain black sports leggings, or plain black tracksuit/jogging bottoms

Black plimsolls, or plain black trainers.

Summer Uniform

Green and white checked dress (Summer term only).

Black tailored shorts (not combat style).

Summer tights/socks – white (if worn with summer dress).

Clarifications

Plain black tailored school trousers / plain black pleated knee length school skirt.

A range of these school skirts are available from our uniform supplier (Khalsa Schoolwear is online only <https://khalsaschoolwear.co.uk/school/eastbrook-school-secondary/>) and we strongly advise that they are purchased from here.

Jeans, jean style trousers, tracksuit bottoms and leggings are not allowed.

Eastbrook Primary knitted jumper or cardigan. These are available from Khalsa Schoolwear. Sweatshirts and hoodies are not allowed. Plain green jumpers from

supermarkets are also not allowed.

White polo top (preferably with school crest) Crested polo shirt are available from Khalsa Schoolwear. Other plain white polo tops are also acceptable. Shirts must be tucked in at all times.

Black shoes or all-black trainers. These must be plain black with black laces or a strap; no stripes, no logos, no white or coloured band around the sole. Shoes should be low-heeled. No board style, deck style, or canvas trainers are allowed; no high-tops or plimsolls (except as part of the PE kit).

Black socks or black tights. All socks must be black. Girls' socks must be plain black and below the knee. Tights must be plain black, not patterned.

Other

Pupils who wish to wear a hijab or other headscarf should ensure it is plain black, white or bottle green.

Headbands must be single width, plain black or bottle green.

Scrunchies, bows and all head-dressing must be plain black or bottle green.

Nail Varnish is NOT allowed in school.

Jewellery: Watches are allowed. However, no smart watches are permitted in school. Earrings must be studded or small loops. No other jewellery is allowed. The school is not responsible for any items of jewellery that may be lost on site.

Belts should be plain black, single width with no large buckles.

Pupils may wear any scarf or gloves / sunhat or sunglasses, on the way to and from school or at breaks. These must not be worn anywhere inside the school building.

Water bottle – please provide your child with a water bottle each day.

Equipment

There is no need for any pupil to bring their own stationery as this is provided by the school.

Second Hand Uniform

As a school we collect uniform from families that have outgrown what they have. If you would like any items from our stock of donated uniform, please contact the office.

SECONDARY SCHOOL UNIFORM

School uniform is an important part of belonging to the Eastbrook community. We believe that the smart appearance of students is an important part of their schooling. This is because education is the preparation for life beyond school and the world of work. We encourage a professional environment, where smart dress and appearance is paramount and indicative of the high expectations we have of ourselves. We expect students not only to adhere to the full uniform requirements, but also to be concerned about, and take pride in their general appearance, conforming to the standards expected by the school. Students should remember that correct uniform must be worn to and from school, as well as whilst in school.

Our policy on uniform is based on the notion that school uniform:

- engenders a sense of community and belonging to the School;
- is practical and smart and ensures that pupils are not treated differently due to the clothes that they choose to wear;
- promotes a sense of identity with the School;
- promotes a sense of pride in the School.

Any student not adhering to the uniform policy may receive one or some of the following sanctions until the uniform issues are corrected, such as:

- Parents will be requested to bring required items to school for their child.
- Removal from the general school population and supervised for all lessons and including break time and lunch time.
- Confiscation and parent collection of items that are not school uniform.

Equipment

All students require a **school bag** which will allow for A4+ sized books to fit inside without the edges becoming damaged. There are a number of items that a student needs in order to be able to take a full and active part in learning. All students should pack their bag with the following items every night:

- **Knowledge Organiser**
- **Pencil case** with the following contents: 2 x black writing pens, 1 x green writing pen, 2 x highlighter pens, 2 x sharpened pencils, 1 x rubber, 1 x ruler.
- **Books/folders** for that day
- **Current reading book**

Key Stage 3 and 4 COMPULSORY UNIFORM

Item	Compulsory	Banned Items
Footwear	Plain black polishable shoes.	Trainers, sports shoes (unless for PE), flip flops, Crocs, sliders, Ugg Boots or similar casual footwear.
Trousers & Skirts	Plain black smart trousers or knee length pleated or ankle length skirt.	Denim fabric or tight-fitting garments are not accepted, as well as combat trousers, cropped or $\frac{3}{4}$ length trousers, leggings, shorts, or other casual trousers.
Tops	White school shirt (long or short-sleeved).	Vest tops, t-shirts, polo shirts.
Tie	Eastbrook School Tie.	Other ties or scarves in place of the school tie.
Blazer	Black school blazer with the school badge on pocket.	
Outerwear	Warm plain-coloured coats and hats. Plain scarf.	Hoodies, tech fleeces, brightly coloured puffer jackets, baseball caps, hats, durags and other non-religious head wear.
Jewellery	Studded earrings only and one nose stud permitted.	Rings and bracelets are not permitted for health and safety reasons. Jewellery must be removed during sports lessons.
PE Kit	White polo top, plain black shorts or tracksuit bottoms. Sports socks.	

OTHER ITEMS

Items	Permitted	Not Permitted
Clothing	Plain black smart V-neck jumper or cardigan. Black jumper for PE. Long sleeved black or white top to wear underneath PE top. Football boots.	A jumper or cardigan of any other colour, or with a pattern, design or logo.
Religious Items	Black headwear. Tie must remain visible if wearing a hijab.	Patterned or coloured headwear.
Make Up & Hair	Natural eye lashes and natural/minimal make up. Natural nails. Natural hair styles.	False eye lashes, false nails, extreme hairstyles.

SIXTH FORM COMPULSORY UNIFORM

Item	Compulsory	Banned Items
Footwear	Plain black polishable shoes.	Trainers, sports shoes (unless for PE), flip flops, Crocs, sliders, Ugg Boots or similar casual footwear.
Trousers & Skirts	Plain black smart trousers or skirt.	Denim fabric or tight-fitting garments are not accepted, as well as combat trousers, cropped or $\frac{3}{4}$ length trousers, leggings, shorts, or other casual trousers.
Tops	White collared shirt (long or short-sleeved) or white blouse. Plain black smart jumper.	Vest tops, t-shirts, polo shirts.
Outerwear	Warm plain-coloured coats and hats. Plain scarf.	Hoodies, tech fleeces, brightly coloured puffer jackets, baseball caps, hats, durags and other non-religious head wear.
Jewellery	Studded earrings only and one nose stud permitted.	Rings and bracelets are not permitted for health and safety reasons. Jewellery must be removed during sports lessons.

OTHER ITEMS

Items	Permitted	Not Permitted
Religious Items	Black or white headwear. a black Abaya can be worn but a blazer must be worn on top.	Patterned or coloured headwear.
Make Up & Hair	Natural eye lashes and natural/ minimal make up. Natural nails. Natural hair styles.	False eye lashes, false nails, extreme hairstyles.
Electronic devices	Using personal electronic devices is permitted at break and lunch times in the sixth form area.	Use of these devices around the school, outside of the sixth form area.

WHERE CAN SECOND HAND UNIFORM BE PURCHASED?

Second hand uniform is provided to students free of charge, on a case by case basis, via the pastoral support team, please contact Mr Jason Akande the Behaviour and Inclusion Lead for more support:

akandej@eastbrookschoo.org

IS UNIFORM SEASONAL?

Our primary school uniform is seasonal. Students can wear the school summer dress or school summer shorts during the final term of the academic year.

Our secondary school uniform is not seasonal and the same items and rules apply all year round. Students may wear items such as gloves and hats outside, but students are expected to wear the same uniform when in class, regardless of the season. In particularly, hot weather the Headteacher may decide to permit students not to wear blazers.