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Ysgol Bae Baglan

# Ysgol Bae Baglan School Uniform Policy

MONITORING AND EVALUATION OF POLICY

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Chairman.....

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## Uniform Policy

The Governing Body and staff at Ysgol Bae Baglan believe that the wearing of full school uniform is expected as an integral part of the school ethos which promotes positive attitudes and behaviour, high standards and a sense of personal pride.

It also ensures that all pupils look the same which is extremely important for safeguarding, removes the stigma in terms of what to wear thus providing an identity for all and it also makes it much easier for parents to see that their children are dressed appropriately each day. We therefore ask for parent/guardian support in promoting the importance of uniform and appearance.

## Uniform Grants

You may be eligible for a grant to help with the purchase of school uniform and equipment for your child if you are on a low income. Please click [here](#) for information on eligibility and the online application form.

## The school uniform code

The school uniform code is clearly stated in the school prospectus and the home school agreement. The details below comprise the uniform requirements:

**Please note that pupils not wearing the correct uniform will be asked to remove non-uniform items and defiance could result in pupils not attending lessons and parents will be asked to ensure full uniform at all times. Continued defiance of this could lead to other more significant actions.**

## Secondary Phase

Jumper	Grey school jumper printed with the school badge. Only available from Sportec.
Shirt	White shirt/blouse with traditional collar
Tie	School tie. Only available from Sportec.
Trousers	Plain black trousers - <b>jeans, cords, tracksuit bottoms, leggings or jeggings are not permitted.</b>
Skirt	Black.
Shoes	Black shoes. All-black trainers (black soles, black laces & stitching).
All outerwear	All outerwear, including hoodies, must be removed in the classroom.

## Primary Phase

Sweatshirt Crew neck sweatshirt or cardigan with school badge Only available from Sportec.

Polo shirt White.

Trousers Plain black / grey trousers or black / grey jogging bottoms.

Skirt / pinafore Black or grey

All outerwear All outerwear, including hoodies, must be removed when indoors.

In the summer pupils may wear gingham style dresses, lilac and white in colour or black shorts.

## Physical Education

PE kit is only available exclusively from Sportec.

## Secondary Phase

- School's PE top, shorts, skirt or leggings.
- Rugby jersey.
- Purple games socks.
- Trainers, football / rugby boots

## Primary Phase

### Reception to Year 4

- Purple T-shirt
- Black shorts, skirts or jogging bottoms

### Year 5 and 6

- School's PE top, shorts, skirt or leggings.
- Rugby jersey.
- Purple games socks.
- Trainers, football / rugby boots

School jumpers, tie and P.E. kit can be purchased online from Sportec by clicking [here](#) or by visiting the store in Neath Abbey.

In order to minimise costs where possible, parents are free to buy non-branded items from any leading high street store and these include items such as coats, trousers, shirts, blouses, skirts and shoes.

Jewellery is not allowed in school however a watch and a single set of stud earrings are permitted. If makeup is worn by a pupil then it must be unobtrusive.

**The school's decision on uniform is final. If parents are concerned about whether a particular item / style is suitable then they should contact the school for advice before buying or sending their child to school.**

## Hot weather

In excessively hot weather the school will inform parents and pupils that they may wear their full PE kit as an alternative to the normal school uniform. Parents will be informed via the school's social media channels prior to this change. Sports clothing or shorts that are not YBB PE kit will not be permitted.

This does away with the need for parents to buy additional school clothing, reinforces the PE kit and reduces the impact of non-school clothing.

## Hairstyles and colouring

Parents should be aware that we do not permit extremes of fashion in students' hairstyles. Added hair colours must be natural and subtle (bright colours including shades of red, and dip dying, are not permitted). Hair braiding is only acceptable without beads or accessories. Patterns cut into hair or eyebrows are not acceptable. Students who have shoulder length hair, or longer, may be required to tie it back for health and safety reasons and/or if it obscures the face.

## Reasonable adjustments

Any reasonable adjustments to uniform must be agreed in advance with our ALN team.

Uniform and P.E. kit available from Sportec.

## Secondary Phase



## Primary Phase



## Examples of acceptable footwear (not exhaustive)



## Examples of unacceptable footwear (not exhaustive)

