

Uniform Policy



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It is the policy of the school that all children wear a uniform. We strongly encourage the wearing of a uniform as it can play a key role in:

- promoting the ethos of the school
- providing a sense of belonging and identity
- setting an appropriate tone for education

Parents/carers are requested to provide their children with the school uniform and ensure that it is worn every day. Please ensure everything belonging to your child is clearly marked with their name. Uniform grants are available through the EA. Parents/carers should contact the school if they require assistance with applying for this.

School uniform consists of the following:

All Pupils	
Girls – Year 1-7 Blue Polo Shirt Navy skirt or pinafore Thornfield Sweatshirt White Knee Socks Black Shoes	Boys – Year 1-7 Blue Polo Shirt Grey Trousers Thornfield Sweatshirt Grey Socks Black Shoes
Girls – Year 8-12 Blue Long Sleeved Shirt Navy A Line Skirt Navy v-necked pullover School Blazer School Tie White Knee Socks/Black Tights Black Shoes	Boys – Year 8-12 Blue Long Sleeved Shirt Grey Trousers Navy v-necked pullover School Blazer School Tie Grey Socks Black Shoes
Physical Education Blue t-shirt Navy Shorts Gym Shoes/Trainers Swimsuit/Swimming shorts Towel for showers and swimming	

Please see separate jewellery policy on the wearing of jewellery

Sensory issues

We understand that some of the children at THS can have sensory issues and therefore some materials and items of clothing can cause problems. THS will treat each case regarding the wearing of uniform sensitively and make reasonable adjustments where possible.

Labelling

School staff encourage good organisation of clothing and footwear, for example, designated spaces for children to keep belongings in and checking of labels. However, all pupils' clothing and footwear must be clearly labelled with their name. Clothing and footwear are the responsibility of the pupil and not the school. If a child goes home in another child's clothing by accident, for example, their jumper, parents/carers should send the clothing not belonging to them back into school to their child's class teacher. Any lost clothing is to be taken to the lost property box. All lost property is retained and recycled if not claimed.