



Treverbyn Academy

Uniform Policy

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Person responsible for implementation: Head of School

Governor responsible for oversight: LB

School Uniform and Appearance Policy

Our School Uniform is important to us. It is one way in which we identify ourselves as a school family and it promotes a strong, cohesive school identity which supports high standards and expectations in all areas of school life. It promotes harmony between different groups represented in the school, and it enhances security, assisting the school to identify individual pupils in order to maintain good order and spot intruders more easily.

Smartness and high standards of appearance are expected at all times.

At Treverbyn Academy, we believe that a school uniform is important, because it:

- ◆ looks smart
- ◆ wears well
- ◆ contributes to a sense of belonging
- ◆ gives a common purpose
- ◆ fosters a feeling of pride
- ◆ makes children feel equal to their peers in terms of appearance
- ◆ has been designed with health & safety in mind

All children should wear the uniform and we encourage them to maintain an acceptable standard of clean and tidy dress in school.

Our School Uniform

Winter uniform:

Grey / black pinafore dress or skirt
Dark grey or black trousers. Please note that leggings should not be worn instead of trousers
Plain black or grey tights
White polo shirt / white shirt or blouse
School jumper or cardigan, school sweatshirt or school fleece

Summer uniform:

As winter *or*
Pale blue and white striped or checked dress
Black / dark grey shorts
White, grey or black socks

Footwear

Flat, smart black shoes or smart black trainers with no markings/other colours. School shoes should be suitable for both indoors and active play outdoors. Plain black, grey or white socks or tights. Open-toed sandals should not be worn, even in the Summer Term.

Boots: Boots can be worn into school during inclement weather but must then be



changed for shoes. School shoes should be practical for both indoors and outdoors.
All items of footwear should be identified with the child's name.

Parents and carers are reminded that children often sit cross legged in school, therefore skirts should be chosen to ensure children can do this comfortably and without embarrassment.

Treverbyn Academy uniform is available to order from the school office.

All items of uniform clothing should be identified with the child's name.

Outdoor clothing

Children should bring a coat to school each day, apart from during the hotter weather. The school fleece is not a replacement for a coat.

All coats should be identified with the child's name.

P.E. and Games Kit

Children need to have their P.E. kit in school every day. If they do not have the correct P.E. kit in school, they will not be able to participate in the lesson. A letter will be sent home to parents. Teachers will keep a log of children who are without the correct kit.

For health and safety reasons, it is essential that children are dressed appropriately for any physical activity. Appropriate footwear is essential: trainers or plimsolls should be worn, or bare feet for gymnastics only. Uniform may vary depending on the age of the children, the type of P.E. (i.e. Games, Dance, Gymnastics, Athletics) and where the lesson takes place, for example on the school field, in the playground or in the Hall. Footwear and clothing should reflect the level of activity: for example, Year 6 would need the full kit, whereas Reception Class children may just need plimsolls as the lessons are often shorter.

Black shorts (plain)

Plain black tracksuit trousers may be worn for outdoor P.E. during the Autumn term only.

Plain white T-shirt (separate from the school shirt)

Trainers, separate to those worn for school. If they are lace up trainers, children need to be able to tie them independently.

Socks (tights not to be worn)

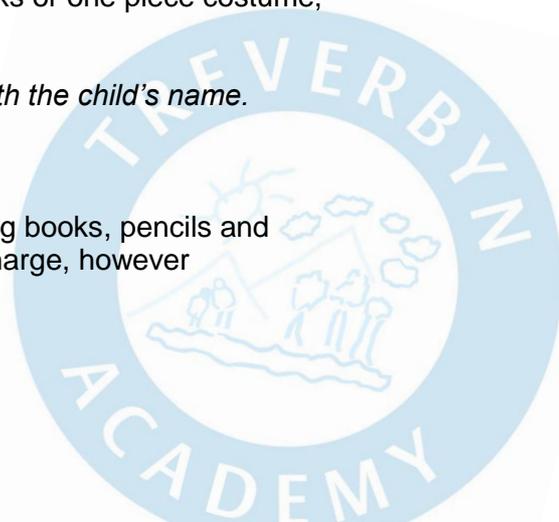
All items of PE clothing should be identified with the child's name.

Children who go swimming need a towel, swimming trunks or one piece costume, cap and brush or comb, carried in a waterproof bag.

All swimming kit – including towel should be identified with the child's name.

Bags and belongings

All children are given a book bag for carrying their reading books, pencils and belongings. These are initially given to children free of charge, however replacements can be bought from the school office.



All bags/ reading folders should be identified with the child's name.

Fashion Items/Other

For safety reasons, children are not permitted to wear jewellery in school. This includes earrings, however, if ears have been pierced, stud earrings may be worn, but should be removed for P.E. If a child needs to wear a piece of jewellery for medical or religious reasons, it should be removed or covered up during physical activity.

Children come to school to learn. We believe that fashion items are best kept for home, and for reasons such as health, safety and inclusion, fashion accessories such as make-up, nail polish, hair gel, jewellery other than stud earrings and watches, should not be worn. Appropriate 'legionnaire' style sunhats should be worn outside during sunny weather.

Long hair on both girls and boys, should be tied back neatly. This is not only for reasons of smartness, and health and safety, but also to prevent the spread of headlice.

Non-Compliance with the School Uniform Policy

The Principal may discipline a pupil for breach of the Uniform/Appearance Policy, and may ask a pupil to go home to remedy a breach of the school's rules on uniform or appearance. In such a case, parents will be notified and any absence associated with this will be recorded as 'authorised'.

Lost Uniform

Treverbyn Academy cannot be responsible for lost uniform. For this reason it is critical that clothing is clearly labelled so it can be returned to the owner rather than becoming 'lost property'.

Any lost property will be stored in a container in the office children are welcome to check through this during the school day, and parents after school at the discretion of the office. Any lost property unclaimed by the end of each half term will be disposed of.

