



Uniform Policy

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Introduction

Students attending The Ferns Primary Academy are expected to wear the appropriate uniform. This currently means:

We encourage the children to take pride in their appearance. The school uniform is:

- a jade green, badged with school logo, sweatshirt /cardigan
- a gold/yellow polo shirt,
- choice of either trousers, pinafores or skirt in grey
- sensible black shoes – not trainers.
- black socks for boys
- white socks for girls
- reversible waterproof, badged with school logo, fleece in bottle green
- winter hat in bottle green, badged with school logo/ hijab in bottle green or black [as required]
- Hair accessories, such as bobbles, should be green, gold or black and of a reasonable size. Extreme haircuts, such as shaved lines/patterns are not part of school uniform.

Bags:

- Book bag, badged with school logo, in bottle green
- Drawstring gym bag, badged with school logo, in bottle green

During warm weather the uniform for girls and boys in addition to the above would include:

- Girls gingham dress in bottle green or yellow
- Grey shorts or culottes
- Sun hat - bottle green badged with school logo

The PE kit consists of grey jogging bottoms, a yellow t-shirt (both with school logo) and black pumps. The PE Kit should be kept in a draw-string bag and should be brought to school at the start of each half term and taken home for washing during the school holidays.

Please ensure that your child's name is in all their clothes.

Expectations for Wearing Uniform

Having a uniform demonstrates that students are a member of the academy community and therefore The Ferns Primary Academy has high expectations for how the uniform is worn and a catchphrase ***“be smart think smart”***

In order to maintain a high standard of dress staff will check uniform daily. If pupils are not wearing correct uniform, then pupils will be asked to remove or replace items as appropriate. Where necessary, parents will be contacted to bring replacement items into school immediately.

If there is a reason your child can not wear full school uniform, please contact the school office before the beginning of the school day to give reasons why. Could we please ask for your full support to maintain a high standard of school uniform at all times.

Additional Points

Students should not:

- Wear outside clothing in assembly/ lesson times and on the corridors, this includes overcoats, jackets, hoodies, hats, gloves.

The only exception to this will be at the Principal's discretion in severely inclement weather.

