

School Uniform Policy

At Harrold Primary Academy, we have a 'feel smart-think smart' approach to school uniform to encourage students to have a positive self-image and have pride in representing the school.

Uniform should be worn correctly on the way to and from school.

All Year Groups – Year R – 6

- School jumper or cardigan
- Shirt School navy blue polo shirt or white open neck blouse or polo shirt. Year 6 classic white shirts
- Ties Year 6 only (school supply)
- Trousers Black/Grey
- Skirt or Pinafore Royal (Blue) Tartan Pinafore (Prestwick) Royal (Blue) Tartan skirt (Skye) Royal (Blue) Tartan skirt (Kelso)
- Socks Navy blue tights / black or grey or white socks
- Traditional school shoes Black or Navy Flat heeled and enclosed (no open toes)

Optional – Reversible school weatherproof jacket or/and Knitted school hat

Summer - Easter to July

- Blue / White gingham summer dress
- Boys/Girls Schoolwear shorts black

Bookbag and PE bag. No rucksacks.

PE

Indoor

- School sky blue polo top
- Navy shadow Stripe Shorts
- Plimsols or trainers

Outdoor

Navy school sweatshirt



- Navy shadow stripe shorts
- Navy jogging bottoms
- Navy blue skort
- Plimsols or trainers

Our uniform requirements are listed below. We expect that uniform will be clean, smart and worn in a traditional manner, avoiding extremes of fashion.

Jewellery:

- A watch
- One small sleeper or stud earring in each ear must be removed for PE or covered with a plaster
- No large bows or hair adornments flat/plain navy hairbands or bobbles only.

Make-Up:

- No make-up is to be worn by pupils
- Nail varnish is not permitted

Haircuts / Styles:

- No hair dye allowed
- No tramlines or patterns should be shaved into hair/eyebrows
- Hair should be cut to a minimum of a grade 2
- Undercuts are not permitted

Supplementary information/guidelines

- By "clean and smart", we mean regularly washed/cleaned and in good order/state of repair.
- By "extremes of fashion", we mean any style of clothing, footwear or makeup that is not considered traditional school uniform.
- By "trousers", we mean traditional trousers, not jeans, denim, or skin-tight trousers, and not leggings.
- By "shoes", we mean a traditional shoe, not trainers.
- In the colder months, boots can be worn. These must be flat heeled and with an appropriate grip.

In addition, we would advise that all valuable items and/or those of sentimental value be left at home to avoid loss or damage.



Where a student is not upholding the school's uniform policy, they may be asked to remove the item(s) concerned and they should comply with this reasonable request.

Interpretation of the uniform policy rests with the Academy Principal whose decision is final.

School Uniform List

Harrold Primary Academy school uniform is available from Essential Schoolwear, a firm based in Harpenden, using their online ordering and purchasing system. A personal account has to be set up to access the order form. Deliveries of orders may be to the home for a delivery charge or free delivery to the primary school during term time arriving on a fortnightly basis.

Parents / Carers create an account with Essential Schoolwear through their website https://www.essentialschoolwear.com







Register an account to purchase school uniform





Once an account has been created, you will access Harrold Primary Academy uniform page.

Delivery can be to home (delivery charge may apply) or to school (free elivery).

HOME / WORK DELIVERIES

Uniform Delivery is usually made between 2 - 5 working days, however, in busy times up to 10 working days should be allowed for delivery.

The following postage charges apply for this service:

Up to £20 (nett) - £2.95 £21 - £49 (nett) - £3.95 £50 and over - Free of charge.

FREE SCHOOL DELIVERIES

A delivery is made to the school every two weeks in term time.

The delivery will arrive at the school on the Thursday/Friday of the chosen week. In order to take advantage of this service, the order is placed by Thursday of the previous week. Delivery cannot be guaranteed of orders received after this date and may therefore roll into the following delivery.

If parents wish uniform to be delivered earlier, or during school holidays, they should choose the home delivery option.