



Uniform Guide 2023-24

What should my child wear at the Academy?

Tudor Grange Primary Academy St James are very proud of the standards it maintains with uniform. This is achieved through the partnership between the Academy and home. To enable you to support the Academy the full uniform requirements are listed below:

EYFS Uniform



Bottle green sweatshirts with school logo*

Non branded items:

- Grey trousers/shorts/skirts/pinafores
- Plain grey tights or socks (can be short or long but must not go over the knee).

Additional Early Years Items:

- Indoor pumps
- Wellies



School Book Bag* (no backpacks for EYFS)

Separate bag for spare clothes, which could be a school pump bag (a school branded version of this item can be purchased through MCAS and collected from the school office) or another bag fit for purpose. Bags should be of a discreet colour and design. This bag will stay at school during the week.

*available from SWI/Midland Schoolwear Only



White polo shirt with school logo*

Uniform – Year 1 – 6



Academy Blazer *

Academy V-neck with double stripe*

Academy clip-on-tie*

Non branded items:

- White school shirt must be able to be buttoned up to collar, and with enough material allowance to remain tucked into the waistband. Short or long sleeve
- Grey skirt, trousers or shorts (no pinafores)
- Plain grey tights or socks (can be short or long but must not go over the knee).

Summer Uniform

As part of our summer school uniform pupils are able to wear bottle green, gingham summer dresses throughout the summer months. Plain white socks must be worn with summer dresses.

Bag

Pupils should bring **either** a school bookbag or a backpack. Backpacks can be of the school design, or a bag fit for purpose. Bags should be of a discreet colour and design.







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PE (Nursery to Year 6)





Academy sports top*

Academy shadow stripe shorts*

Plain black / dark grey / bottle green tracksuit pants (not leggings) and / or sweatshirt / hoodie with no obvious branding are acceptable for outdoor PE in cold weather. These do not replace the sports top / shorts which must be worn underneath.

Trainers for outdoor games

Pupils will come to school in their PE kit on their PE days.

Pupils from Year 3 only will require the following for Swimming Lessons:

Swimming costume Swimming cap for students with long hair Swimming goggle Towel Waterproof bag

Nonparticipation

If students are unable to participate in a practical lesson they will be expected to come in their kit and assume an officiating or other supporting role, which does not compromise their health.

Shoes (Nursery to Year 6)

Smart **black** shoes must be worn. Boots, trainers or sandals must not be worn. Shoes must have buckle, lace or Velcro fastenings and must not be slip on. Children must be able to do up their own shoes. The styles indicated below are suggestions of what is permitted.



Coats

Outdoor coat, plain in colour, with no obvious logos, branding, stripes, slogans or designs. A minimal fur trim is acceptable. Hoodies and sleeveless coats are not permitted.

Jewellery

In the interests of safety and security children should not wear jewellery. If earrings are worn, only one pair of plain gold/silver studs are permitted. These should be removed at home for PE, games and swimming. We advise that piercings, if desired, take place at the beginning of the summer holidays. This will allow enough time before the piercings are removed for the above activities from September onwards.

Hairstyles

Extreme hairstyles, cut and colour are not allowed on any occasion. Examples of extreme hairstyles would include close shaved (less than a number 2 cut), or decoratively shaved. Two tone colouring, extensive highlighting and decorative braiding are not allowed.

Hair below the collar must be tied back and hair ties, if worn, should be black, dark brown or bottle green. All hair accessories, including hairbands and slides, should be of a discreet size and must be either black, dark brown or bottle green.

The school supports and welcomes pupils with afro-textured hair to wear their hair in styles which promote the maintenance and upkeep, without fear of penalisation.

Turbans

Black, dark grey or dark bottle green in colour.

Hijabs

Black, dark grey or dark bottle green in colour. To be pinned under the chin to stay on the head comfortably.

Hats

Plain black or dark hats, or school branded cap / beanie (school branded versions of these items can be purchased through MCAS and collected from the school office). Hats permitted only during extreme weather.

Please name every item of your child's belongings (including clothing, shoes, and bags) to avoid loss and to enable your child to locate their belongings independently.