# Polisi Gwisg Ysgol School Uniform Policy

## Ysgol Y Faenol



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#### 1. Introduction

It is school policy that all children wear school uniform when attending school or when participating in a school organised event outside normal school hours. This policy was written having considered the Welsh Government School uniform and appearance: policy guidance for governing bodies.

The policy for school uniform is based on the notion that school uniform:

- promotes a sense of pride in the school;
- engenders a sense of community and belonging towards the school;
- is practical and smart;
- makes children feel equal to their peers in terms of appearance;
- is regarded as suitable wear for school and is considered by parents/carers as good value for money.

The school uniform policy is an integral part of the school's commitment to equality and inclusion. The governing body believes the school uniform policy allows all pupils to establish a shared identity and celebrate what they have in common, whilst respecting diversity.

If in doubt, please check with the school office before purchasing items for wear in school.

#### 2. The School Uniform

We encourage parents / carers to purchase a school uniform from nursery age onwards. The uniform includes the following;

- trousers / skirt grey or black
- Shoes black
- polo shirt Jade
- sweatshirt Royal Blue

During the summer term, pupils may choose to wear a jade or blue summer skirt/dress or shorts and suitable sandals if they wish.

## **Physical Education**

Black shorts, White T shirt / polo shirt. Black plimsolls or trainers.

### 3. Naming of uniform and lost property

Please make sure that all your child's clothes are clearly marked with the child's name. Shoes and plimsolls should also have names written inside. The school will endeavour to reunite lost named items with their owners. Unnamed lost property will be disposed of at the end of term or recycled.

#### 4. Footwear

We encourage the children to wear black shoes for school. We believe that this contributes positively towards their appearance while attending school. School shoes must be shoes: no trainers. Shoes must be safe and sensible for playground and indoor use. No narrow or raised heels, 'Sliders', Flip-Flops or 'Crocs' are allowed.





## 5. Hair and jewellery

The colouring of hair is not a part of the school's uniform. The school is not a fashion show either. We ask parents to make every effort to respect this rule. Only 'studs' are allowed in terms of earrings. These should be removed for physical education lessons and activities. When required, unusual hairstyles will be discussed with parents.

Nails should be short, no false nails/ acrylic nails to be worn.

As a school, we have the right to decide on what is and what is not acceptable to wear in school. If for religious reasons, children are required to wear any special items of clothing, then this will be discussed with parents / carers in a sensitive and sensible way.

