

Endeavour Primary Academy

Uniform and Equipment Policy

ENDEAVOUR PRIMARY ACADEMY UNIFORM AND EQUIPMENT POLICY AND CODE

The children at the Endeavour Primary Academy are proud of being a part of the school.

Endeavour Academy believes that uniform:

- Enhances this feeling of belonging
- Promotes a sense of pride
- Supports the school's commitment to inclusion
- Prevents the inevitable loss of self-esteem caused to individual children should a
 family not be able or willing to provide the newest, most expensive or most
 fashionable clothing and equipment.
- Is considered to be good value for money

Parents/carers will ensure all pupils from Nursery through to Year 6 are required to wear the school uniform and follow the uniform and equipment code.

Please find below a detailed uniform list outlining the uniform expectations at Endeavour Academy:



Children must only wear plain black, grey or white socks/tights.

School sweatshirts and cardigans can be purchased from local suppliers - Kids Stop, JFC sports

School Shoes

Parents/carers will ensure that their children will wear sensible, safe, black school shoes (with no heels over $\frac{1}{2}$ ") Please note that no other shoes are permitted.

During times of snow pupils may wear boots or wellingtons to school but once in school they must put on school shoes.

School shoe examples (leather or leather look)



Unsuitable shoe examples (includes any branded sportswear)



Equipment

Water bottles

Sports bottle or flip lid straw water bottles are preferred. Bottles for the classroom must be transparent and brought into school empty. Your child will be given time to fill their bottles once they arrive in the morning.



Book bags

Book bags are recommended to carry reading books and homework. No other bags are needed and are not permitted as space in cloakrooms is limited.



Parents/carers will ensure that their children wear the correct school uniform.

Parents/carers will ensure that their children do not wear jewellery to school except small studs for pierced ears. Only one pair of stud earrings can be worn at a time. Earrings must be removed for P.E and swimming. Simple analogue watches may be worn. Digital and smart watches are not permitted.

Parents/carers will ensure that their children wear only plain, simple watches to school.

The school does not allow any branded sportswear except trainers for PE.

Parents/carers will ensure that their children with long hair will have it tied back tidily with a sensible, soft fastening bobble, in particular for PE.

The school does not allow extreme hairstyles.

Clothing and hair accessories should be kept to the school colours of green, purple, black, grey or white. Hair accessories must be kept to a minimum and must be of a small size.

Hijab's may be worn, they should be dark blue or black and non-embellished. They must remove them for PE sessions to comply with the health and safety regulations.

Reading books and recording books (e.g.: reading, homework/reading record, etc.,) are provided by school however, should a reading book be lost or damaged a charge of £3.00 per book will be payable. If a homework or reading recording book goes missing or is damaged then a charge of £1 will be payable for its replacement.

Parents will ensure that their children do not wear varnish on finger or toe nails. False nails of any type are not allowed for health and safety reasons.

No medicine should ever be brought to school by the children. Parents should bring in any medication and complete a form at the front office

No toys or personal property such as stationery should be brought to school. Property brought into school will be taken to the school office and parents will be asked to collect them.

No money should be brought to school unless for a specific permissible purpose as notified by the school. In the case school have given children permission to bring money to school, it should be sent in a clearly marked envelope with the pupil's name and amount enclosed and what it's for written on the front.

All school uniform and equipment should be clearly labelled.

If children need to carry a **mobile phone** when walking to/from school they must be handed into the school office for the duration of the day. An authorisation permission form needs to be completed by parents.

PE Kits

Parents/carers will ensure that their children have their PE kit in school at all times. Children will need a pair of trainers (no pumps). Please ensure laced trainers can be tied by your child. This kit should be kept in a bag and should all be named. Earring must be removed for PE lessons.



White t-shirt



Black shorts



Black jogging bottoms (optional for winter)