



Uniform Policy

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At Woodlea we value school uniform as we believe it helps children feel a sense of belonging to a community and a sense of pride in themselves and their school. We believe that all children wearing the school uniform helps to create an atmosphere of learning and it instils in the children a culture of coming to school to do their very best.

Cost principles

We believe that school uniform should not place a financial burden on any parent. To support this we:

- Sell uniform and ensure we achieve the best price possible from our suppliers.
- Ensure all our uniform is readily available un-branded from a range of supermarkets and other retail outlets.
- Encourage parents to donate good quality unwanted uniform which the parents association sell for a minimal cost or let parents swap items for a larger/smaller size.

The Woodlea school uniform from September 2025 is as follows:

- Black or grey school trousers, shorts, skirts, pinafores or plain black tracksuit bottoms. Leggings are not allowed other than for PE. Black sport style/cycling shorts may only be worn for PE.
- White polo shirt (not green or a t-shirt).
- Green jumper or cardigan (with or without the logo).
- Black smart school shoes or plain black smart trainers. Boots (except where a child needs these for support due to a medical reasons or agreed upon reason with the Headteacher) or trainers that are not plain black are not allowed.
- Plain black, grey or white socks.
- In the Summer Term, children may wear a green and white checked dress. Green and white checked jumpsuits are not advised, as we want our children to be as independent as possible and these can be tricky when using the toilet.

Hair accessories

These should be simple, smart and in keeping with the school colours (green, white, black or orange).

PE Kit

- Plain green or white t-shirt. A green t-shirt with our logo is available to purchase.
- Plain black shorts or skort (if shorts are cycling style, these must be on/just above the knee).
- Plain black tracksuit bottoms or black leggings.
- Plain black sweatshirt or hoodie (a black hoodie with school logo is available to purchase).
- Sports trainers (any colour) or black plimsolls.

To reflect our new branding following our academisation, we now offer some items with the new logo to purchase from www.gooddies.co.uk which can also be accessed via the QR code below. Logos will continue to always be optional and items purchased from other retailers (which fit the uniform requirements) can be worn instead. The new logo will be phased in across the 2025-26 academic year, with the request that only the new logo is in use by September 2026. If your child has not yet grown out of what they currently wear, there is no expectation to buy items with the new logo for this September.



Jewellery

If children have their ears pierced, then they should wear studs only. If children have any other type of earrings, we will ask parents or the child to remove them. Necklaces are a safety risk and must not be worn.