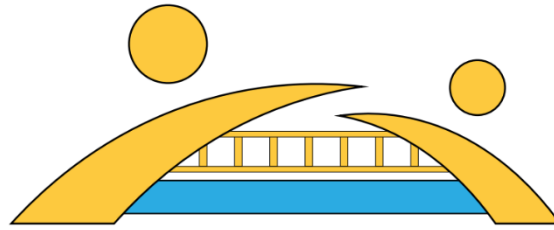


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## Polisi Gwisg Ysgol School Uniform Policy

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# SCHOOL DRESS AND UNIFORM

## Introduction

The Governing Body of Ysgol Bro Caereinion will have regard to the WG information: [School uniform and appearance: policy guidance for governing bodies \[HTML\] | GOV.WALES](#) (2022)

## Monitoring, Evaluation and Review

The Governing Body will review this policy at least every three years

## 1. Aims

### 1.1 The aims of this policy are:

- to explain the school's rationale for school uniform;
- to state various responsibilities;
- to set out the uniform code;
- to explain consultation requirements;
- to set out the school's policy for ethnic dress and religious symbols; and
- to ensure that the school's policy on equal opportunities is observed.

## 2. Rationale for School Uniform

2.1 The school recognises the value of having a school uniform for the following reasons:

### Safety:

If all the learners in our school wear a clearly recognisable uniform it is easy to identify strangers. On the way to and from school it also affords a degree of safety as the learners are part of a large body of young people and will look out for each other.

### Preparation for the future:

Many jobs require staff to wear a uniform and even if there is no uniform there is often a dress code. School uniform helps young people get used to dressing to a prescribed standard. It also helps them know the difference between formal and informal dress.

### Value for money:

Good quality school uniform is a relatively cheap way of dressing young people for school.

### Equality

Learners only have to think about their uniform and not alternatives. Therefore there is no income based division between learners and peer pressure is minimised.

### Ready for work and a sense of pride

Putting on school uniform is a signal you are going to work. Pride in uniform should be reflected in pride of achievement. Uniform and team kits also help learners demonstrate pride in their school and is a reflection of a cohesive community.

### **3. Responsibilities**

#### **3.1 The Governing Body will:**

- determine the uniform requirements, taking into account the cost;
- determine whether there should be a remission of the cost of the uniform for some learners

#### **3.2 The Head will:**

- ensure that the requirements are published to parents, learners and staff;
- ensure that the requirements and policies on cost and remission of cost are clearly set out in the school brochure and website; and
- determine the action to be taken for breaches of the uniform code.

3.3 Parents should ensure students have the correct uniform as stated in the Home-School Agreement.

3.4 Learners will wear correct uniform at all times.

### **4. Consultation**

4.1 Modifications or changes to the school uniform will be subject to a period of consultation not less than one term before the changes are introduced.

The following groups will be consulted:

- School Council - Learners
- Staff
- Parents
- SACRE and local community leaders. (in the case of religious / cultural dress)

4.2 Periodically the Governing Body will consult representatives of parents and learners on the cost of school uniform.

### **5. The Uniform Code**

5.1 It is the school's aim to ensure that the cost of buying the uniform is reasonable.

#### **5.2 Uniform items –**

Smart plain black trousers – no jeans, leggings or sports trousers

Plain black tailored shorts

Skirts must be black and of appropriate length, knee length.

Navy / Royal Blue Gingham Dress

Navy Blue Sweatshirt with school logo

Royal Blue Polo Shirt with school logo

Grey, dark blue, black or white socks (ankle or three-quarter length). The learners can wear natural, plain grey or black tights.

All black or dark brown shoes – with no logos or other colours on

## **Years 12 & 13 –**

Sixth form learners in years 12 and 13 are able to wear their own clothes to school. However, this must be smart and appropriate for school.

### **PE Uniform**

PE Shirt with school logo

Black shorts

Long black socks

Shin pads

Trainers

Football boots

No jewellery

### **5.4 Jewellery and make up**

The only permitted items of jewellery are:

- A single, small stud in pierced ears
- A wristwatch
- One ring

5.5 Concealer should be subtle, neutral in colour and natural in appearance. False nails, nail extensions, mascara and false eyelashes are NOT allowed.

5.6 Hair should not be dyed with any unnatural colours. Any hair accessories should be small and plain.

5.7 No facial piercings are allowed. Should a learner arrive at school with such a piercing he or she will have to take the facial piercing out.

5.8 No visible tattoos will be permitted.

### **6. Outdoor wear in classrooms**

Coats should be taken off in the school building and in the classrooms or between lessons.

### **7. Bags**

7.1 Learners will require a bag to carry books and equipment to and from the school and a sports bag for his or her PE kit.

### **8 Compliance**

8.1 No other items are permitted within the school. If there is any reason why a learner cannot conform to uniform regulations parents should contact the form tutor / class teacher by letter.

### **9 Religious / Cultural Dress**

9.1 The school recognises that some learners from religious and cultural backgrounds may wish to wear items of distinctive dress. The school will determine the religious / cultural dress that will be allowed after consultation with representatives of parents and local leaders of religious / cultural groups.

9.2 No dress will be allowed that covers any part of the face from forehead to neck in the interests of safety and security. It is vital that the school staff can recognise at all times who is in school.

## **10. Religious Symbols**

10.1 The wearing of religious symbols or insignia is permitted, but must not be visible.

## **11. Equality**

In determining and implementing the Uniform Policy the school will take account of the Equality Policy.