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Ysgol Gyfun Bryntirion |     
Bryntirion Comprehensive

## SCHOOL UNIFORM POLICY

Reviewed by:	
Date:	
Approved by Governing body	

## AUTUMN & WINTER TERMS

ITEM	DESCRIPTION	WHERE CAN IT BE PURCHASED?
White shirt	Plain white shirt (long or short sleeved) that is suitable for tucking into skirts or trousers.	Anywhere
School tie	Years 7-11 wear the same black, gold and teal tie but the sixth form have a distinctive one supplied by the school when they enter the sixth form.	Local uniform retailers
Black trousers or skirt	<p>Plain black tailored trousers. <b>Leggings, jeans or skin tight trousers are not permitted.</b></p> <p>Plain black tailored skirt. Straight, pleated or swing skirts are acceptable as long as they are tailored and hemmed properly; no dipped or uneven hems, chiffon or unusual material or decorations.</p> <p>Skirts should not be too tight or short. The skirt should be approximately knee length. Skirts should always be worn with black opaque tights.</p>	Anywhere
Black school jumper or cardigan with school logo	<p>Years 7-11 - Black with school logo.</p> <p>Years 12 &amp; 13 - Black with sixth form school logo.</p>	Local uniform retailers
Black school shoes	Plain black, low heeled shoes. Trainers/sports shoes are not permitted at any time of the year.	Anywhere
Black socks or opaque tights	Socks and tights should be black. Tights should be opaque and a least 80 denier.	Anywhere
Coat	A smart, practical all weather coat that can be worn over uniform. Hooded, fleece style tops, obvious logos, denim or leather coats are not permitted.	Anywhere
<p><b><u>Sixth Form</u></b></p> <p>As above but with the addition of:-</p>		
Black blazer	Plain black tailored blazer with full length sleeves. It should be worn with the school enamel badge on the lapel. The blazer should be worn in addition to the school jumper.	Anywhere

**ALL ITEMS OF UNIFORM AND PROPERTY SHOULD BE CLEARLY MARKED WITH THE OWNER'S NAME**

<b>SUMMER TERM</b>		
<b>ITEM</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>WHERE CAN IT BE PURCHASED?</b>
White school polo shirt	White polo shirt with school logo	Local uniform retailers
Black tailored shorts	Plain black tailored approximately knee length shorts. Cycling shorts or very short shorts are not permitted. The shorts can be worn with black or white ankle socks but should still be worn with shoes, not trainers.	Anywhere

<b><u>Physical Education</u></b>		
All students		
<b>ITEM</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>WHERE CAN IT BE PURCHASED?</b>
Green or black shorts or black leggings	Plain green or black sports shorts. Plain black leggings are also acceptable in cold weather (no logos)	Anywhere
School PE T-shirt	Green / black school PE T-shirt with school logo	Local uniform retailers
School PE hoody (optional)	Green school PE hoody with school logo	Local uniform retailers
Trainers	These can be any colour but should be designed for active wear	Anywhere
School sports socks	Green / gold sports socks	Local uniform retailers
Gum Shield (optional)	Advised for rugby and hockey	Anywhere

<b><u>Girls</u></b>		
Green skort	Green skort needed for certain sports, e.g. netball	Local uniform retailers
One piece swimsuit	One piece swimsuit of any colour or design. Bikinis or two piece swimming suits are not allowed.	Anywhere
<b><u>Boys</u></b>		
School rugby top	Green / gold school rugby top	Local uniform retailers
Football / rugby boots	Studded football / rugby boots	Anywhere
Swimming trunks / shorts	Swimming trunks / shorts (any colour)	Anywhere

<b>Technology / Food</b>		
<b>ITEM</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>WHERE CAN IT BE PURCHASED?</b>
Apron	Plain full length apron, any colour	Anywhere

### **Distinctive Clothing Awards**

The school, through the Local Education Authority, makes financial allowances to some pupils attending school, subject to eligibility by assessment, towards the cost of distinctive school clothing.

### **Hair and General Appearance**

Parents are expected to encourage pupils to observe acceptable standards in dress and appearance. Hair should be a sensible length, style and colour (no unnatural hair colouring is allowed). Vision must not be impeded by hair. Make-up must not be worn in school and neither should hair cosmetics be used, especially in the science laboratories and technology workshops. Brightly coloured nail varnish or overly long nails should not be worn in school.

### **Jewellery**

The only jewellery which may be worn in school is one small plain stud in the lobe of each ear. Pupils are not allowed to wear any other form of body jewellery or piercings in the interests of their own health and safety.

## Supplementary information

In order to assist parents and guardians when it comes to purchasing uniform, we have added a number of photographs to show our uniform as we would ideally like it to be worn. These will enable parents and guardians to make informed choices about trouser styles and acceptable skirt lengths.



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Tailored black skirts with the length coming to just above the knee.



White shirt, school tie  
and jumper, with tie  
done up neatly.

Tailored trousers, not too tight,  
made of appropriate material.

Black, low heeled, polishable shoes.



Suitable examples of shorts and skirts

