



Uniform Guide

We require our pupils to wear a school uniform. This is for a number of reasons. It establishes an identity with the Academy and helps to build a sense of belonging. The uniform is smart, practical and hardwearing and with care it should last a considerable time.

Witton Park Academy pupils are asked to wear their school uniform with pride. Uniform must be worn correctly by all pupils when in school, when travelling to and from school, as well as by any pupils representing the school or on school visits, unless otherwise stated.

All pupils must wear a black blazer with edging for the particular year group with either a box pleated black skirt or black tailored trousers.

The colours are as follows:

- Year 7 - Jade green edging on the lapel with a jade green tie
- Year 8 - Royal blue edging on the lapel with a royal blue tie
- Year 9 - Purple edging on the lapel with purple tie
- Year 10 - Red edging on the lapel with a red tie
- Year 11 - Pale blue edging on the lapel with a pale blue tie

The colour that the child starts with in Year 7 will follow them through their time at school.

Girls Uniform

- School Blazer
- White shirt
- Black tailored (not tight) trousers or black knee length pleated skirt
- Black socks
- Plain navy blue or black outdoor coat
- School scarf and hat or plain blue/black
- Plain black leather shoes
- Optional plain black headscarf

Boys Uniform

- School Blazer
- White shirt
- Black tailored trousers
- Black socks
- Plain navy blue or black outdoor coat
- School scarf and hat or plain blue/black
- Plain black leather shoes



Appropriate Shoes



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Notes on Appearance

- ♦ Girls' skirts should be worn on the waist and at knee length.
- ♦ Shirts and blouse should be worn tucked in.
- ♦ Girls' socks can be worn below the knee or at ankle length, not above the knee.
- ♦ Pupils can wear a wristwatch.
- ♦ Girls and boys may wear one pair of small plain gold/silver studs in the lobe of the ear. No other jewellery is allowed. Facial piercings are not allowed.
- ♦ Make-up, false eyelashes, nail varnish, gel or acrylic nails are not allowed.
- ♦ Coloured scarves, football scarves, football hats or baseball caps are not allowed. The school scarf and hat are available from Student Services in school.
- ♦ Hoodies are not to be worn to and from school or on the grounds. Pupils must wear a plain black or navy blue coat.
- ♦ A sturdy school bag is required.
- ♦ Appropriate shoes must be worn.
- ♦ Boots, sports shoes, suede or fabric shoes, shoes with high heels or platform soles are not allowed.
- ♦ Hairstyles
- ♦ No extreme hair styles are allowed, pupils must have no lines or patterns cut with a razor. Any hair colours/highlights should be natural shades or combinations of shades (e.g. not two-tone).

Personal Equipment

The following is a list of personal equipment needed by pupils for their lessons and for examinations:

Chromebook and carry bag.

A bag large enough to carry books and files.

Pen, pencil, purple pen, pencil sharpener, ruler and eraser.

PE kit for lessons, when required.

Scientific Calculator

Homework

All homework will be on a Calendar in Google.

Optional

Coloured pencils, mathematical equipment, highlighter/s – highlighter pens are good for examinations.

Pupils who do not bring a pencil case to school can request one from Student Services at a cost of £2.50, payable through ParentPay



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Essential PE Kit

Girls PE Kit

- WPA girls PE shirt
- WPA Skort
- Plain blue tracksuit bottoms may be worn.
- White socks
- Training shoes – no high tops, skater wear or fashion pumps.
- New Witton Park Academy Hoody
- Optional – Raincoat

Boys PE Kit

Indoor

- Blue polo shirt with Academy badge
- Navy blue socks (no white socks)
- Training shoes
- Navy shorts

Outdoor

- Rugby shirt with Academy badge
- Navy shorts
- Navy blue socks
- Training shoes/astroturf trainers
- Optional – Raincoat

General Notes on Kit

All kit must be named, in an easily visible position, on the garment (not the label) with an iron-on or sewn-in label or permanent marker.

**Please note: Football boots are optional for lessons on the grass pitches.
Football boots are prohibited on the astroturf pitch.**

Lost property will normally be collected at the PE office or Student Services, but it is the responsibility of the pupil to enquire at the earliest opportunity for any item of kit which has been mislaid.

Security

Although it is difficult to guarantee absolute security of pupils' valuables, every effort is made to reduce the risk of property being mislaid. CCTV is in operation at the changing room doors.

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