

Ryefield Primary School Uniform Policy



Striving for Excellence

At Ryefield we expect all children to wear school uniform when attending school. Ryefield branded uniform can be purchased through our uniform suppliers; PMG – www.pmg-schoolwear.co.uk. All other uniform can be purchased online or from a supermarket.

School Uniform

- Grey skirt (knee length), pinafore or grey straight legged trousers
- White polo shirt or Shirt for years 5 and 6
- Royal blue sweatshirt or school cardigan
- White/grey socks (not “trainer socks”) or grey tights
- Blue gingham summer dress/shorts or grey shorts
- Black sensible, low-heeled shoes (no boots)
- Ties for years 5 and 6

PE

- Children should wear suitable PE clothing to school on PE days such as trainers and a tracksuit. During summer, strappy vests and short shorts are not acceptable for PE days and should not be worn.

Other items needed for school

- **Bags** – it is compulsory for pupils in EYFS, Year 1/2/3 to have a Ryefield book bag. Children in Years 4/5/6 should have a school bag which will fit comfortably in their locker. Excessively large bags should not be brought to school
- **Hats** - baseball hats may be worn outside in the summer
- **Hair bands** – must be small and a similar colour to natural hair colour, subdued colours or royal blue
- **Head scarves** – may be worn for religious reasons only, but they must be plain
- **Swimming** - year 4 pupils require a swimming hat; pupils with a medical condition should wear a yellow hat and those who do not should wear a blue hat. Hats can be purchased from the school office (*Swimming is currently postponed due to COVID*)
- **Waterproofs** – it is important that children have waterproof coats for playtimes
- **Water bottle** – all children should bring a named water bottle to school which should be metal or plastic and reusable. NO GLASS BOTTLES
- **Headphones** – children from Reception to Year 6 should bring headphones to school. Headphones with a microphone are preferable but not essential
- **Pencil case/stationary** - All children in Years 1- 6 must bring a stocked pencil case to school. It should be labelled. The contents should include: HB pencils, an eraser, a sharpener, a ruler, a highlighter, a glue stick, rounded scissors, black whiteboard pens, either colouring pencils or Crayola twistables, a writing pen (year 5 and 6 only), green biro pen (KS2 only), purple biro pen (KS2 only). NO FELT TIP PENS. **Pencil cases will be returned at the end of each half term to be replenished**



Rules relating to the wearing of school uniform

- **Ryefield Uniform** – uniforms do not need to have the Ryefield logo on them. Plain versions are absolutely fine
- **Sweatshirts/jumpers** - are not to be worn tied around the waist
- **Shirts** - are to be tucked in at the waist
- **Hats** - are not to be worn indoors at all
- **Jewellery** - no jewellery at all except for plain stud earrings or for religious reasons. Stud earrings are not to be worn on PE/Swimming days - teachers are not responsible for looking after earrings
- **Watches** - watches may be worn by children in KS2 the school is not responsible for the safeguarding of such items
- **Trainers** – if you must wear trainers other than for PE it must be for a medical reason and a note must be received
- **Hair** – where it is long enough to do so, all children (boys and girls) are required to tie up their hair, this is for both health and safety reasons and to ensure the children look smart and ready for school. Hair accessories should be minimal and plain. Non regulation hairstyles are not part of school uniform and should not be worn, these include:
 - Patterns cut into the hair
 - Hair that is long in parts and very short elsewhere e.g. Mohican
 - Hair that has been dyed, wholly or partly
 - Haircuts shorter than a number 2
- **Clothing/item labels** - All clothing/personal items should be clearly labelled with your child’s name so that it can be easily identified if lost. The school cannot accept responsibility for any lost items
- **Other**- no body paint or transfers, no nail varnish or false nails, no sun glasses unless for medical reasons, no flashing shoes or trainer shoes