

DENBIGH PRIMARY



Dedicated to Excellence **UNIFORM POLICY**

At Denbigh Primary school, our policies are designed to support the ethos and aims of our school. We strive to achieve excellence in all we do, working in partnership with our pupils, staff, parents, governors and wider community. We provide outstanding education for all and value the diverse background of pupils and their families. As a school, we aim to make policies that are inclusive and provide a safe, caring and active learning environment where children can achieve their full potential.

TEACHING AND LEARNING POLICY	
Curriculum Lead: Alan Hodges	Curriculum SLT: Alan Hodges
Policy Adopted by FGB – July 2023	Review: July 2025

Aims

Children at Denbigh Primary School are expected to wear school uniform. The uniform has been agreed with consideration of health and safety, religious and cultural sensibilities and human rights issues. We believe wearing a uniform, with a school logo, makes all the pupils look very smart and presents a good image of the school and pupils. Wearing a school logo can also help pupils feel part of a 'whole school' community. It also visibly identifies our pupils, which supports the school's strict safeguarding policy and procedure.

Below is a list of the full Primary School Uniform. When purchasing school uniform for your child, please ensure you only purchase items that form part of the Denbigh Primary school uniform, (as specified below). For your information prices of the items available from the school office are included in the following list.

Our Curriculum is underpinned by our core values:



SCHOOL UNIFORM:

GIRLS	BOYS
Red polo shirt (with school logo) £8	Red polo shirt (with school logo) £8
Navy Blue sweatshirt (with school logo) £11	Navy Blue sweatshirt (with school logo) £11
Grey skirt, grey trousers and or grey pinafore dress	Grey trousers
Suitable flat plain black shoes	Suitable flat plain black shoes
Optional - (summer term only) Red gingham dress	Optional - (summer term only) Grey tailored shorts
Other items: Water bottle £1 Book bag (with school log) £6	

PE

'PE is an essential part of a child's education; not only does it highlight the importance of physical health, it teaches team work, leadership skills and supports mental health. Wearing a PE kit to school is great for the subject, it raises the profile of PE and places it at the forefront of learning. It also shows PE is valued in your school and highlights how important PE is for a healthy active lifestyle.

From September 2023, pupils should wear the following PE Kit to school on their designated PE days which will ensure that the pupils can take full advantage of their PE slot.

PE KIT	
GIRLS	BOYS
Navy Blue t-shirt (with school logo) £6 NEW Navy Blue/red ¾ zip sports top (with school logo) - £17.50 NEW Navy Blue sports trouser (with school logo) - £10.00 or Navy blue or black leggings or jogging bottoms <i>Other coloured sportswear is not PE school uniform</i> Trainers YEAR 3 & 4 ONLY Swimming Lessons (part of the national curriculum) Swim suit and towel Swimming Kit Bag with school logo - £4.00 or other suitable bag for wet swimming kit	Navy Blue t-shirt (with school logo) £6 NEW Navy Blue/red ¾ zip sports top (with school logo) - £17.50 NEW Navy Blue sports trouser (with school logo) - £10.00 or Navy blue or black shorts or jogging bottoms <i>Other coloured sportswear is not school uniform</i> Trainers YEAR 3 & 4 ONLY Swimming Lessons (part of the national curriculum) Swim suit and towel Swimming Kit Bag with school logo - £4.00 or other suitable bag for wet swimming kit
Stockists/Help with Uniform Information Uniform items with school logo can be purchased from the school, or directly from Prestige Design and Workwear (https://prestigedesignwww.co.uk/schools/). Items listed in the uniform list can also be purchased from supermarkets and local shops.	

JEWELLERY, HAIR AND MAKE UP:

For safety reasons, children must **not** wear jewellery to school (except for watches). If they have pierced ears, children are only allowed to wear a single set of small studs, which must be removed for P.E sessions. Children who wear any other jewellery will be asked to remove it.

Hair cuts should be suitable for school - we actively discourage fashion fads (e.g. shaved designs and dyed hair) and we will ask you to get it cut out at the hairdressers.

Make up and nail varnish are not considered appropriate for school.

SCHOOL BAG:

Pupils have the opportunity to take books home from school. Pupils are responsible for ensuring reading and library books are returned to school in a satisfactory condition and parents are required to pay for the loss or damage of school books. Therefore, all pupils must use a bag for transporting books and homework to and from school each day. Book bags with the **Denbigh Primary school logo** are available to purchase from the school office at the cost of **£6.00**.

Please ensure you clearly label all items of uniform with your child's name and class.

Water bottles are available to purchase from the school office at the cost of £1.00.

PUPILS ENTITLED TO BENEFITS RELATED FREE SCHOOL MEALS

To support families on low incomes, Denbigh Primary School supply one set of school uniform (free of charge) for each pupil registered by Luton Borough Council as in receipt of benefits related free school meals.

This includes the following items only:

- 1 x Blue Sweatshirt with Denbigh Logo
- 1 x Red Polo Shirt with Denbigh Logo
- 1 x PE T Shirt with Denbigh Logo

SECOND HAND UNIFORM:

Statutory guidance on the cost of school uniforms was published by the Department for Education in November 2021. The guidance includes a requirement for schools to ensure that second-hand uniforms are available for parents to acquire. Denbigh Primary School utilises a local charity named 'The Level Trust' who run a School Uniform Exchange service on behalf of Luton schools.

For further information about the service, please find contact details below:

Email address: <https://www.leveltrust.org/projects/uniform-exchange/>

Address:

Uniform Exchange

Unit 2G

Gallery level

Luton Mall

LU1 2TW

Contact Telephone Number: 01582 550 070

Opening Hours: Monday to Thursday and Saturday 10am – 2pm

(Times maybe subject to change – check the website for the most up to date information).

If you are in need of financial support or assistance accessing support services, please contact the school and speak to one of our school family support workers.

For further information regarding school uniform requirements and cost of items, please refer to the uniform policy, available on the school website www.denbighprimary.com or contact the school office for confidential support and advice.