



## **School Uniform Policy**

**Written Jan 2022 – Review date January 2026**

### **1.0 Introduction**

- 1.1 Bradford Christian School uniform policy asks that all children wear school uniform when attending school. We provide a complete list of the items needed for the school uniform in Annex A and on our school website.
- 1.2 The wearing of school uniform:
- promotes a sense of pride in the school
  - identifies the children with the school
  - engenders a sense of community and belonging towards the school
  - identifies a child with a stage in the school e.g. primary, middle or upper
  - is practical and smart
  - prevents children from coming to school in fashion clothes that could be distracting in class
  - makes children feel equal to their peers in terms of appearance
- 1.3 We ask parents to support the school uniform policy, and send their children to school in the correct uniform, and that it is clean and in good repair.

### **2.0 Wearing of Uniform**

- 2.1 Students should wear school uniform unless:
- It is a day for PE in their year group in which case they should wear their PE kit to school
  - It is the day that upper school can choose to wear their own clothes. (Friday)
  - It is a charity or end of term wear your own clothes day
  - The specifics of a school trip do not require the wearing of uniform which will be conveyed to parents in a letter.
  - There is an agreed justification why a child should wear an amended uniform e.g. SEND

### **3.0 Jewellery**

- 3.1 On health and safety grounds we request children not to wear jewellery in our school.
- 3.2 The exceptions to this rule are:
- ear-ring studs in pierced ears (one piercing in each ear)
  - Medical identification bracelets may be worn by children who have significant medical problems e.g. Diabetes or epilepsy.
  - Permission may be given for fidget jewellery to be worn, at the discretion of the SLT.
- We will ask the children to remove all jewellery during PE for health and safety reasons.
- 3.3 The school advises parents who wish their children to have their ears pierced to do so at the beginning of the summer school holidays.

### **4.0 Hair Styles**

- 4.1 Hair colour should be a natural colour and not an 'extreme' haircut e.g. tramlines, stars, shaved heads (No shorter than a number 2), extreme patterns 'V' styles, Mohican cuts etc.
- 4.2 Pupils with long hair should tie it back for safety reasons especially if requested to do so in science or cooking.

### **5.0 Nail Polish**

- 5.1 Students should not wear acrylic nails or nail polish in school.

5.2 Students who come to school wearing nail polish will be asked to go to the office and remove the nail/ gel polish using remover provided by the school.

6.0 **Make Up**


6.1 Only students in upper school (years 9 - 11) may wear make up for school.

7.0 **Review**

7.1 This policy was reviewed by SLT in June 2024 and will be reviewed on a 2 yearly basis.

7.2 Our parents were surveyed to obtain their input in the writing of this policy.

7.3 This policy will next be reviewed in January 2026.

Formally agreed through SLT compliance:	<b>June 2024</b>
Signed Jane Prothero – Head Teacher	
Review Date:	<b>January 2026</b>

## School Uniform Requirements

<b>PRIMARY (YEARS R – Y4)</b>
School sweatshirt/cardigan with logo
School polo shirt or white blouse
Black trousers, skirt or pinafore
Black or white socks or tights
Black shoes
<b>PE kit</b>
White school T-shirt with logo
Black school track pants or black unisex joggers or black yoga pants
Black unisex sweatshirt or hooded zip top
Pumps or trainers
<b>MIDDLE SCHOOL (YEARS Y5 - 8)</b>
School V neck jumper with logo
School tie
White shirt / blouse
Black trousers, skirt or pinafore
Black or white socks or black tights
Black shoes
<b>PE kit</b>
White polo shirt
Black school track pants or black unisex joggers or black yoga pants
Black unisex sweatshirt or hooded zip top
Pumps or trainers
<b>UPPER SCHOOL (YEARS Y9 - 11)</b>

School blazer with logo
School jumper / tank top with logo
School tie
White shirt /blouse
Black trousers or skirt
Black/ white socks or black tights
Black shoes
<b>PE kit</b>
White polo shirt
Black school track pants or black unisex joggers or black yoga pants
Black unisex sweatshirt or hooded zip top
Pumps or trainers