

Newark Flying High Academy



School Uniform Policy

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Our vision is to ensure we are **'Empowering Everyday Excellence'**. Therefore, we are proud to have exceptionally high expectations in all areas. One way we foster a culture of equality, identity and belonging is through our school uniform policy, which we believe plays a key role in creating a positive, focused school environment.

Here are some reasons why we believe school uniforms are important:

- Everyone feels equal – uniforms help all pupils feel the same, no matter their background.
- Improved learning and behaviour – children worry less about clothes and concentrate more on learning.
- Teaches good habits – wearing a uniform helps children learn discipline and how to follow expectations.
- Feel part of a community – like a sports team, uniforms help pupils feel a sense of pride and belonging.
- Safer – it makes it quick and easy to see who belongs to the school, which helps keep children safe.

In addition, every child will receive a Newark Flying High Academy branded water bottle, personalised with their name, at the start of the new academic year. We ask that children bring this bottle to school each day. Should a water bottle become lost or damaged and require replacing, replacement bottles will be available to purchase from the school office at a cost of £3.00 each.

As a result, we expect all pupils to wear the specified school uniform below:

School Uniform

- Navy blue school sweatshirt or cardigan with Newark Flying High Logo on.
- Pale blue polo (branded versions available from the school uniform website if preferred).
- Grey skirt, trousers, shorts or pinafore.
- Blue School Dress.
- Black shoes.

PE Kit

- Navy blue school sweatshirt or cardigan with Newark Flying High Logo on.
- Navy blue school PE t-shirt with Newark Flying High Logo on.
- Plain black or navy-blue shorts/jogging pants/leggings.
- Plimsolls or trainers for outside games.

A reminder that pupils should come to school wearing the correct PE kit on their allocated PE days. If a pupil attends in incorrect kit that does not meet the school's expectations, a reminder will be sent home.

Please follow the link to our dedicated school uniform page, where you can select any additional items:

<https://myclothing.com/collections/newark-flyng-high-academy-5833/>



Other aspects of our uniform policy

Jewellery

Children may wear a watch (no smart watches permitted) and a plain pair of gold/silver stud earrings, but no other jewellery is permitted due to health and safety issues and liability in case of loss.

If children wish to have their ears pierced this must be arranged at the beginning of the summer holidays so the ear has sufficient time to heal, and the earrings can be removed so they can participate in PE sessions. Plasters may not be worn to cover earrings. No other piercings are permitted.

Hairstyles

Hair must be of a natural colour; long hair must be tied back and items used to secure hair must be plain.

Make up

For health and safety reasons make-up and nail polish are not permitted.