

# SCHOOL UNIFORM AND EQUIPMENT EXPECTATIONS

## September 2024 – September 2025



### Uniform for all Pupils (Likely to be 2 or 3 days per week)

- Red Polo Shirt (preferably with the school badge)
- Plain black trousers or knee length skirt. (no leggings)
- Red Sweatshirt or cardigan with the school badge. (from school supplier - choice of 2)
- Black or grey socks or tights.
- Black Shoes
- Option of black tailored shorts or red/white checked dress during the summer term.
- Option of red baseball cap for summer months with school badge (no other hats allowed)
- During the winter months, a sensible plain, dark coloured outdoor coat is required.
- Years 5 & 6 will also need a pair of sliders to be kept in school.

### PE/Outdoor Learning Kit – to be worn to school on PE/Outdoor Learning Days (Likely to be 2 or 3 days per week)

- Plain red T shirt
- Predominantly black trainers for outside
- Plain red hoody (with or without school badge)
- Plain black tracksuit bottoms
- A set of waterproofs – (preferably black or red)
- Plimsolls for inside (to be kept in school)
- Plain black shorts (to be kept in school)
- Drawstring bag

### Swimwear (years 5 & 6)

- Plain black sports swimming costume/trunks (not loose shorts)
- Red Swimming hat (boys and girls)

### Jewellery

- Jewellery must not be worn to school.
- The only exceptions are:
  - one or a pair of small plain gold or silver stud earrings (no bigger than ½ cm). Earrings must be either removed by the child for PE or not worn for school on PE days.
  - An analogue wristwatch – (no smart or digital devices are permitted)
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### Pre – Loved Uniform

We operate a pre-loved uniform shop from the school office. We do not charge for items but ask for a small donation towards our school funds, if parents are able to. The shop is always open, parents can either call or email us on 01277 811741 or [admin@westhorndon.essex.sch.uk](mailto:admin@westhorndon.essex.sch.uk).

### Non-Branded Uniform

You are welcome to buy any non-branded uniform from any shop of your choice.

*Health and Safety Regulations allow children to wear small studs provided they can remove these earrings themselves for all Physical Education lessons. Children will not be allowed to participate in PE lessons or sporting clubs if they are wearing any jewellery. To ensure that children do not miss out on any of the PE Curriculum, we advise that if you are considering piercing your child's ears, that it is done at the beginning of the summer holidays to allow for healing time.*

### Long Hair

- Hair below chin length must be tied back or up, regardless of gender. No extreme/fashion haircuts are allowed (including shaved, tramlines or designs).
- All long hair must be tied back during PE lessons

### Equipment

- All pupils need a dedicated book bag to transport our reading materials to and from school.  
No bookbag = no reading book.

Our new uniform suppliers for school branded items are:  
Coops Group <https://shop.coopsgroup.com/West-Horndon-Primary-School-Uniform>

My Clothing <https://myclothing.com/west-horndon-primary-school/13153.school>

Koolskools <https://www.koolskools4u.co.uk/product-category/west-horndon-primary-school/>