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Ysgol Bryn Alyn School Uniform Guidelines for September 2020

Uniform is an important part of a school's identity. It reinforces who we are as a community and helps allow students to feel pride in their school. It also ensures students are not put under any pressure because of the type of clothes they wear, and all are treated equally. It also helps prepare students for life after school where many will have to dress smartly for work or wear specific work/company uniform.

Please take note of the uniform guidelines enclosed in this leaflet. We feel that consistency is important for all students and would like to avoid unnecessary confrontations at the start of term with students beginning YBA or returning to us in September not dressed in accordance with school uniform policy.

We are hoping, despite the current COVID-19 situation, that parents will be able to access uniform items. However, it is impossible to arrange 'try on' sessions in school as we would usually do for our new intake into Year 7. Clearly this would compromise social distancing and be a concern for the potential spread of the virus. Our uniform suppliers have produced a leaflet to help accurately measure your child for YBA uniform. They have assured us that blazers will be in stock for the start of the next academic year and they are currently ordering in our school ties. Please look at the measuring guide and order via the website (see link below). Our uniform suppliers have also said that they will update the website with their revised opening hours once the Welsh Government announce that shops can reopen.

A reminder that all pupils (Year 7 – 11) will be expected to be wearing the school blazer, a white shirt, school clip on tie, black trousers (please see overleaf for quidelines) or the standard school skirt. Please note, no other skirt will be accepted - more details overleaf. A black v-necked jumper is optional, however, please note that this jumper needs to be worn outside the skirt or trouser.

The uniform is available to purchase from Sarah's Embroidery, based in Penley. Please refer to their website:

https://sarahs-schools.myshopify.com/collections/bryn-alyn-school

For parents of our new Year 7 intake (September 2020) there is a Pupil Development Grant available for eligible families to help with buying uniform and equipment. Please visit for further information... https://www.wrexham.gov.uk/service/pupil-development-grant-pdg

Pupils will be expected to wear a pair of plain black, polishable shoes. If footwear is deemed inappropriate, school will provide a pair of black plimsolls for the remainder of the school day. Please also be aware that trainer socks are NOT permitted. Socks must cover the ankle and at least meet the base of the trousers

Our pupils look extremely smart in their uniform and by abiding to the clear uniform guidelines, crucially, valuable staff time will not be spent dealing with issues relating to problems with school uniform. As a community we are all proud of our young people and are passionate about giving them the best opportunities.

Thank you for your continued support and please do not hesitate to contact the school if you would like clarification on any uniform item. We look forward to your support in ensuring all students are treated equally and trust the guidance enclosed makes things much clearer for everyone.























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Ysgol Bryn Alyn School Uniform Guidance



All pupils are required to wear a grey blazer with a gold trim, embroidered with the YBA logo. (Both boys and girls blazers are available)



A YBA school tie is required. It is a black (clip on) tie with a gold stripe (Years 7 – 10)

The Year 11 tie is a gold with a black stripe



A school standard tartan skirt is available for those who wish to wear a skirt. Please be aware that no other skirt will be accepted.

The items of uniform above can be purchased from Sarah's Embroidery based in Penley. You can shop in person, place orders online or over the phone.

Tel: 01978 484848

Email: hello@sarahsembroidery.co.uk

Visit: https://sarahs-schools.myshopify.com/collections/bryn-alyn-school





Plain white shirts, long or short sleeved are available from all major supermarkets and retailers such as Matalan and Marks & Spencer

A plain black v-necked jumper may be worn under the blazer. Jumpers are available from Sarah's Embroidery or from major supermarkets and other retailers such as Matalan and Marks & Spencer





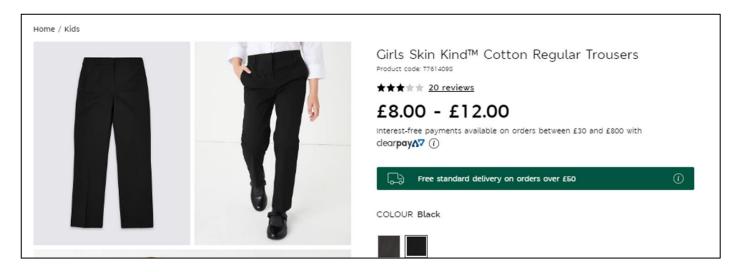
Trouser Guidance

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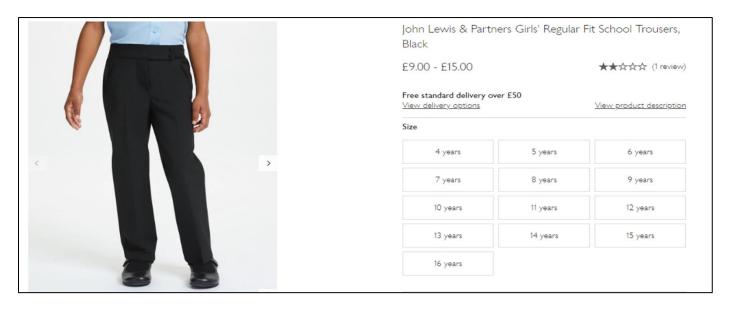
Trousers should be black, **straight legged** (<u>NOT</u> slim/skinny fit), loose around the whole leg and ankle, tailored, cotton/polyester/viscose, and full length (resting on the shoe). The following items are <u>NOT acceptable</u> leggings/jeggings, jogging/tracksuit bottoms and any trouser made from canvas, jersey, lycra or denim fabrics.

We recommend the following trousers for girls....

Marks & Spencer



John Lewis



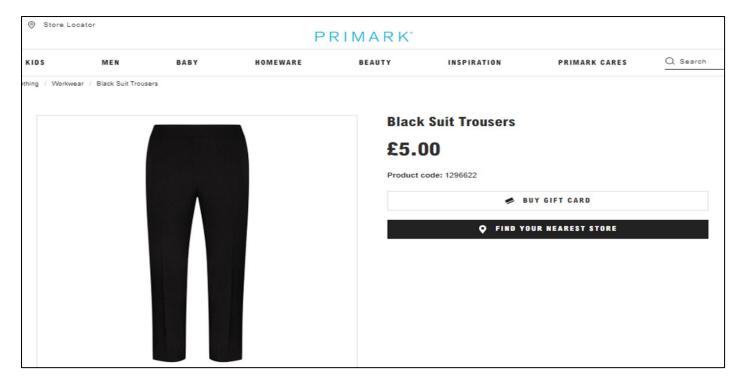
<u>Please do not purchase trousers from the New Look range as these **DO NOT** conform to our uniform standard.</u>

Please see suggestions overleaf for our older year groups.

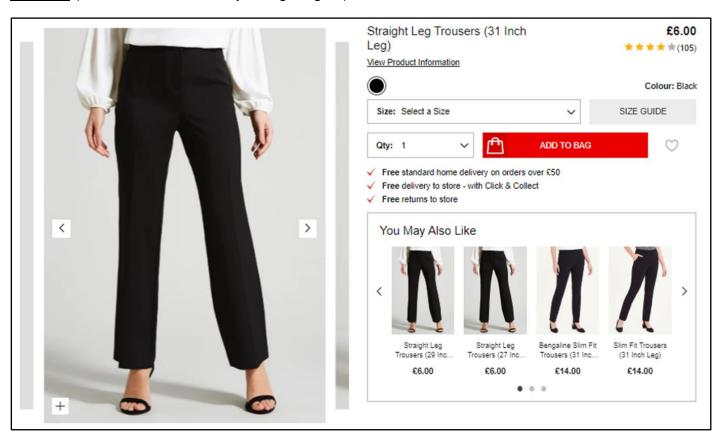


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Primark



Matalan (these come in a variety of leg lengths)





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Boohoo



Ysgol Bryn Alyn School Uniform Prices

Item	Price Inc. VAT
Blazer with gold trim (boys & girls)	£33
Blazer with gold trim, 38" chest and above (boys and girls)	£36
Clip on tie (both colourways)	£6
Standard Tartan Skirt (VAT is charged on sizes 30"+)	£22
Black V-neck jumper no logo – optional (28" – 32")	£11.50
Black V-neck jumper no logo – optional (34" - 38")	£13.50
Black V-neck jumper no logo – optional (40" - 46")	£15.50
PE Polo Shirt (child sizes)	£8
PE Polo Shirt (adult sizes)	£11.50
PE Sweatshirt (child sizes)	£11
PE Sweatshirt (adult sizes) Embroidery	£16.75
Black PE Shorts	£5.50



PE Kit Requirements

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All pupils are required to wear a red polo shirt.

The shirt should either be plain red or embroidered with the school name, no other

logos are allowed. Shorts should be plain black





Pupils are also required to wear **appropriate training shoes**.

The following items are also required for PE:

- Red sweatshirt either plain or embroidered with the school name (optional)
- White training socks (**NOT** trainer socks)
- **Black football socks (<u>NOT</u> trainer socks)
- **Football boots
- Swimwear (plain, dark one piece)

(**New intake Year 7 pupils – please do not purchase until September when the PE dept will confirm the curriculum for your son/daughter in their first PE lessons)

Plain red polo shirts and black shorts are available from all major supermarkets, and other retailers such as Matalan and Marks and Spencer. Red Ysgol Bryn Alyn polo shirts and sweatshirts can be purchased from Sarah's Embroidery.

In addition to the above items, we **strongly recommend** that pupils wear appropriate protective clothing/items when engaging in contact sports during PE and games of a competitive nature, including shin-pads for football**.

If your child is not participating in PE for a medical reason and you have provided the expected note, please ensure that they bring their full PE kit as they still get changed and can take on a coaching or officiating role in the lesson to enable them to continue their learning.

Additional Information

- Pupils are required to carry a bag which is suitable to carry A4 sized books/folders, a pencil case with pens/pencils, and their personal organiser (supplied by the school).
- Pupils may also find it helpful to bring a calculator, Welsh/Spanish pocket dictionaries, coloured pencils, writing journal/note pad, geometry set for maths (these items are optional).

The only items of jewellery which are acceptable in school are:

- Stud earrings in ear lobes (maximum of two pairs). (Hoops and spacers are not permitted)
- One plain, flat ring
- Wristwatch
- Any jewellery worn in school must be removed for P.E. Lessons. It is not acceptable to cover items of jewellery with plasters.
- Signet rings, nose studs, multiple earrings or any other form of body piercings such as lip or tongue piercings are **unacceptable** within school.
- Hair—There should be no extremes in colour or style. Long hair should be tied back for PE, technology and other practical activities.
- No nail extensions are permitted, nails should be natural in colour.

Make up is not permitted in KS3. Pupils in KS4 may have subtle natural make up (no extremes of eye and lip colour) and no eyelash extensions

Please can you ensure that all clothing and equipment is clearly named with an appropriate name tag.

Thank you for your continued support, ensuring our pupils conform to the uniform standards. Any queries, please contact your child's form tutor in the first instance. Year 6 parents, please contact Mrs L. Jones (Head of Year 7)

To order your school uniform, please go to https://sarahs-schools.myshopify.com/

Choose your school - Select your uniform - Add to Cart - Checkout

During the Covid 19 Pandemic, we at Sarah's Embroidery are doing everything we can to keep ourselves and our customers safe.

As Government guidance is changing all the time, we will regularly update our website with up to date information on visiting our shop and our opening hours.

Please respect that, compared to normal, these hours will be reduced and may change at short notice due to self-isolation of staff where required.

We appreciate your understanding and your patience.





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Ysgol Bryn Alyn, Order online at: https://sarahs-schools.myshopify.com/



Boys Blazer Chest Measurements 28", 30", 32", 34", 36" - £33 38", 40", 42", 44", 46", 48", 50" - £36

Girls Blazer Chest Measurements 28", 30", 32", 34", 36" - £33 38", 40", 42", 44", 46", 48", 50" - £36



Skirt Walst Measurements 24", 26", 28" - £22 30", 32", 34", 36", 38", 40", 42" - £26.40

Skirts include waist adjusters and lengths are all 20°



Black V Neck Jumper Chest Measurements 28", 30", 32" - £11.50 34", 36", 38" - £13.50 40", 42", 44", 46" - £15.50

We recommend you go up one size from your blazer as the jumpers come up small



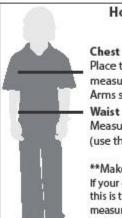
Red PE Sweatshirt Age 9-10 (30"), 11-12 (32"), 13Yrs (34") - £11 S(36"), M(39"), L(43"), XL(47") & XXL(51") - £16.75



Red PE Poloshirt Age 9-10 (30°), 11-12 (32°), 13 Yrs (34") - £8 5(36"), M(39"), L(43"), XL(47") & XXL(51") - £11.50



Black Unisex PE Shorts 18/20", 22-24", 26-28", 30-32", 34-36"& 38-40° - £5.50



How to Measure your child

Place the tape close up to under arms, measure around the chest at the fullest. Arms should be down by the side

Waist

Measure around the natural waistline (use the belly button as a guide)

Make sure the tape measure isn't tight If your child measures 30" across the chest, this is the size you should buy. If they measure 31", you should go up to the next size.



Citp on Tie One size (16" length) - £6

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