

Chalfont Valley E-ACT Primary Academy Uniform Policy

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This policy is designed to give academies an indication of how Academy policies can be drafted. It is not exhaustive in respect of best practice or the regulatory frameworks that apply in relation to Academy policies. Academies should tailor template policies to ensure that they reflect current practice and the ethos at the Academy. Academies should ensure that all policies are effectively implemented and reviewed regularly. Academies are advised to read the applicable statutory and advisory guidance before implementing this policy.

Uniform Policy

1. Correct uniform must be worn at all times during the day and when travelling to and from the Academy. Uniform must also be worn for educational visits. All items of uniform must be clearly marked with the student's name.
2. Students who do not have the complete or correct uniform must provide their teacher with a note explaining the reason why. If this is likely to extend beyond a day then their teacher must be provided with a note explaining the reason and when this will be rectified.
3. The same Academy uniform policy applies equally to all pupils, irrespective of their gender, gender reassignment, race, disability, sexual orientation, religion or belief or special educational needs, subject to considerations of safety and welfare. However, the Academy will consider reasonable requests to alter the Academy uniform, for example for genuine religious requirements and reasonable adjustments for disabled children. Where there is uncertainty as to whether an item may be worn under this section, the issue must be referred by the pupil or the pupil's parents to the Headteacher, whose decision will be final, subject to the complaints procedure.
4. Symbols of faith: Certain items of jewellery, such as the Kara bangle, and certain items of headwear, such as the turban and headscarves may be worn by pupils when doing so is genuinely based on manifesting religious or racial beliefs or identity. This is subject to considerations of safety and welfare and the Academy's existing Academy uniform policy principles (in regards to, for example, the Academy colours). Where there is uncertainty as to whether an item may be worn under this section, the issue must be referred by the pupil or the pupil's parents to the Principal, whose decision will be final, subject to the complaints procedure.

Uniform

All students wear:

- White polo shirt
- Sweatshirt with the school logo
- Black shoes

Boys wear:

- Trousers or shorts

Girls wear:

- Trousers or skirts
- Dresses

NOT PERMITTED:

- Jewellery except for one small stud earring in each pierced ear
- Make-up
- Casual shoes, trainers, or boots
- Accessories
- Jeans, casual trousers etc.

PE Kit

All students wear:

- Purple t-shirt with school logo
- Shorts or tracksuit bottoms
- School sweatshirt with logo

All students must bring their PE Kit to all PE lessons and extra-curricular clubs.

NB. Valuables:

We cannot take responsibility for damage, loss or theft of any of these items. All uniform and PE kit must be clearly labelled with first name, surname and tutor group.