



PONTARDDULAIS COMPREHENSIVE SCHOOL YSGOL GYFUN PONTARDDULAIS



School Uniform & Appearance Policy Polisi Gwisg Ysgol ac Ymddangosiad

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The wearing of full school uniform is expected as an integral part of the school's ethos which provides an inclusive identity for pupils of all backgrounds and promotes positive behaviour across the school. It also ensures that our pupils are dressed appropriately for learning whilst removing any peer pressure of dressing in particular fashions. It should be worn correctly at all times. We therefore ask for parents/carers support in promoting the importance of uniform and appearance.

Our uniform suppliers are:

- Bergoni, 8, Tower Court, Swansea Enterprise Park, St. David's Rd, Llansamlet, Swansea SA6 8RU. You can also order online: www.bergoni.co.uk
- J & S Products, 74 Tycoch Rd, Sketty, Swansea SA2 9EQ. You can also order online: www.js-products.co.uk

We also have an extremely cost-effective uniform shop at Pontarddulais. The recycled uniform is of high quality and proves to be successful with parents and carers. The small cost covers the laundering of uniforms. Please contact Mr. Matthew Evans (Deputy Resources Manager) at the school to view and purchase items.

REQUIRED SCHOOL WEAR

SWEATSHIRT	Red school jumper printed with the school badge.
POLO SHIRT	White, with school badge. Plain white polo shirts can be purchased by parents/carers – in this case we would provide an iron on logo at a small cost.
TROUSERS	Plain black tailored trousers - not jeans or cords. Trousers need to have a zip or button fastening. The ONLY leggings permissible are the school leggings which are also available in the PE uniform range.
SKIRT	Plain black. Please ensure that skirt length is appropriate. No tight skirts or slits.
SOCKS/TIGHTS	Black tights.
SHOES	Black and polishable shoes. All-black polishable trainers (black soles, black laces & stitching). No mesh/canvas trainers. In the interests of safety shoes with high heels or sling backs may not be worn. Shoes must be waterproof/weather-proof.
JACKETS/COATS	Leather or denim jackets will not be allowed. Jackets/coats must not be worn in lessons. Jackets/Coats which have offensive or drug related logos may not be worn. No hooded sweatshirts are permitted.



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PHYSICAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

Outdoor/Indoor Kit

Required:

School's PE top & shorts or skort
Trainers, Football/Rugby boots

Optional:

Plain black tracksuit bottoms (*no logos*)
Long sleeve, school PE top
Black school leggings (only school leggings permissible)

Advisable:

Black socks
Gum shield (for contact sports)

Jewellery

Pupils in Pontarddulais Comprehensive are permitted to wear one pair of stud earrings to be worn in ear lobe only. Pupils are permitted to wear a wristwatch. No other form of jewellery is allowed with particular reference to bracelets, chains around the neck and rings on fingers (non-exhaustive list).

No facial piercings (lip, nose, tongue) are permitted and pupils who refuse to remove facial piercings will be sent to the school nurse in the first instance to establish if there are any medical grounds as to why the piercing cannot be removed. If there are no medical reasons, we will contact parents to assist in the piercing being removed.

When pupils are seen to be wearing non-permitted jewellery, they will be given an envelope to place the jewellery in and it will be placed in the school office, to be collected at the end of the day. Staff will then record this on Talaxy.

If a pupil is seen with non-permitted jewellery on a second occasion the jewellery will again be placed in the school office and the pupil will be issued with a lunchtime detention.

If a pupil is seen with non-permitted jewellery for a third time, then the same procedure will be applied but the detention will be an after-school detention and the jewellery will then have to be collected by a parent.



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ALL CLOTHING MUST BE CLEARLY MARKED WITH PUPIL'S NAME

EXAMPLES OF ACCEPTABLE FOOTWEAR (not exhaustive)



EXAMPLES OF NOT ACCEPTABLE FOOTWEAR (not exhaustive)

