

Uniform Policy

Samuel Barlow Primary Academy

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1. Introduction

Children at Samuel Barlow Primary Academy wear their uniform with pride. Our uniform shows that we are part of the academy's community. We have the highest expectations from our children and parents with regards to school uniform and appearance, and strongly believe that our high standards promote positive behaviour, support effective teaching and learning and contribute to the ethos of the academy.

2. Uniform guidance

As you may be aware, [government guidance](#) on uniform has changed. The purpose of this guidance is to ensure the cost of school uniforms is reasonable and parents get the best value for money.

With this in mind, we have ensured that, if parents wish to purchase uniform items with the academy logo, our supplier gives the highest priority to cost and value for money, including the quality and durability of the garment.

However, we have also made changes to our uniform, to also ensure that parents can buy all school uniform items (without the academy logo) from any store.


If you have any questions about uniform, including where you can access second-hand uniform, please [contact us](#).

3. Uniform supplier

Our uniform supplier is Mapac – you can purchase items of our uniform with our academy logo on their [website](#).

4. Uniform – Nursery to Year 4


- White polo shirt or blouse
- Navy blue jumper or cardigan (logo optional)
- Black trousers, skirt or pinafore
- Black socks or a pair of black tights
- Black shoes, no boots or trainers
- Wellingtons for outdoor play



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Nursery, reception,
year 1, 2, 3 and 4




Uniform

- White polo shirt or blouse
- Navy blue cardigan or sweatshirt (logo optional)
- Black trousers, skirt or pinafore
- Black tights or socks
- Black shoes, no boots or trainers

Summer term only:
Blue pinafore dress or black shorts
and white or black socks

5. Children in Year 5 and Year 6 wear:

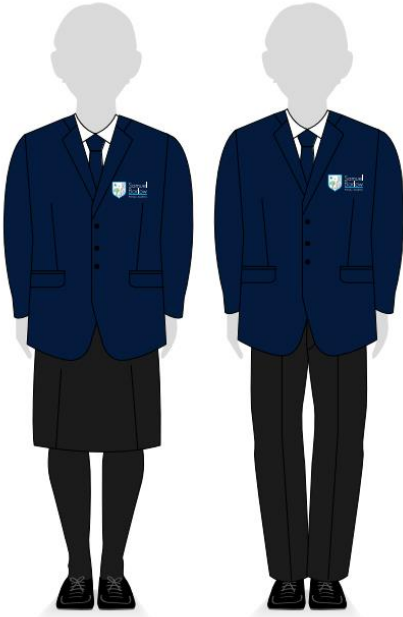
- White shirt or blouse
- Plain navy tie
- Black trousers, skirt or pinafore
- Black socks, grey socks or a pair of black tights
- Navy blazer (logo optional)
- Black shoes, no boots or trainers
- Wellingtons for outdoor play



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Year 5 and 6



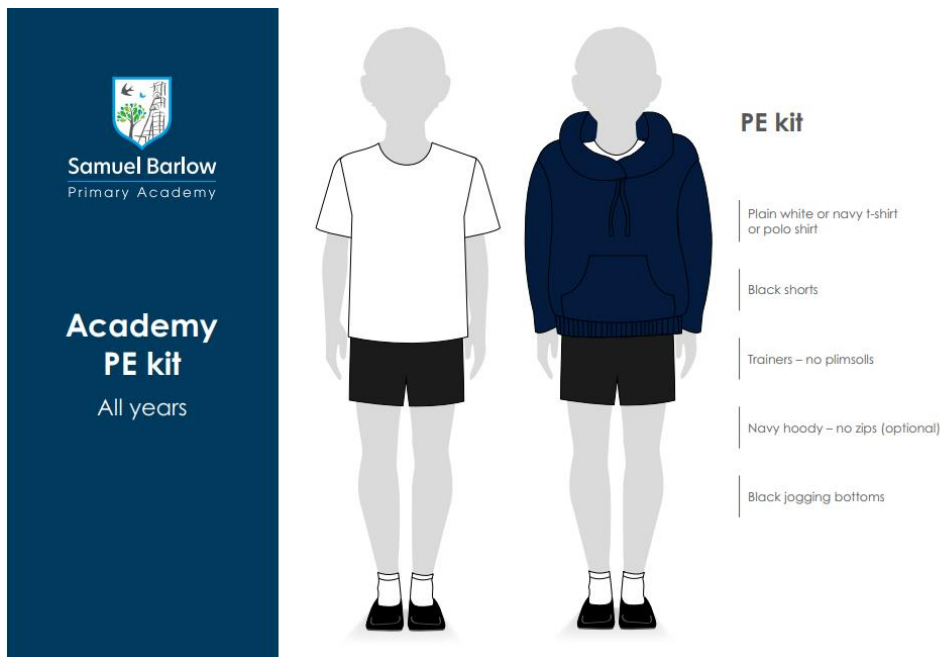
Uniform

- White shirt or blouse
- Plain navy tie
- Navy blazer with or without academy logo
- Black skirt, pinafore or trousers
- Black tights or socks
- Black shoes, no boots or trainers

Summer term only:
Blue checked dress or black shorts
and white or black socks

6. PE Kit

- Plain white t-shirt
- Black shorts
- Trainers
- Black jogging bottoms
- Navy blue hoody



7. Hair, jewellery and labels

On health and safety grounds, we do not allow children to wear jewellery. However, if it is unavoidable, those with freshly pierced ears may wear one set of plain studs. These must be taken out during PE and should be left at home on these days if your child cannot manage to take them out themselves. Hair that is long enough must be tied back at all times with a plain, neutral coloured band or clips (no other hair accessories).

All clothing should be clearly labelled with your child's name. This is especially important, as uniform items look similar and can be easily be confused with another pupil's. The academy cannot accept responsibility for any lost items.

8. Second-hand uniform

If you are interested in purchasing pre-loved uniform, please [contact us](#)