

Buick Memorial Primary School

Uniform Policy

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At Buick, we believe that wearing our traditional brown and yellow uniform can play a valuable role by:

- setting an appropriate tone for the teaching and learning environment
- instilling pride
- engendering a feeling of belonging
- supporting positive behaviour and discipline
- encouraging identity with and support for the school ethos
- ensuring all races and backgrounds feel welcome and equal in terms of appearance
- protecting children from social pressures to dress in a particular way

Our policy is based on the belief that the school uniform should be:

- suitable for purpose
- good value for money
- easily accessible for purchasing
- comfortable for children to wear
- practical for all school activities

Brown sweatshirts and yellow polo shirts are available to purchase directly from the school office in May/June, August and in January each year. Buick has developed a successful partnership with a local supplier, Sewpro, to ensure consistency in colour and to monitor costs for parents. Any profit made from the selling of uniforms is directly lodged into school funds to ultimately benefit pupils.

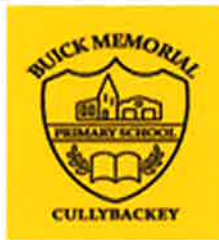
Brown skirts and trousers can be purchased from a variety of retail outlets such as Asda or Marks and Spencers.

The Uniform Policy will be kept under review and shared in the school prospectus and communicated to all parents upon induction to the school.

BOYS	GIRLS
A brown sweatshirt bearing the school logo	A brown sweatshirt bearing the school logo
Yellow polo shirts should be worn underneath the sweatshirts and we encourage these to be shirts with the school badge	Yellow polo shirts should be worn underneath the sweatshirts and we encourage these to be shirts with the school badge
Brown trousers or shorts	Brown skirt or trousers
Socks – dark colours	Socks may be brown or white tights must be brown
Summer Uniform	
Yellow polo shirts can be worn without sweatshirts	Yellow polo shirts can be worn without sweatshirts
Brown shorts (shades of lighter brown accepted)	Yellow and white cotton summer dresses may be worn
Footwear	
Sensible black shoes should be worn. These should have flat soles and should be of waterproof material.	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No trainers • No ballet pumps • No flashing lights • No sling backs or heels • No ankle boots 	
Physical Education	
Black shorts	
Buick Logo Yellow P.E. t-shirt	
Plimsolls to change into	
Jewellery	
The wearing of jewellery to school is discouraged. Children, however, are permitted to wear a watch, a ring and plain stud earrings to school. All jewellery must be removed during P.E. as a matter of Health & Safety. Responsibility for the safe keeping of jewellery rests with the pupil.	
Make-up	
No make up should be worn by children at school. No coloured nail varnish should be worn by children in school.	
Hair Accessories	
Hair bands and hair bobbles/scrunchies should be in the school colours of brown and yellow only.	
Coats	
We encourage children to wear warm coats with bright colours to ensure their visibility during the dark, winter months. Outdoor play and learning is promoted so coats/jackets are needed throughout the year.	

Parents should inform the school, in writing, if their child is not able to comply with the Uniform Policy for any reason.

The school will distribute slips as shown below to indicate breaches of uniform. The expectation will be for the child to return to school in full uniform as soon as possible.



Name of pupil: _____
Class: _____
Date: _____

Dear Parent,

We have noticed that your child has not been wearing the appropriate school uniform. In order to promote equality throughout the school it is important that all children wear their uniform every day.

Please assist us in this matter by ensuring that your child is prepared for school accordingly.

Thank you,

R. Peters
Principal