

The Grammar School at Leeds uniform and PE kit list 2023-24

The school's uniform supplier is Schoolblazer and purchases can be made [online](#).

There is also a second hand uniform shop, 2Kit, run by volunteers from the PFA. The dates of their pop up shops are advertised on our [website](#).

Standard of dress and appearance

All pupils must wear the school uniform correctly, to and from school and normally for all occasions when they are representing the school: this includes school visits and sports fixtures whether or not these are in school hours. Exceptions to this will be notified by the member of staff in charge of the activity.

It is essential for the appearance of all pupils to be compatible with their attendance at a uniformed school which has high expectations of good behaviour. The following uniform regulations constitute part of the terms and conditions signed by parents when they accept a place for their child at the school. To save the expense of replacement of unacceptable items we ask parents to adhere to the details of the school's uniform regulations when equipping their child. The decision of the school is final in respect of all school uniform regulations.

Appearance of students

- All students are expected to keep their hair clean, of a natural single colour, tidy and out of the eyes.
- Hair should not be cut shorter than a No.2.
- Hair which falls to the shoulders is considered to be long. Long hair should be tied back at all times.
- Hair accessories should be plain and in school colours even when it is part of hair braiding or beading.
- Where a headscarf, patka/turban is worn, these should be plain and in tune with school colours. The full face of a student must be visible at all times.
- Students should keep themselves clean-shaven at all times.
- Make-up and nail varnish are not allowed. This includes tinted lip balms.
- Tattoos (temporary or permanent) and facial and body piercings should not be visible at any time.

Jewellery

Apart from wrist watches, items of jewellery are not considered appropriate with the exception of the following:

- Neck chains, medallions and name bracelets, if worn, must not be visible while in school uniform and must be removed for physical education. This includes medical detailed jewellery.
- Rings on fingers are not permitted.
- Plain ear studs; one per ear and worn only in ear lobes are permitted.

All jewellery must be removed for PE and games lessons without exception. All jewellery/watches of significant value (cost or sentimental) should not be brought into school and is done so at the owner's risk.

Naming of uniform

- All items of school uniform should be named.
- Schoolblazer offer a name taping service. They charge for the name tapes and sew them on free of charge.
- It is our experience that iron-on labels are not as durable or as visible as the embroidered variety.

Transition period

The school's uniform supplier changes to Schoolblazer for the academic year 2023-24 onwards. Pupils may continue to wear items from the previous uniform list until they outgrow them **except** for skirts, pinafores, summer dresses, reversible

PE/house top and tabards, which can be worn until 31 August 2024.

Useful links

<https://www.schoolblazer.com/>

www.gsal.org.uk/for-parents/uniform/ www.gsal.org.uk/for-parents/parents-friends/

If you require clarification on the regulations or have personal requirements, you must discuss this with the relevant Deputy Head (Pastoral) in Primary School or the relevant Head of Year or Senior Deputy Head (Pastoral) in Senior School at your earliest convenience.

Primary School uniform list

All children in Primary School must wear the following GSAL uniform, according to the year group they are in. Optional items are marked accordingly.

*These items are only available from Schoolblazer.

Nursery and Reception
*School stormproof coat
*School midlayer navy with contrast purple stitch
*School house t-shirt
Navy jogging bottoms – can be purchased from Schoolblazer or elsewhere
PE shorts (navy) - can be purchased from Schoolblazer or elsewhere
Black (Velcro fastening) shoes
White or grey socks
*School navy backpack
*School beanie hat (optional)
*School baseball cap (optional)

Years 1 – 6
*School stormproof coat
*School blazer
White long sleeve or short sleeve shirt or blouse – can be purchased from Schoolblazer or elsewhere
*School tie (house colour)
*School culottes or grey trousers or grey shorts (trousers and shorts can be purchased from Schoolblazer or elsewhere)
*School v-neck jumper or cardigan
Black shoes (Y1-3 Velcro fastening; Y4-6 not ballet style or boots)
Grey tights or grey or white socks
*School navy backpack
*School beanie hat (optional)
*School baseball cap (optional)

Years 1-6 PE uniform and kit
*School midlayer with contrast purple stitch
*School games shirt from Y3
*School house shirt (house colour)
*School skort or PE shorts
*School training pants
*School games socks (optional for Y1-2, compulsory for Y3-6)
White ankle socks
Outdoor trainers
Football boots (Y3-6 only)
Speedo navy swim shorts or jammer shorts or swimming costume or black Speedo jammer suit – can be purchase from School Blazer or elsewhere
*School swim cap
*School games bag
Navy baselayer top (optional) – can be purchased from Schoolblazer or elsewhere
Navy baselayer leggings (optional) – can be purchased from Schoolblazer or elsewhere
Navy fitness leggings (optional) - can be purchased from Schoolblazer or elsewhere
Navy cycling shorts (optional) - can be purchased from Schoolblazer or elsewhere
Navy sports head covering (optional) - can be purchased from Schoolblazer or elsewhere
*School rugby smock top (optional)
*School rugby shorts (required for Y5-6 pupils who play competitive rugby)
Shin guards and gum shield (Y3 – Y6)
Swimming goggles

Additional items required:

- 1 pair of inexpensive earphones (not headphones) – Y5 and Y6 only

Senior School uniform list

*These items are only available from Schoolblazer

Years 7-11	
*School blazer	This is a compulsory item of uniform to be worn throughout the school day. Hoodies are not to be worn either under or over the blazer at <u>any time</u>.
Shirt	Clean, plain white shirt or blouse, short or long sleeved, designed to be worn with a tie and completely tucked into trousers or culottes at the waistband. Underwear must not be visible through the shirt. Can be purchased from Schoolblazer or elsewhere.
*School tie	School tie (incorporating House colours) or House tie or special awards tie (awarded in school)
*School culottes	School tartan pleated culottes. Culottes should be to the knee in length – this is a strict rule. The culottes must not be shortened at the hem or rolled over at the waistband. When buying the culottes please allow for growth.
OR	
Trousers	Plain, grey and well pressed. Black trousers are not allowed. Fashionable ‘skinny’ trousers are also not permitted. Can also be purchased from Schoolblazer.
Socks or Tights	Plain grey or black socks, ankle length, compatible with uniform. Plain black, opaque tights.
Shoes	Plain style, black. Leather which can be polished is preferred - matt is acceptable (<i>not suede or canvas</i>) provided the shoe is essentially plain without coloured eyeholes or laces, medallions, overt logos, etc. <i>Boots or black leather trainers may <u>not</u> be worn.</i>
*Jumper	School v-neck jumper with white and grey trim
Coats	Coats should be of a colour and style compatible with a school uniform - overcoats, raincoats or anoraks in grey, navy, black or blue which covers the blazer completely and be without logos. Fur, leather, PVC fabrics and trims are not acceptable. A School puffer jacket (optional) can be purchased from Schoolblazer.
*School puffer jacket (optional)	Stormtex heavy-weight puffer jacket with school logo.
*School beanie hat (optional)	School beanie hat to be worn outdoors only.
* School baseball cap (optional)	School baseball cap to be worn outdoors only.

School bags

Pupils in **all years** may bring into school a rucksack or shoulder bag to accommodate both their laptop and any school work they may have. These items should be sober in colour and should not have garish or excessive external branding.

A cool bag or suitable container

This is needed to carry ingredients/products for Food Technology lessons.

Additional items required:

- A purple pen for their learning
- A refillable water bottle, preferably plain in design and colour, labelled clearly with child name

- 1 pair of inexpensive earphones (not headphones)
- A calculator – Casio fx-85GTX is recommended

Senior School sports clothing and equipment	
* School midlayer with contrast purple stitch	
*School games shirt	
*School house shirt (house colour)	
*School PE skort or PE shorts	
*School rugby shorts	
*School training pants (either standard or pro-fit)	
OR	
Navy fitness leggings (can be purchased from Schoolblazer or elsewhere)	
*School games socks	
White ankle socks	
*School sports duffle bag	
Trainers – non-marking soles	
Rugby or football boots – studs must comply with safety regulations (rugby or football only). Studded boots, including moulded boots, will be allowed on the 3G pitch (not blades or trainers).	
Astroturf trainers (hockey only)	
Mouth-guard (recommended, compulsory for hockey)	
Shin guards (essential for both football and hockey)	
Speedo navy swim shorts, jammer shorts or swimming costume or black Speedo jammer suit – can be purchased from Schoolblazer or elsewhere	
*School swimming cap	
Swimming goggles	
Other items	
* School rugby smock top (optional)	
Navy base layer top (optional) – can be purchased from Schoolblazer or elsewhere	
Navy baselayer leggings (optional) – can be purchased from Schoolblazer or elsewhere	
Navy cycling shorts (optional) - can be purchased from Schoolblazer or elsewhere	
*School sixth form fitness t-shirt	
Navy sports head covering (optional) - can be purchased from Schoolblazer or elsewhere	