



Al Rabeeh School

Uniform Policy

Reviewed September 2022

Uniform Policy at Al Rabeeh School

Ethos

At Al Rabeeh School we believe it is important that our pupils feel a sense of belonging to our school. We believe that wearing a smart and practical uniform allows all children, regardless of their backgrounds, to feel equal to their peers and confident in their appearance. We also believe it is important for children to wear clothing that is conducive to a successful learning environment, including activity-appropriate clothing, such as sports attire. The students are our ambassadors when they are in and out of the school during school hours and what they do and say and how they look and conduct themselves is of great importance.

Aims

The aim is for students to present a neat appearance without being obtrusive, competitive or fashionable in what they wear.

Purpose

This policy, in conjunction with the School's Behaviour Policy, will be used by all staff and all students. Staff reporting of ongoing uniform issues will require liaison with the Head of Year, who will act to resolve the issues and escalate the issue as needed. The Assistant Head Teachers, Deputy Head Teachers and the Principal will follow through with children and parents who do not wear the correct uniform and sanctions will follow thereafter.

Roles and Responsibilities:

The School Board is responsible for:

- Establishing a practical and smart school uniform that accurately reflects the school's vision and values.
- Ensuring that equal opportunities are considered regarding the school's uniform
- Listening to the opinions and wishes of parents/carers, pupils and the wider school community regarding changes to the school's uniform.
- Ensuring that the school's uniform is accessible and affordable.

The Principal is responsible for:

- Enforcing the school's uniform on a day-to-day basis.
- Ensuring that school staff understand this policy and know what to do if a pupil is in breach of the policy.
- Listening to the opinions and wishes of the school community regarding the school's uniform and making appropriate recommendations to the Governing Board.
- Providing pupils with exemptions as appropriate e.g. for a pupil who has a broken arm and requires a loose-fitting top.

Teaching and support staff are responsible for:

- Ensuring that pupils dress in accordance with this policy at all times.
- Taking appropriate action when pupils are in breach of this policy.

- Ensuring that pupils understand why having a consistent and practical school uniform is important.

Parents are responsible for:

- Providing their children with the correct school uniform as detailed in this policy.
- Ensuring that their child's uniform is clean, presentable and the correct size.

Pupils are responsible for:

- Wearing the correct uniform at all times
- Looking after their uniform as appropriate.
- Respecting why a school uniform is important to the school e.g. to develop a sense of belonging

Cost and Availability:

All uniform is available from ZAKS uniform in Mushrif Mall.

ZAKS Uniform bus will make termly stops at Al Rabeeh School so that all parents will have the opportunity to purchase uniforms.

The Uniform Examples of the approved and agreed uniform for each key stage is available on the school website as well as on display in the school reception.

The uniform must be worn correctly :

- On arrival at school,
- When travelling home from school,
- When exiting the play areas at the end of break time.

Jewellery:

- Students are permitted to wear one small stud earring in each ear. No other piercings are permitted.

Make up:

- No Make-up is to be worn by students.

Shoes: (see below)

- Shoes should be black leather school shoes. Shoes should have no coloured soles or logos. Shoes should be polished regularly.

- Any types of sports shoes (even if they are fully black) are unacceptable.

Hairstyles

- Long hair should be tied back fully off the face.
- Sensible use of hair accessories is acceptable to keep hair orderly and neat, e.g. Alice band, hair band, clips, slides, elastic bands etc are acceptable as long as they are plain and of a matching school colour, i.e. red
- Boys hair – neat front, back and sides

Monitoring and Evaluating

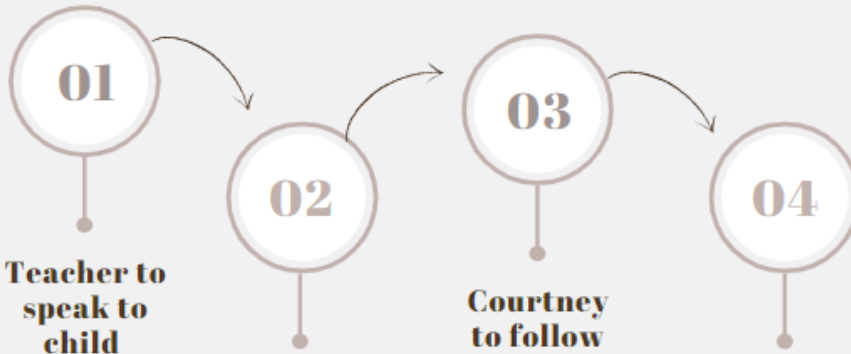
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Policy Review

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ARS Uniform Procedures



01 Teacher to speak to child

Teacher to speak to child about incorrect uniform, send parent a Dojo message.

02 HOY to speak to child

HOY to speak to child about incorrect uniform. HOY & Teacher to send a message to parent. Send home correct uniform letter & visuals.

03 Courtney to follow up

Courtney to phone parent and send email to follow up. Send formal letter

04 SLT to follow up

A member of SLT to call parent in and follow up with a letter & visuals.





- Hair for girls and boys needs to be neat, tied back and out of the face
- Boys and girls to tuck in their shirts and look neatly presented
- All shoes need to be black.
- Unnecessary jewelry and hair accessories could be confiscated and sent home
- Nails to be clean, no nail polish to be worn
- Leggings/ tights for girls needs to be plain without any patterns

Acceptable and unacceptable shoes

