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At Bramhope we take pride in belonging to our school and representing our school in the best possible way. One of the ways we do this is by looking smart at school and by encouraging our children to wear our school logo with pride.

You can now see our logo across our school uniform and on some of our school equipment. We ask that wherever possible, parents / carers purchase school uniform with our school logo on it to give our children a sense of belonging and to look as smart as they possibly can.

Please read on to view our full list of school uniform and school equipment requirements.

School uniform can be purchased at **the following suppliers**, please follow links below:

www.koolkidzuniforms.com/

<https://jr-sports.co.uk>

Pre-loved Uniform

We have a large supply of good quality, pre-loved uniform available to purchase. This is run by parent volunteers. Please email **bpsuniforms@outlook.com** with the age and size of your child and the items you are looking for then a member of the team can advise what we currently have in stock.

Thank you for your support in sending your child in correct school uniform every day.

School Uniform

- Grey tailored skirt or pinafore dress, trousers / shorts/ red checked dress may be worn from April to October
- Bramhope polo shirt/plain white polo shirt
- Bramhope cardigan or sweatshirt/red cardigan or sweatshirt
- Black outdoor shoes, with little or no heel (not slip-ons). Trainers are not allowed. Black boots may be worn in winter
- Plain white or black socks. Plain grey or red tights
- Bramhope rucksack
- Every child requires a house t-shirt which can be purchased from the school office for £2.50.



PE Kit

- Bramhope skort or shorts/plain black skort or shorts
- Bramhope sports polo top
- Bramhope tracksuit/black jogging bottoms or leggings/black sweatshirt or zip up top
- Plain, unbranded white or black trainers



Additional Equipment

The following items are only available to purchase at the school office:

- Water bottles £2.50
- House t-shirts £2.50

Water bottles

We encourage children to drink water throughout the day and have water coolers in school to facilitate this. We are committed to reducing our use of plastics and therefore ask that all children bring a named, school water bottle each day and take it home regularly to be washed. House water bottles are available from the school office and feature the school logo. Water bottles cost £2.50.



Pencil cases and school equipment

Children **should not** bring any stationery or equipment to school other than a bag and a water bottle.

Naming

As you will appreciate, lost property is an on-going challenge in school and **we ask that everything is clearly named** with surnames (no nicknames please!) so we can easily return all lost items to their owners. From experience, items which are labelled with a sticker are much easier to identify as pen eventually becomes illegible. Please support school by buying your labels from **Stickins** as we receive 30% commission on all sales. Stickins labels are perfect for labelling ALL school items and do not require ironing or sewing on.

Outdoor clothing

As you may be aware, we always endeavour to take children outside at playtime, even if it is drizzling. With this in mind, we ask that all children **bring a waterproof coat to school every day**. In freezing weather it is sometimes necessary to keep the children in at playtimes, especially when the playground is icy. If it is judged safe, pupils may be taken out on to the field if they are wearing suitable wellington / snow boots or walking boots. Please note children should have gloves and a hat in cold weather which must be named.

Jewellery

Children are **not allowed to wear any jewellery** in school, with the exception of stud earrings and watches (**not smart watches**).

If children are wearing earrings, they will be expected to remove them on PE days, or days when they are attending a sports club after school. If you are considering having your child's ears pierced, please do so at the start of the summer holiday. Children will need to be able to remove their own earrings for PE lessons and sports activities. If children are unable to remove their own earrings, please send them to school with tape over their ears. The tape will remain in place until children return home. School can not provide tape or plasters for the children.

We discourage children from bringing any expensive items into school. **Watches with wi-fi connectivity are not allowed in school.**

Mobile Phones

Children do not require a mobile phone in school.

Only Year 6 pupils are allowed to bring phones into school if walking to and from school.

If parents deem it necessary to send a phone into school, the children **MUST** hand their phone in to the school office once they have entered the school building, before joining their class for registration and they must collect it after school finishes. A **mobile phone permission form** must be completed by the parent / carer and child. Children must not use their phones in school or on the playground. Please see our 'Acceptable Use Policy' for more information.

School bags

All children from Reception to Year 2 should have a named school bag with the school logo, available from our school uniform suppliers. The school bag is optional in Year 3-6. The Bramhope school bags are large enough to hold a reading book and packed lunch where appropriate. They have side pockets to hold water bottles upright.



Toys

Children are not permitted to bring toys into school. We provide a variety of equipment for play times. The only exception to this rule is that KS2 children who are allowed to bring their own named lightweight, non-stitched footballs or netballs.

Sun hats / Sun Screen

As part of our school sun safety policy we encourage all children to bring in sun hats when the weather requires.

All parents / carers are asked to apply a high factor sunscreen to their child before school throughout the summer months and at any other time that they feel is appropriate. If parents / carers feel it is necessary for sunscreen to be applied during the school day, they must supply their own sunscreen, labelled with their child's name.

Hair

All shoulder length hair should be off the face and tied back. Please ensure that if your child wears hair accessories, they can fasten or tie them independently. Children are permitted to wear red, white or black hair covered bands, small clips or bows. We strongly discourage fashion haircuts and shaved lines cut into hair.

Make-Up

Children are **not allowed** to wear any make-up in school. This includes nail varnish.

Lost Property

At regular intervals we will put all lost property out onto the playgrounds for parents and children to check if there are any items belonging to them. Any remaining items will go into our pre-loved uniform sales or into recycling. Lost property is held in the school office. **Please ensure all items are named** so that they can be returned where possible. Please use our preferred supplier [Stickins](#) for labelling.