



School Uniform at Roseburn Primary School

How our school uniform is agreed:

The school uniform and its colours are agreed in consultation with parents, learners, staff, and Parent Council. It incorporates a range of items, from formal to less formal.

Why we believe school uniform is important:

- Wearing school uniform contributes to a positive school ethos, a sense of pride and belonging, helps avoid discrimination and reduces peer pressure to wear expensive designer clothing.
- A school's reputation can also be enhanced in the local community by the wearing of school uniform.
- School security can be improved if pupils of Roseburn are easily recognisable, and it will be easier to identify intruders on school grounds.
- Wearing school uniform supports pupils as part of routine to come to school ready to learn.

What we believe the school uniform should be:

We know that pupils and parents/carers will want a uniform to be comfortable, affordable, durable, sustainable, inclusive and accessible to all shapes and sizes, with a clear understanding for all about what uniform is acceptable. This is why Roseburn allows, within reason, some flexibility for families to choose items based on the school parameters, but also the needs of the pupil or family.

What is our uniform:

- **P1-P6** - Our uniform for P1-6 is pink, white and brown.
- **P7** - P7 learners choose and design their own colour hoodie each session to be combined with black bottoms, or brown if you wish (many opt for black as that is colour of Craigmount, one of our catchment high schools).
- **Physical Education (PE)** - Clothing for PE is a house team-coloured t-shirt - Belmont (Blue), Glendevon (Green), Murrayfield (Yellow), Ravelston (Red) - and plain shorts and gym shoes with non-marking soles. These are necessary for health and safety reasons and to ensure that learners are equipped to participate in the PE lessons. Sometimes children will be asked to bring outdoor trainers suitable for a visit to the park or swim wear for specific blocks or sessions.
- **Branding** – School Uniform items can be plain or embroidered with the school logo. There are branded Roseburn uniform items available from a supplier below. There are also iron-on Roseburn badges available from the PTA, which you can add to plain clothes. Anyone is welcome to incorporate the Roseburn badge, but it is not a requirement. Please avoid non-Roseburn branded clothes (e.g. a pink jumper with another logo across the front).
- **School bags** – Children should bring a bag to school to carry their water bottle, snack, lunch (if applicable), bring home any home learning and, on occasion, bring their PE kit home for washing. A small-medium rucksack is fine for this purpose and you child can pick their own style and colour.

Other important info on school uniform:

- **Naming uniform** - Please ensure that all items are clearly labelled, particularly jackets, sweatshirts and PE equipment (which are often lost), and ensure learners do not bring valuable or expensive items of clothing to school.
- **Class activities** - In certain circumstances, appropriate clothing will be necessary for school activities for health and safety reasons, e.g. food, science & technical

workshops. This may extend on occasion to the wearing of suitable footwear, tying hair back away from the face and not wearing jewellery or earrings.

- **Restrictions on uniform** - Offensive clothing such as T-shirts or other items painted with obscene language or illustrations are not permitted. Football colours are also not appropriate. It would be preferable if pink or brown coloured cardigans, hoodies and jumpers are self-coloured / plain and not patterned, flowered or striped.
- If you have any queries regarding the school's dress code, please contact the School Office.

Where you can order uniform from:

You can order uniform from any shop or supplier you wish, within the parameters of the colours and items suggested below. Unfortunately, items in brown are not always as easy to find as other colours, so while we expect parents to try to source brown items, we understand that sometimes items are out of stock or become unavailable at suppliers.

What do if you are struggling to get school uniform:

- No parent should ever feel concerned about getting hold of school uniform, and there are a number of ways in which the school can help. If key items are out of stock, unavailable or regular suppliers have changed, please let the school know and they can offer some flexibility with your child's uniform until you can find an alternative. Remember if you can't find an item, it is likely that other parent/carers are having the same problem, so do let us know!
- If you are experiencing financial hardship, please speak to the Headteacher as there are also ways the school can help.
- There is a thriving second-hand uniform shop run by the PTA who run regular sales of nearly new and good condition second hand uniform. Please look out for these on the school noticeboard, HT weekly Sway and in the class WhatsApp groups.

Our uniform:

The list below shows the range of uniform options from the more formal to the less formal. Where you sit on the scale is completely up to you and your child! You don't need to prepare for both, but you have the choice to pick what suits your child best or the activity they might be doing on a particular day (e.g. a school visit or an active lesson outdoors).

More Formal Options	↔	Less Informal Options
Bottoms: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Smart brown trousers• Smart brown skirt• Smart brown shorts		Bottoms <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Brown or pink jogging bottoms• Brown or pink leggings• Brown or pink tights• Brown or pink shorts
Dresses: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Brown or pink pinafore• Pink checked dress		Dresses <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Brown or pink plain jersey dress
Tops: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• White or pink blouse or shirt• Roseburn brown and pink tie• Brown or pink cardigan or jumper• Brown blazer		Tops: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Plain white or pink collared polo shirt• Plain white, pink or brown long-sleeved t-shirt• Plain brown or pink sweatshirt• Plain brown, pink or P7 hoodie
Shoes: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Smart black or brown shoes or boots		Shoes: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Black, brown or white trainers
Outerwear: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Roseburn branded jackets		Outerwear: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Anything you wish that is warm & waterproof!

Suppliers:

The School and Parent Partnership have created a list of suppliers which stock items that can form part of our uniform. White, pink and black (P7's only) are widely available in supermarkets, department stores and online retailers at a range of price points, so this list focusses on brown and all-round suppliers. If you find other good suppliers, do let us know!

Please note we can't take any responsibility for the quality, fit or prices of any supplier, however, if you would like to try any of the brands or sizing, the PTA hold a variety of second-hand stock and some sample items which will be available to try at uniform sales.

Supplier details	What they stock
Image Scotland - supplier of branded Roseburn Uniform Roseburn Primary School Uniform Shop	Branded: sweatshirt & cardigans; polo shirts & t-shirts; fleeces & outerwear; P7 uniform & leavers hoodies; coloured House t-shirts; Roseburn bags.
Borders Embroideries Embroidered Schoolwear & Clubwear	Boys brown smart shorts & trousers; brown sweatshirts & woollen jumpers; brown t-shirt; brown blazer. Girls pleated skirt; brown sweatshirt, cardigan & woollen jumper; brown t-shirt; brown blazer. Hat, gloves, jackets.
School Uniform 247 School Uniform Online - Zeco Schoolwear Back to School	Range of brown trousers (variety of fits / material), shorts, skirts, jumpers & fleeces. Wider range of other generic school uniform items. Pink checked summer dresses.
Direct Schoolwear Buy School Uniforms Online Direct School Wear UK	Brown smart shorts & trousers
Branded Branded Kids Oversized Collection - High Quality Clothing	Non-branded (despite the name!) brown joggers & hoodies.
ASDA School Uniform Shop Shoes & Clothes George at ASDA	Brown boys woollen round neck & V-neck jumpers. Girls brown woollen cardigans, round & V-neck jumpers; skirts, pinafores & pink checked dresses. Wide selection of white shirts, polo shirts & easy-on wear, shoes, bags and PE kit.
Marks and Spencer School Uniform at M&S	Wide range generic uniform, but no brown range currently. Wide range of white shirts, polo shirts, shoes, PE kit & also adaptive items which cater to special needs. Stock pink check pinafores.
John Lewis School Uniform Shop School Clothes John Lewis & Partners	Brown woollen tights
Amazon Amazon.co.uk : School Uniforms	A range of different generic uniform & workwear brands stocking brown & pink trousers, short, skirts, dresses, jumpers, leggings & tights.
School Uniform Scotland You searched for brown - School Uniform Scotland	Brown pinafore, skirt, trousers & shorts.
A note on leggings, joggers and jersey items.	We can't find regular suppliers of these, but a search on google always brings up lots of options. Recent finds include Next, Matalan, H&M, New Look and Temu. Pink leggings and joggers are widely available.
A note on Roseburn blazers	We do not have a supplier for blazers as they were part of a formal Roseburn uniform many years ago, though some are still in circulation! You may attach an iron-on badge to a generic brown blazer, but they do not form part of our current uniform.