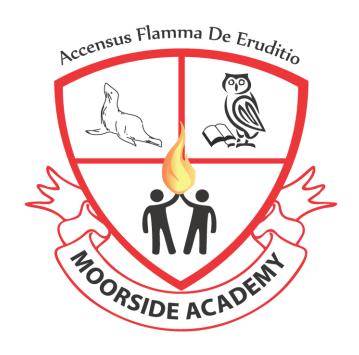
Moorside Community Primary Academy



Uniform Policy

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Moorside Academy uniform, for all children, is either black or grey trousers, skirt or pinafore, white or red polo shirt and black school jumper or cardigan. Headscarves can also be worn.

All children who start in Pod or Nursery will receive a free school branded jumper or cardigan. In addition to this all children who start in Reception, even if they have also been to Moorside Nursery, will also receive a free jumper or cardigan and a free book bag.

During the warmer months, children can wear **red** summer dresses or grey / black school shorts.

Our PE uniform for all children from Reception to Year 6 is black shorts, white t-shirt, black tracksuit bottoms and a black hoody. These can either be school branded t-shirts and hoodies or just plain. On PE days children can come into school wearing their PE kit. No jewellery is to be worn on PE days.

Our uniform is supplied by AC Sports and Premier Sports. You will be able to purchase all branded uniform from here including school jumpers and cardigans and PE t-shirt and hoody.

Both AC Sports and Premier Sports have an online shop and they have payment plans available and delivery is free, if you choose to have it delivered to school.

All uniform is available from AC Sports by following the link <u>Moorside Academy Uniform</u> <u>Shop</u> or <u>www.acsports.co.uk</u> and selecting the shop option followed by the school uniform option. You can also buy direct from their shop in Pemberton.

All uniform is available from Premier Sports by following the link https://premierwearuk.net/product-category/schools-academies/shop-by-school/moorside-community-primary-academy/. You can also buy direct from their shop in Ormskirk.

As always, children can wear uniform purchased from local shops, Asda, Peacocks etc including plain black sweatshirts or cardigans.

We will have a small stock of jumpers and cardigans available in school. Other school accessories available from school include; book bags, ties and summer caps.

Provision of second-hand uniforms

Second-hand uniforms can benefit all parents and by extending the life of garments, it is more sustainable.

We now have provisions in place to make second hand uniforms available to all families to acquire. If you would like to donate uniform in good, clean condition to school, we will make this available to families as a uniform giveaway. You can make a small donation for any uniform acquired, if you wish to do so. All donations will go to Friends of Moorside. If you are in need of uniform at any time, please do not hesitate to speak to a member of the office staff or Mrs McSorley/Mr Davis.

Alternatively, parents can access the website 'Uniformerly'- https://uniformerly.co.uk/ - where parents and schools can buy, sell, give away and recycle uniform.

Labelling your uniform

Every year we have a lot of school jumpers and cardigans go missing and this is often due to them not having the child's name in or they have washed out. To ensure uniform can be identified, please put your child's name in all items. There are a number of ways you can do this. You can write on the label in ball pen or Sharpie, you can buy name labels from a number of sources including from our uniform suppliers or you can buy labels from a company called Stikins. If you choose Stikins to label your child's uniform, Friends of Moorside (our school fundraising group) can earn up to 30% commission from every order. Also, at the end of each school year, your child will receive a free sample of Stikins labels to try. For further information or to place an order, please use the link below.

Click here to order Stikins name labels and raise money for the school.

Discrimination

If you think that this Uniform Policy discriminates against your child, please speak to the Headteacher/Assistant Headteacher's immediately.