
Be prepared

Pupils should be prepared for all types of weather; we have lots of activities when pupils are outside or visits off site. Parents need to be aware of weather conditions and make sure their child is suitably dressed.

- Coats for colder days and wintery weather.
- Sensible footwear for outdoor activities
- Sunscreen in the warmer months
- Hat for the sun in the summer months, especially sporting events

Pupils may not be able to participate in activities if they are not suitably dressed. For those pupils who come to school in clothing that can cause health and safety we will contact parents to bring in suitable items. The safety of everyone is paramount.

Unfortunately for Health and Safety reasons we cannot allow:

- Open toed shoes/sandals including sliders, flip flops.
- Vest tops, including off the shoulder and thin strapped vest tops for girls.
- Jeans of kind, leggings that are see through.
- Shorts above the knees.
- Low cut tops or tops that show any flesh
- Jewelry – we only allow one set of small studs and a watch.
- Pupils will be asked to remove rings, bangles, and large earrings.
- If pupils wear a necklace, this needs to be concealed under their upper garments, if this can be seen or the necklace is thick and heavy, they will be asked to remove it.
- Pupils who have earned their Duke of Edinburgh hoodie, may wear these in the winter, we are proud of their achievement, as they should be and will inspire other pupils to complete the bronze award.



School Uniform Expectations

Talbot House does not insist that a full school uniform is worn, however, we do have some rules. It is important for pupils to feel they are part of a community. This leaflet will hopefully give some recommendations. If you are unsure and would like more information or clarity, please contact our care team at school.

Pupils are given the choice of either a polo shirt or T-shirt along with a sweatshirt, free of charge. These are a dark purple with our logo on. We ask that plain sweat pants or plain trousers, either black, blue, brown, or grey, be worn. We are happy that the pupils wear comfortable footwear, these can be trainers. Pupils can wear hats to school but must remove them once inside school.

Large branded T-Shirts/sweatshirts are not allowed, hoodies are not allowed. If your child does not want to wear the purple tops we provide they can wear a plain, black, navy blue, grey or brown T-shirt, polo shirt, or sweatshirt. For this year we are prepared to accept a small logo on the front of the shirt on the breast.

Coats should be removed once inside the school, so please ensure that your child has appropriate clothing to keep them warm in the colder months.

We understand that our pupils have sensory needs, and we are always happy to discuss with you your Childs needs.

We also want our pupils to be prepared for adulthood, for example, you wouldn't expect to wear your coat, hat, or gloves in the workplace unless it is part of a uniform. We will be happy to explain different circumstances and expectations for different careers.

We will provide aprons for any cookery lessons, or arts and crafts when the pupil potentially could get dirty.

We have washing facilities on site; we are happy to wash items of clothing that need to cleaned.

We also have walking/hiking boots if needed, pupils have their own at school.

PLEASE SPEAK TO US ABOUT
EXTRA SWEATSHIRTS, POLO
SHIRTS OR T-SHIRTS

WE HAVE A CLOSED GROUP
FACEBOOK PAGE IF YOU WOULD
LIKE TO JOIN US, PLEASE
REQUEST, UNFORTUNATELY WE
CAN ONLY ACCEPT
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