



Tudor Grange
Academies Trust

Uniform Guide





Academy Uniform

Tudor Grange Academy is very proud of the standards it maintains with uniform. This is achieved through the partnership between the Academy and home. To enable you to support the Academy the full uniform requirements are listed in this guide.

Tudor Grange Academy bespoke School Uniform and PE kit is supplied by PB Sports, Kingshurst.

All items of uniform are of a high quality, hard wearing and offer excellent value for money.

The following bespoke items can be purchased from our supplier.

Blazer

- Green with Academy badge on pocket, single breasted, two-button blazer.

Tie

- Official Tudor Grange tie, reaching the waist. Ties should not be tucked into shirts and must be worn showing seven stripes.

Pullover

- Mid grey with Academy badge. **The pullover is compulsory from October half term until Easter.** Hoodies, round-necked and sweatshirts are not permitted.

Skirt

- Mid grey pleated boxed skirt to be worn on or just above the knee. Plain pencil type skirts are not permitted.



PE Kit: (Purchased from PB Sports)



Academy PE KIT

Includes:

- TGAK black sport shirt
- TGAK black hoodie
- TGAK black shorts, tracksuit bottoms or leggings.
- TGAK black socks

Please note, you may purchase plain black shorts, tracksuits bottoms, leggings or socks to support with the financial costs of the PE kit. These must be unbranded. The shirt and hoodie must still have the TGAK logo.

PE Footwear

- Sports trainers (any brand) are to worn for PE lessons.
- Astro turf trainers are recommended due to suitability on all surfaces and **for all activities**.
- Students will be advised in advance if they are able to wear football boots for activities. Students must still bring trainers in the event of poor weather conditions.



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PE Kit Policy

- If a student is injured or too ill to participate, they must have a note from home and still bring their kit to **all lessons** as they will be expected to take part in other roles, such as that of a referee, scorer keeper or coach etc. This also means uniform would not get wet in the event of rain.
- Clean, washed kit will be provided for pupils who forget their kit which students are expected to borrow and this will result in an after school detention. For repeated incidents, the sanction may be increased and meetings may be held with parents.
- Failure to borrow kit will result in internal suspension.



Mobile Phones

Phones are not allowed whilst on the school site during normal school hours, this includes any headphones, Smart watches or MP3 players.

If phones or mobile devices are seen or heard on the academy site, then they will be confiscated.

A second confiscation will require the parent/ carer/ nominated adult to collect the phone from the school admin office.

The following non-bespoke items can be purchased from the identified retailers:



Shirts

- White buttoned shirt, which should be tucked in at all times.

Trousers

- Mid grey of an orthodox style, not unduly tapered or flared, **no** skinny style trousers or trousers that are tight at the ankles

Skirt

- Mid grey pleated boxed skirt to be worn on or just above the knee.

Socks

- Plain black or dark grey. These need to be ankle or knee length.

Tights

- Pupils are encouraged to wear tights when wearing skirts. These need to be either dark grey or black. Thick opaque tights are acceptable and advised. Patterned tights are not acceptable. Tights must **not** be worn underneath socks.

Shoes

- Shoes should be plain black leather with a maximum heel height of 5cm and a maximum sole thickness of 2cm (the heel height is measured from the ground to the welt up the back of the heel). **Boots, boot-style shoes, stiletto heels, sling-back shoes, canvas shoes, suede shoes, trainers and skater style shoes are not permitted.**
- Students who are unable to wear shoes, at any point, must have a medical note for this to be authorised. A uniform pass will be given to cover the specified injury period.

Coats

- We encourage pupils to wear coats in adverse weather conditions. Please do not wear coats with slogans on that could cause offence to others and please note that coats are not worn inside the school academy buildings. Pupils will be asked to remove them when entering.

Academy Bag

- A School bag should be an appropriate size and be able to fit an A4 folder and be free of graffiti. Small hand/shoulder bags and carrier bags are not allowed.

Scarves and gloves

- Similar to coats, if the weather is poor then scarves and gloves are encouraged. Please note that they are not worn inside the school academy buildings. Pupils will be asked to remove them when entering.

Turbans

- Black or dark green.



Hijabs

- Black and pinned under the chin to stay on the head comfortably. Hijabs worn around the neck only are not permitted.

Hairstyles, Jewellery, Make-Up and Fashion Accessories

- Earrings are not permitted at the academy. No other piercings are allowed, this includes no clear piercings, nor spacers, holders or flesh coloured piercings.
- Extreme hairstyles, cuts and colours are not allowed on any occasion. This includes eyebrows. Examples of extreme hairstyles, including close shaved, decoratively shaved, two-tone colouring, extensive highlighting and decorative braiding, are not allowed.
- Any dyed hair must be a natural hair colour.
- Hairbands and slides, if worn, should be bottle green or plain black.
- Jewellery is not to be worn in the Academy (this includes bracelets, necklaces and rings)
- Watches may be worn, but no bracelets except charity and medical bracelets.
Smartwatches are also not allowed on site as they are a mobile communication device.
- Pupils may wear a discreet amount of mascara only. Students with excessive make-up will be asked to tone this down. Fake tan is not allowed.
- Nail varnish or false nails are not allowed; nails should be of a safe length to avoid injury to self or others. False eyelashes or other decorative items are also not permitted.

Please remember:

- Academy uniform should not be mixed with non-uniform items.
- The sports clothing specified in the uniform list must be worn for PE and games, and for matches with other schools.
- All uniform must be clearly labelled. The use of laundry markers is proving to be most effective in the re-turn of mislaid items.
- In travelling to and from the Academy, while at the Academy, and while representing the Academy at functions or matches, pupils must wear full Academy uniform.
- Uniform is also normally worn during educational visits

Note - If a pupil arrives at school with incorrect uniform their College Leader/member of the Senior Leadership Team may:

- (a) Send the pupil home to change, having first contacted the parents,
- (b) Provide a change of uniform,
- (c) Send the pupil to the internal suspension room to work for the day.

The Principal's decision on acceptable uniform is final.

School Trouser & Skirt Guidance

The following information has been provided to help parents and carers in identifying what styles of trousers and skirts are suitable for school wear.

Our Uniform Policy clearly stipulates that tight fitting trousers, leggings, shorts, cargo pant or fashion trousers of any kind are not permitted in school.

Whilst this is not designed to be an exhaustive list, and bearing in mind that shop stock and styles will change, we hope that this guidance will be useful when purchasing school uniform items for your child.

Thank you in anticipation of your full support.

Suggested suppliers in this booklet include:



PB Sports supplies Tudor Grange Academy bespoke School Uniform and PE kit. The address for PB Sports is Unit 8 Waterloo Avenue, Chelmsley Wood Industrial Estate, B37 6QQ. Tel: 0121 770 8000. <https://www.pbsportonline.co.uk/tudor-grange-academies-trust>

Early Years Schoolwear currently stock Tudor Grange Solihull and have all trousers and skirts in stock. The address for Early Years Schoolwear is 407 - 411 Stratford Road, Shirley, B90 4AA. <http://www.earlyyearsschoolwear.com/c/1678/Tudor-Grange-Academy>

Examples of Prohibited Trousers

The following items are an indicative gallery of prohibited items. They are not appropriate for school wear and must not be worn.

As fashions change quickly, this gallery may not show all pictures of prohibited items. Be sure that you are purchasing appropriate school wear please contact the Academy with any queries.



Acceptable Footwear

Examples of shoe styles that are acceptable and suitable to be worn with uniform.



Unacceptable Footwear

Unacceptable styles that must not be worn. For example, black or dark trainers, ballet pumps and canvas pumps including leather Vans or Converse style shoes.



Academy Uniform Check List

Academy blazer	
White shirt with top button	
Academy tie	
Pullover (compulsory October half term to Easter)	
Grey trousers	
Grey boxed pleat skirt	
Socks (plain black, or grey)	
Tights (black, grey or neutral)	
Black leather shoes	
PE polo shirt	
PE shorts, leggings or tracksuit bottoms	
PE Hoodie.	
Trainers (Astro turf recommended)	
Water bottle (optional)	
ID Card, Lanyard and Holder	

Stationery Check List

Planner	
Bag (big enough to hold an A4 folder)	
2 Pens (at least) / 2Pencils	
Pencil sharpener and Eraser	
Ruler (minimum 15cm)	
Glue stick	
Green pen	
Highlighter	
Maths calculator (Casio fx-83GT plus)	
Named pencil case	
Reading Book	

PB Sports

Official Uniform and PE kit supplier for the Academy



PB Sports is conveniently located one minute from the Academy.



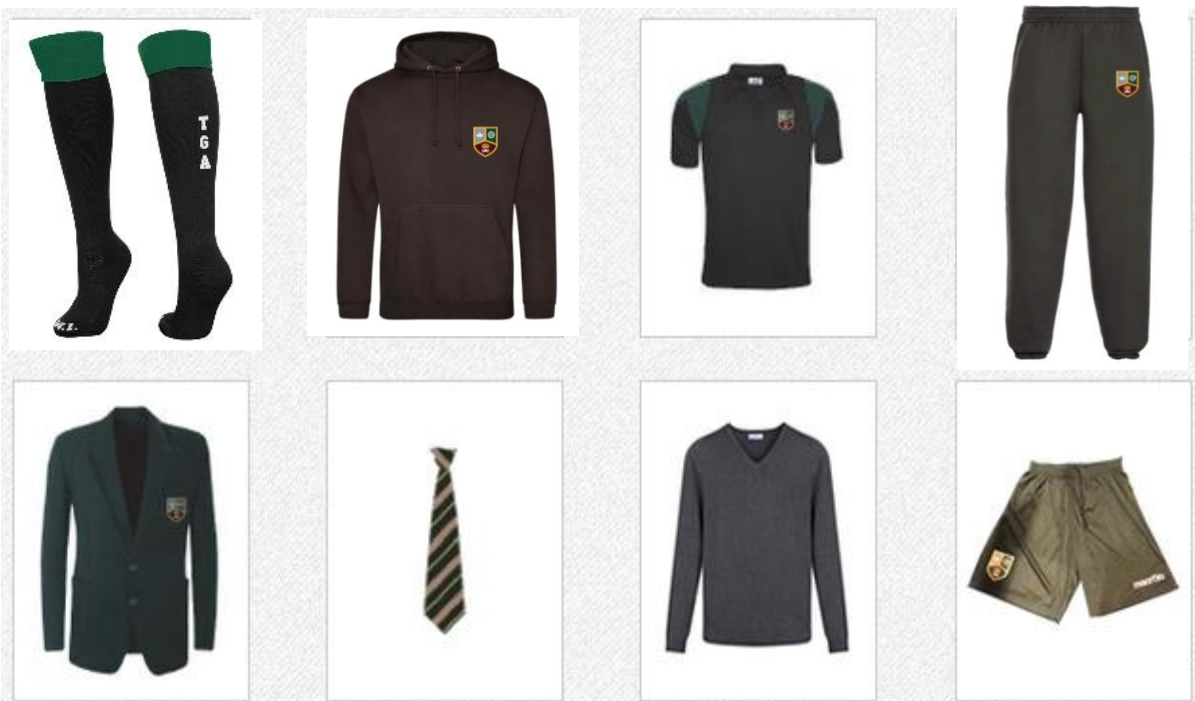
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Uniform is only available via an online order, click and collect service.

<https://shopify.pbsportonline.co.uk/collections/tudor-grange-academies-trust>