

## Kibworth Mead Academy Uniform

Our uniform can be purchased from Schoolwear solutions in Oadby.

<https://www.schoolwearsolutions.com/>

### **Blazers:**

- Official school blazer with school logo embroidered
- Blazers must be worn at all times in and around the school unless permission has been granted by a senior member of staff. In lessons students may remove their blazer if permitted by the class teacher. During the summer, students may carry their blazer when walking around the school.



### **Shirts:**

All shirts must be white and professional looking. Students are to wear shirts which are long enough to tuck into their waistband.

**Not Acceptable:** Coloured t-shirts which can be seen under the shirt

### **Trousers:**

Trousers should be black in colour, look professional and are acceptable when there is a crease down the front of the leg and the material consists of a polyester blend.

**Not Acceptable:** Skinny style of trousers, chinos, trousers of any denim material, and trousers which are 'stuck to' the leg



### **Skirts:**

- Black, stitched down pleated and no shorter than 1 inch above the knee when standing.
- The students can buy a skirt from our uniform provider or can choose from a variety of approved black skirts from certain retailers.
- If parents choose to purchase skirts not from this approved list, the school may not authorise the wearing of the skirt.



**Not Acceptable:** The rolling up of skirts to make them shorter. Lycra skirts or figure-hugging skirts. Skater Skirts or skirts without stitched down pleats.

### **Shorts:**

Students also have the option of wearing tailored shorts. These should be grey or black.

**Ties:**

Official school tie to be purchased from the school's uniform supplier.



**Tights and Socks:**

Plain black tights only are to be worn. Socks or tights may be worn with skirts. Not both. Students are to wear plain black, white, or grey socks only.

**Not Acceptable:** Footless tights, leggings/Jeggings or coloured socks.

**Jewellery:**

The following items are allowed to be worn by all years:

- 3 pairs stud or small hoop earrings (3 in each ear)
- Two signet rings
- Small discreet nose studs are allowed however other facial/body piercings are not allowed. If a student comes to school with an authorised visible facial/body piercing, they will be asked to remove the piercing or the student will be asked to replace it with a clear accessory, or a plaster must be worn over the piercing.

**Not Acceptable:** Ear stretchers. All jewellery must be removed for PE lessons.

**Shoes:**

- Black school shoes must be worn and laces must be black

**Not Acceptable:** Shoes with coloured logos or edging (i.e. Vans), high-top trainers, sandals, boots, open-toed shoes, plimsolls or other canvas shoes, trainers.

**Coats, Jackets and Hoodies:**

- Coats and jackets may be worn to and from school.
- All items must be removed by registration.
- Coats and jackets may not be worn during lessons; however, coats and jackets may be worn during Break and Lunch when weather appropriate. Hoodies are not an acceptable item in school.

**Not Acceptable:** Hoodies

**Jumpers:**

- Grey jumper with red piping available from uniform supplier (optional)
- Black school sweatshirt from uniform supplier (optional) or plain black sweatshirt with no logo.



**Not Acceptable:** Cardigans or any other jumpers/sweatshirts other than above

**PE Kit:**

- Long sleeve and/or short sleeve PE top with logo
- Black sweatshirt with logo or PE hoody with logo
- Black tracksuit bottoms with school logo
- Black shorts
- Black sports socks



**Additional information**

- Head scarves and turbans can be worn for religious reasons
- Hair accessories must only be plain, in black or navy blue
- For health and safety reasons, nails must not be excessively long or sharp. The academy reserves the right to request that students shorten their nails if longer than 3mm. Nail polish allowed but only in nude/natural colour
- No excessive makeup is permitted. Only lightly applied natural-looking makeup is allowed.
- Hair colour should be within the natural range of colours. Students must not have extreme hairstyles or colours which would be deemed unacceptable in a professional business environment.