

SCHOOL UNIFORM HILLHEAD PRIMARY 2013

WHAT IS THE UNIFORM?

KEY ITEMS

- Bottle green crewneck sweatshirt or bottle green sweatshirt cardigan featuring the school badge.
- White polo shirt featuring the school badge.
- Grey trousers, shorts, skirt or pinafore.
- Grey or bottle green tights.
- Grey or white socks.
- Black school shoes.

P.E KIT

- White T-shirt.
- Black shorts or black jogging bottoms.
- Black / White gym shoes.

OUTDOORS LEARNING KIT

- 'Wetsuit' – lightweight navy waterproof trousers and jacket, embroidered with our badge and packed in a little bag, which can be kept at school and used for outdoor trips and wet play times.

OPTIONAL EXTRAS

- **HIGHLY RECOMMENDED!** Coat - waterproof / fleece heavyweight reversible jacket in bottle green.
- Fleece jacket in bottle green with zipper and school badge.

- Bags - rucksack style, two sizes, infant and junior, in bottle green with school badge.
- Gym bag – drawstring style, bottle green, with badge.
- Homework / book bag with badge.
- Ski hat – bottle green, one size, with badge.

VERY IMPORTANT – PLEASE PUT YOUR CHILD’S NAME IN ALL UNIFORM ITEMS – PERSONALISED NAME TAGS AVAILABLE TO ORDER ON-LINE FOR £2.00.

OUTDOOR LEARNING

Hillhead Primary has an active Outdoor Learning programme.

WE STRONGLY ENCOURAGE PARENTS TO BUY A ‘WETSUIT’ FOR THEIR CHILD.

These are little bags that come with a waterproof jacket and pair of trousers.

These items make it much easier for teachers to take children out of the classroom during winter months / wet days.

We can also highly recommend the **HEAVYWEIGHT JACKETS**: they are waterproof and fleece lined, making them very good winter coats, suitable for wet and cold weather. We get a fantastic direct to school price of £16 for these jackets, which is great value for money.



WHERE CAN I BUY IT?

ON-LINE

FOR CHEAPER PRICES!

You can order on-line using via the border embroideries website at any time of the year. All items are available at the 'direct to school ' price. Orders are posted direct to you and you will pay postage and packaging costs.

www.border-embroideries.co.uk

Towards the end of the year (May to July) the website gives you the option of having your items sent to the school in a bulk order. **You avoid postage costs by doing this**, and simply pick your uniform up from the school on set dates at the end of the summer holidays.

2013 DIRECT TO SCHOOL DELIVERY: AVAILABLE FROM 15TH MAY TO 26TH JULY.

ITEM	DIRECT	SHOP
Sweatshirt	£6.80	£9.99
Fairtrade Sweatshirt	£10.25	£12.50
Fairtrade polo shirt	£8.25	£10.30
Cardigan	£8.35	£11.99
Gingham Dress	£8.95	£9.00
Wet suit in a bag.	£10.00	£13.00
White fairtrade T-Shirt for PE	£5.75	£7.00
Black cotton PE shorts	£4.50	£6.00
Black jogging pants	£7.00	£8.50
Zippered Fleece Jacket	£10.30	£14.99
Reversible waterproof jacket	£16.00	£24.99
Infant Backpack	£6.25	£8.25
Junior Backpack	£6.70	£8.99
Bookbag / Homework bag	£3.70	£5.50
Gymsac	£3.00	£3.50

TRUTEX SHOP

All items (except school shoes) are available from the Trutex Shop at any time of year.

35B ARGYLE STREET, GLASGOW, G2 8AH

Tel: 0141 221 4472

Email : glasgow@trutex.com

This is situated in the arcade leading off Argyle Street, to Argyle St station (opposite Marks and Spencer). The shop is at the back of this arcade with the shop front facing out onto Osborne Street and the back of the St Enoch centre.

Grey trousers, skirts, socks, etc are also available from a variety of other high street retailers.

PAPER ORDER FORM

We encourage all parents to use the on-line ordering system, however during the Summer term we also provide a paper order form for those who would prefer to use this method.

Forms are issued in the Summer term only, and have to be completed and handed in with cheque or EXACT cash payment to parent council volunteers during set 'payment sessions' in the school.

Forms can be downloaded from our website

www.hillheadprimaryschool.org or collected from the main office.

Summer 2013 payment session – Mon 17th – Friday 21st June.

Outdoor Classroom (river-side playground entrance).

8.50 – 9.15 am and 3 – 3.20pm

Please DO NOT hand these forms back into the school office or to class teachers. We have to check each form, count the money and issue a receipt and school staff cannot undertake this work.

EXCHANGES

Items ordered on-line or using the paper order form and picked up from school can be exchanged at the Trutex Shop if there is a fault or the size is wrong.

WHERE CAN I SEE EXAMPLES OF THE UNIFORM?

You can see all uniform items in the Trutex shop (details above) and this is the best place to go and look at sizes before ordering.

For parents of the new P1 intake, there will be uniform samples and information available at the induction sessions.

CAN I BUY SECOND HAND UNIFORM?

We would like to encourage all our parents to recycle uniform items where possible. Please try and pass on to other children any garments that no longer fit.

You can also donate uniform items to the school and we will sell them at our second hand uniform stall at the end of the summer term along with any unclaimed lost property.

We ask parents to help themselves to items they can use and in return make a small donation to school funds.

All the money raised will go the school and used to enhance the children's' learning experience.

Uniform items should be CLEAN and in a reasonable condition. Items can be handed in to the school office during the last weeks of the term.

IS THE UNIFORM FAIRTRADE?

As a Fairtrade School, Hillhead are working towards offering fairly traded uniform items. In the survey that children and parents completed before the transition to the new school it was highlighted as an area many felt strongly about.

Currently the uniform includes a fair trade polo shirt, sweatshirt and PE T-shirt.

Fairtrade is about better prices, decent working conditions, local sustainability, and fair terms of trade for farmers and workers in the developing world. By requiring companies to pay sustainable prices (which must never fall lower than the market price), Fairtrade addresses the injustices of conventional trade, which traditionally discriminates against the poorest, weakest producers. It enables them to improve their position and have more control over their lives.