

School Uniform Policy 2022-23

At Al-Burhan Grammar School, we actively promote care and excellence in everything pupils do. Uniform with a tidy and smart appearance supports the ethos of our school and enables pupils to act as school ambassadors.

Personal appearance

The uniform at Al-Burhan Grammar School is governed by the principles of Islamic dress: that it must cover and be loose-fitting. High standards of presentation are required at all times, and pupils must wear the uniform in a smart and tidy way.

Long nails, nail varnish, makeup, surma and contact lenses are not permitted. If pupils are seen wearing these, they will be asked to remove them immediately.

No jewellery other than one pair of small plain gold or silver stud earrings and a watch may be worn.

School Uniform

Item	Purchase from:
Burgundy long top, dress or kameez Loose-fitting, knee-length, full-sleeved.	Own choice of retailer
Dark grey trousers - wide-leg loose trousers	Mansuri School wear
OR	
Shalwar - Loose-fitting shalwar	Own choice of retailer
Burgundy school cardigan badged with School logo	Mansuri School wear
Headscarf The scarf must be ready-made, plain white and big enough to cover appropriately	Own choice of retailer
Socks Plain grey/navy/black/white (must be worn at all times). Socks must extend above the ankle (so that pupils are able to pray without worry); ankle-length socks are not permitted.	Own choice of retailer
Plain black formal Shoes Polished black, traditional style, black flat sole, closed toe shoes. Therefore, the following are NOT acceptable = fabric type shoes, logos, decorative buckles, laces, sequins, patterns, heels, boots, trainers, canvas or suede shoes.	Own choice of retailer
Plain Outdoor coat Plain, knee-length, black, grey or navy coat/jacket. Coats made of denim or corduroy or those with slogans or logos are not permitted	Own choice of retailer
School bag Plain black backpacks. Handbags/fashion bags are not allowed.	Own choice of retailer

Please note that loose fitting means that it should not cling to the body; therefore, items made from stretchy material are not allowed.

Jilbaabs

These are **not part** of school uniform. If you do choose to wear a Jilbaab, the following must be observed:

• Full school uniform must be worn underneath

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- Jilbaab must be plain navy or black
- Must be loose-fitting: Please note that loose fitting means that it should not cling to the body; therefore stretchy material should not be used for Jilbaabs.
- Simple cut: fashionable Jilbaabs and those with a dress/skirt-like cut are not permitted.
- Maximum ankle length (not floor length), for health and safety reasons.

As Jilbaabs are not part of the school uniform, if the above guidance is not followed, those pupils who break the rules will not be allowed to continue wearing one.

PE Kit

Item	Purchase from:
PE top with burgundy banding and school logo	Mansuri Schoolwear
Tracksuit trousers with burgundy banding	Mansuri Schoolwear
Large/X-large burgundy one-piece scarf	Amsons
Sports socks and trainers.	Own choice of retailer
Swimming kit covering arms and legs (1 or 2-piece)	Mansuri Schoolwear
Swimming cap	Own choice of retailer

Additional items/equipment

Pencil case:

Pencil cases or stationery bags must not display offensive or political images or slogans.

Banned Items

As per the school policy, chewing gum is not allowed in school, under any circumstances. It is strictly prohibited and any student found with chewing gum will receive a fine of £5 as per school policy. Other prohibited item include mobile phones, cameras, DVDs, iPods, MP3/MP4 players, earphones, electronic games, scissors, knives, tip-pex, gift items or any other material not relevant to your education at Al-Burhan School.

Mobile phones may be brought in if you use public transport to get to/from school, but permission must be sought from the Headteacher and phones must be handed into the office as soon as you arrive in school. Mobile phones must be **basic phones only** – no smart phones.

Note: If a prohibited or offensive item (such as an offensive image or slogan on stationery) is brought into school, the item will be confiscated.

Uniform monitoring

As a student of Al-Burhan Grammar School, it is mandatory to attend school wearing the correct uniform. It must be complete and not mixed with non-uniform clothing. This includes when travelling to and from school.

Uniform will be checked on regularly to ensure they conform to school policy and that students look smart and well presented. For significant and repeated breaches of the uniform code, student will be sent home to address the concern before returning to school.

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