## **YSGOL BRYN ALYN**

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## Dear Parent/Guardian

Please see the link below to the 2021 – 2022 Ysgol Bryn Alyn Uniform Policy and Uniform Guidance Leaflet, informing you about our new supplier and the expectations for our uniform in September. It is important that you read through the document to ensure that your young person remains fully compliant with the policy.

https://www.ysgolbrynalyn.co.uk/school-information/policies-and-documents/https://www.ysgolbrynalyn.co.uk/parents/uniform-2/

It is our belief that our uniform policy not only leads our pupils to be amongst the smartest in Wrexham but it also equips them with life skills such as presentation, professionalism, high expectations and consistency.

For the academic year 2021 – 2022 and onwards, our uniform supplier will be **Ram Leisure**, based in Wrexham. You are able to shop in person but must make an appointment before shop visits. Book your appointment via their website or place orders online. Delivery charges apply for postal orders or you can 'click and collect' from their premises on Whitegate Industrial Estate.

Telephone: 01978 360360 Email: <u>info@ramleisure.com</u>

Visit: https://ourschoolwear.co.uk/collections/ysgol-bryn-alyn-school-wrexham

We would like to draw your attention to some specific uniform expectations to help ensure you can support your young person with our uniform standards.

- 1. All pupils will be expected to be wearing a YBA blazer (both old and new logos will be accepted)
- 2. Trousers should be black, straight legged (NOT slim/skinny fit), loose around the whole leg and ankle, tailored, cotton/polyester/viscose, and full length (resting on the shoe). In order to avoid any confusion, trousers purchased from our school uniform supplier, Ram Leisure, is what we recommend. Please DO NOT purchase from the New Look range as these DO NOT conform to our uniform standard.
- **3.** Pupils will be expected to wear a pair of plain black, polishable shoes, **trainers are not permitted.**
- 4. **Trainer socks are NOT permitted.** Socks must cover the ankle and at least meet the base of the trousers.
- 5. Nose piercings and false eyelashes are NOT permitted.
- 6. Hair should be natural in colour
- 7. Make up should not be worn in Years 7 9 and only 'natural' make-up is permissible at Years 10 and 11.
- 8. No nail extensions are permitted (on the grounds of health and safety) and nails should be natural in colour.

















9. A new style PE kit will be phased in during the next academic year (see uniform guidance leaflet). Current pupils will be able to wear the 'old' red kit for the next academic year but all pupils will be expected to be in our 'new' style kit by September 2022.

Based on the current climate, we are aware that some families may be facing new or additional financial challenges and we are passionate about doing everything we can to support our community. Please visit <a href="https://www.wrexham.gov.uk/service/pupil-development-grant-pdg">https://www.wrexham.gov.uk/service/pupil-development-grant-pdg</a> if you are on a low income and think you may be eligible for the grant that would help towards the cost of uniform or equipment. We also have a small range of second hand uniform in school, please contact the relevant Head of Year if you would like to access this.

We have high expectations of our pupils here at YBA and uniform is no exception. Please ensure that your young person is dressed appropriately for school on their first day back in September AND has the relevant equipment. We would like to avoid unnecessary confrontations at the start of term because pupils are not dressed in accordance with school uniform policy. Sanctions will be applied if your young person is not in the correct uniform.

Thank you for your continued support

Kind regards

Mrs A Slinn

Headteacher