



Ark Pioneer

English as an Additional Language (EAL) Provision

School Uniform and PE Kit



Many of these translations are in previous booklets should you need them.

Use Google Translate to copy any words or phrases you need translating

Do your best with each task set. Read the work aloud and practise speaking English aloud as much as you can. Make sure you note down any questions you wish to ask your Form Tutor about this work, or email me directly at j.ortiz@arkpioneer.org.



Work to be completed

- 1. Reading Task – School Uniform and PE Kit
- 2. Speaking and Listening – Uniform vocabulary
- 3. Writing – spelling and identifying school uniform and comprehension questions
- 4. Stretch - Describe what you wore to school in your previous school
- 5. Quiz – available on the school website under Home Study, Additional Support and EAL.

Resources / links to help with work:

- <https://breakingnewsenglish.com/index.html>
The website above does not look very impressive when you open it, but it has a lot of great resources to use regardless of your level of English and is worth looking at. Spend a little time browsing around it.
- <https://ttsmp3.com/text-to-speech/British%20English/>

This website allows you to type in an English word and hear how it should be pronounced.

- <https://www.bbc.co.uk/learningenglish/english/features/childrens-stories>

This website is mainly for adults learning English, but there is a section for children which you could explore.

- <https://learnenglishkids.britishcouncil.org/word-games>

This website contains lots of activities and games to help you learn English. They are for children from ages 5-12 so some will be a little too young for you, but all will be good practise. Try starting with the word games.

- <https://www.bbc.co.uk/learningenglish/chinese/>

This is mainly for adult Chinese speaking learners of English but you may find some useful practise here.

- The apps Duolingo, Mondly and or Memrise will help you with speaking and listening work – download them and complete 10 minutes English practise per day.

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

(Chinese, Romanian and Turkish speaking learner options)

<https://app.mondly.com/home>

<https://www.memrise.com/home/>

(Memrise and Mondly have Chinese, Farsi, Romanian and Turkish speaking learner options.)

- <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize>

This is an education website. The content is in English but it would be a good place to find ways to read and listen/watch English being spoken.

How will this work be checked? Each week you will be given '**red pen work**' to carry out corrections on the learning that you are doing at home. If you complete your work to a really high standard, please email a picture to your form tutor or to info@arkpioneer.org and we will upload the best examples to celebrate on our website!

1) Reading



Ark Pioneer School Uniform and PE Kit

a) Before reading the text in the image that follows, translate the following words/phrases:

English	Translation
uniform	
PE kit	
high expectations	
pride	
appearance	
identity	
compulsory	
unite	
ethos	
distractions	
achieving	
clothing	
fashions	
equality	
Income	
compulsory	
optional	
girl	
boy	
pupil	

b) Read the text below aloud to yourself – or someone at home if they will listen! Use <https://ttsmp3.com/text-to-speech/British%20English/> if you need help with British English pronunciation.

All Ark Pioneer pupils will wear full school uniform. Our uniform will reflect our values and reinforce our academy's culture of high expectations, pride in our appearance and academic achievement. It will promote a strong and cohesive academy identity, supporting high standards in all areas of school life. School uniform should be clean and presentable. If a pupil's uniform fails to meet the school's expectation then checks will be issued and pupils and their parents will be asked to rectify this.

We have a compulsory academy uniform for several reasons:

1. Uniforms unite the academy. Pupils make a commitment that when they put on their Ark Pioneer uniform they will actively support our ethos and abide by the rules of our community.
2. Uniforms reduce distractions. We are focused on achieving success. When pupils are allowed to wear their own clothing, there is potential to talk about fashions and styles rather than learning.
3. Uniforms help ensure equality in the academy. Whether families have high incomes or low incomes, the pupils come to the academy looking the same way. No one has to feel bad about the clothes they have or don't have.
4. Uniforms look professional, in that pupils look neat and ready to learn. Our suit-like uniform also helps prepare pupils for professional life and enhances their sense of formality.

c) There are **four** reasons that a uniform is compulsory for Ark Pioneer pupils. Choose two of them from the text above to translate. Copy them out in English, and then write your translation:



<u>English</u>	<u>Translation</u>

Below is an image of the school uniform and PE kit for **girls** and **boys**.





Uniform details:

Our uniform **blazer** is plain **navy** with **red** lining. We have deliberately not included our **school logo** on the blazer, so that if a pupil needs a formal blazer to wear to a personal occasion, they can wear their uniform blazer and not have the extra cost.

Our **white shirt** can be long or short-sleeved, whichever is more comfortable to the child, and purchased from any shop. The school jumper is **optional**.

School **shoes** must be **black** only and cannot resemble **trainers** – if your school shoe is considered by the school to be similar to a trainer you will receive a check and your parents will have to replace the shoes with an acceptable pair of shoes.

School coats must be plain black, navy or dark grey with no large or obvious logos.

d) Translate the words above in bold

Our uniform can be purchased in store at the address below or online at www.uniform4kids.com .

Howard Brothers

30 The Broadway

Mill Hill

NW7 3LL

Tel: 020 8959 4987

School Uniform Vocabulary:



Blazer

The blazer for girls has buttons on the left and for boys on the right.



Shirt

The shirt for girls has buttons on the left and for boys on the right. A girls' shirt can also be called a 'blouse'. Pupils may wear a short-sleeved shirt/blouse if they prefer.



Jumper

This is an optional item of uniform. This means you can buy it and wear it if you wish but unlike the blazer it is not compulsory..



Tie

The school tie is red with white stripes.



Trousers

These are navy and can be worn by girls or boys and have a button or be pull-up.



Skirt

These are navy and can be worn by girls.



Skirt

If choosing to wear a skirt, girls must wear navy tights.



Shoes

School shoes must be black only and cannot resemble trainers.



School bag/Rucksack/Backpack

There are a few names for the school bag. It is navy and displays the school logo.

School PE Kit Vocabulary:



Polo Shirt/PE T-Shirt or Top

There are a few names for this item of clothing. It is navy with a white stripe down the arms and sides and displays the school logo.



Shorts

These are elasticated navy with a white stripe down the sides.



PE Jumper/Sweatshirt

This is navy with a white stripes on the shoulders and displays the school logo.



PE Trousers/Tracksuit Bottoms/Jogging Bottoms

There are a few names for these. They are navy with a white stripe along each pocket.



PE socks

These are navy and knee-length.



Trainers



PE Kit Bag/Rucksack/Duffle



2) Speaking & Listening



See if someone in your house/at school will ask you the questions below. Use the images and text above to give your answers. (If you can't find someone to ask you the questions read them aloud to yourself and speak your answers aloud. You do not need to write down your answers at this point but you do need to answer speaking in full sentences – see the example.)

a)

- I. Can Ark Pioneer pupils wear their own clothes to school?
No, the school has a compulsory uniform.
- II. What is the main colour of the school uniform?
- III. What colour is the school shirt?
- IV. What colours are the school tie?
- V. Are pupils allowed to wear trainers to school?
- VI. Do all pupils have to wear a blazer?
- VII. Do all pupils have to wear a jumper?
- VIII. Can pupils bring their own bag to school?
- IX. Can girls wear socks when wearing a school skirt?
- X. Can girls wear trousers as part of their uniform?
- XI. What colour coats are permitted?
- XII. Must pupils only wear long-sleeved shirts?
- XIII. Why does Ark Pioneer have a compulsory uniform?

b) Name the item of uniform below. (This is a speaking exercise)



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Red pen check your work at the end.



3. Writing

a) Copy, cover, check these words to help learn their translations and how to spell them. First translate it, then copy the English, then cover the English up and try and write it from memory, finally check your work and note any corrections.

English	Translation	Copy	Cover	Check
blazer				
trousers				
shirt				
tie				
skirt				
jumper				
tights				
shoes				
trainers				
rucksack				
PE kit				
bag				
polo shirt				
t-shirt				
sweatshirt				
jogging bottoms				
tracksuit bottoms				
socks				

b) Write down your answers to the questions in 'Speaking and Listening'
They are included again below.

1. Can Ark Pioneer pupils wear their own clothes to school?

No, the school has a compulsory uniform.

2. What is the main colour of the school uniform?

3. What colour is the school shirt?

4. What colours are the school tie?

5. Are pupils allowed to wear trainers to school?

6. Do all pupils have to wear a blazer?

7. Do all pupils have to wear a jumper?

8. Can pupils bring their own bag to school?
9. Can girls wear socks when wearing a school skirt?
10. Can girls wear trousers as part of their uniform?
11. What colour coats are permitted?
12. Must pupils only wear long-sleeved shirts?
13. Why does Ark Pioneer have a compulsory uniform?

Red pen check your work at the end.

4. Stretch/Extra Work

This work is optional

- Did you have a school uniform in your previous school?
- If yes, draw and label it – use colours if you can!
- If you could wear your own clothes to school, what would you wear?
Either draw and label your answer, or write a paragraph explaining your choices.

Now Red Pen Check your work below

Now Red Pen Check your work

2. Speaking & Listening/Writing

a)

- I. Can Ark Pioneer pupils wear their own clothes to school?
No, the school has a compulsory uniform.
- II. What is the main colour of the school uniform?
The main colour of the school uniform is navy.
- III. What colour is the school shirt?
The colour of the school shirt is white.
- IV. What colours are the school tie?
The colours of the school tie are red with white stripes.
- V. Are pupils allowed to wear trainers to school?
No, pupils may not wear trainers to school.
- VI. Do all pupils have to wear a blazer?
Yes, a blazer is compulsory for all pupils.
- VII. Do all pupils have to wear a jumper?
No, a jumper is optional.
- VIII. Can pupils bring their own bag to school?
No, pupils must only bring a school rucksack to school.
- IX. Can girls wear socks when wearing a school skirt?
No, when wearing a skirt, girls must wear tights.
- X. Can girls wear trousers as part of their uniform?
Yes, girls may choose to wear trousers.
- XI. What colour coats are permitted?
School coats must be plain navy, black or dark grey. They must not have any large logos.
- XII. Must pupils only wear long-sleeved shirts?
No, pupils may choose to wear a short-sleeved shirt if they wish.
- XIII. Why does Ark Pioneer have a compulsory uniform?
Ark Pioneer's uniform is compulsory to unite pupils, avoid distractions, promote equality and encourage professionalism.

b)



1
blazer



2
polo shirt
t-shirt



3
shirt
blouse



4
shorts



5
jumper



6
tie



7
Jumper
sweatshirt



8
bag
backpack
rucksack



9
socks



10
trainers



11
PE kit bag
duffel
rucksack



12
skirt



13
tights



14
trousers



15
Tracksuit bottoms
PE trousers
Jogging bottoms



16
shoes