



School Uniform Shoe List

St Mary's RC Primary School

Academic Year 2026/2027

About This Guide

Generic school shoe requirements based on uniform guidelines.

School Uniform Guidelines

Pupils must wear sensible black leather school shoes with closed toes for all regular school days. Trainers, sandals, open-toe shoes and any shoes with heels or a sling-back design are not permitted. All shoes should be labelled with the child's name and must be worn with socks.

School Information

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PE / Sports Shoes Guidelines

Pupils must wear suitable trainers for all PE lessons.

Trainers are required for sports and games.

During PE or sports, children should wear trainers rather than the regular sensible black leather school shoes.

No leggings or cycling shorts are permitted for PE attire.

Swimming footwear requirements are not specified.

Girls Shoes



Mary Jane
Generic | Girls
Sizes: 2-7



T-Bar Shoe
Generic | Girls
Sizes: 1-13



Slip-on Ballet Pump
Generic | Girls
Sizes: 2-7



Elastic Ballet pump
Generic | Girls
Sizes: 2-7



Boys Shoes



Classic Lace-up Oxford

Generic | Boys
Sizes: 3-8



Slip-on Loafer

Generic | Boys
Sizes: 3-8



Velcro Fastening Shoe

Generic | Boys
Sizes: 3-8



Formal Monk Strap

Generic | Boys
Sizes: 3-8



Chelsea Boot

Generic | Boys
Sizes: 3-8



Derby Shoe

Generic | Boys
Sizes: 3-8



Lace Up Trainer

Generic | Boys
Sizes: 3-8



Velcro Trainer

Generic | Boys
Sizes: 3-8



Sports Shoes



Football Boots

Generic | Unisex
Sizes: 3-8



Rugby Boots

Generic | Boys
Sizes: 3-8



Tap Dancing Shoes

Generic | Girls
Sizes: 2-7



Equestrian Boots

Generic | Unisex
Sizes: 2-9



White Plimsolls

Generic | Unisex
Sizes: 2-9



Shoe Fitting Guidelines

Children's feet grow quickly - they may need new shoes every 3-4 months depending on age and activity level.

Check for Proper Fit:

- Allow approximately half an inch (1.3 cm) of space between the longest toe and the front of the shoe
- Ensure the width is comfortable with no pinching or bulging
- The heel should fit snugly without slipping
- Shoes should be comfortable immediately - no "breaking in" period needed

When to Replace:

- When there's less than half an inch of growing room
- If the shoe shows signs of wear or damage
- If your child complains of discomfort or pain
- Check regularly for redness or blisters on your child's feet

Measuring Tips:

- Measure both feet while standing
 - Measure at the end of the day when feet are at their largest
 - Have your child wear the type of socks they'll wear with the shoes
 - Use the measuring gauge on page 2 only if you can't get the shoes fitted professionally
 - Shoes from different brands may have different sizing, so it's important to try them on
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Where to Buy

The following shops near St Mary's RC Primary School stock school shoes:

Blunts Shoes

0.9 miles away

Blackrod, BL6 6AL

Tel: 01642 720999

bluntsshoes.com



shoezone Bolton

1.0 miles away

Unit 11, Bolton, BL1 1NB

Tel: 01204 968290

shoezone.com



Clarks

4.4 miles away

Market Place Centre, Bolton, BL1 2AL

Tel: 01204 383418

clarks.com



Wynsors Wigan Store

4.5 miles away

Wynsford Store, Wigan, WN1 3NH

Tel: 01942 492645

wynsors.com





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