



School Uniform Shoe List

Garden City Academy

Academic Year 2026/2027

About This Guide

Generic school shoe requirements based on uniform guidelines.

School Uniform Guidelines

Black school shoes or plain black trainers. Joggers and leggings are not permitted as part of the school uniform.

School Information

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PE / Sports Shoes Guidelines

School PE T-shirt and black shorts and trainers. Plain black, non-branded tracksuits can be worn in the colder weather. Alternatively your child can wear plain black jogging bottoms and their normal jade school cardigan/ jumper over their PE kit.

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



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

Not Permitted

 Trainers

Where to Buy

The following shops near Garden City Academy stock school shoes:

The Uniform Monkeys

0.9 miles away

16-18 Openshaw Way, Letchworth Garden City, SG6 3ER

Tel: 07828 148179

theuniformmonkeys.co.uk



Hush Puppies UK

1.1 miles away

Baldock, SG7 6AB

Tel: +44(0)1452 886 204

hushpuppies.co.uk



Beat School Uniforms

2.5 miles away

Hitchin, SG4 7ER

Tel: 01763 221212

beatschooluniforms.co.uk



Clarks

4.9 miles away

2 High Street, Hitchin, SG1 1BH

Tel: 01462 432766

clarks.com





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