



SCHOOLS IN BRITAIN

Watch a video about schools in Britain. For questions 1 to 7, choose the correct answer.

1. Children arrive at school ...
 - a. by car.
 - b. by bus.
 - c. by different means of transportation.
2. Children ...
 - a. arrive at school at 9 o'clock.
 - b. are sometimes late for school.
 - c. sometimes play football before school starts.
3. In this school boys and girls ...
 - a. wear the same uniform.
 - b. go to separate classrooms.
 - c. wear similar clothes.
4. Students ...
 - a. keep their bags in lockers.
 - b. keep their books in their school bags or lockers.
 - c. use lockers for books and clothes.
5. The Principal is ...
 - a. another name for Headteacher.
 - b. a secretary.
 - c. an important place in the school.
6. All the schools in Britain ...
 - a. study the same subjects.
 - b. have different curriculums for the same subjects.
 - c. have computer rooms.
7. The staff room is the place where ...
 - a. students make new friends.
 - b. teachers work.
 - c. teachers relax.

<https://youtu.be/HwrC8oCdpQY>



TRANSCRIPTION

This is called the 'school run', when parents bring their kids to school. Others arrive by bus or special coach.

School normally starts at 9:00 in the UK so there's sometimes time for a game of football before the bell rings.

As you can see, boys and girls are dressed the same. This is called 'school uniform' and many schools have some kind of dress code which pupils have to respect.

Students either keep their books with them in their school bag, or keep them in special lockers. Otherwise, they may get stolen.

The Headteacher is called the Principal.

In Britain there's a national curriculum. Students all over the country study the same program for the main subjects. One key subject is IT, or information technology. All schools in the UK have computer rooms and one of the goals is to teach them how to use computers and the internet.

School breaks are very welcome for students. Today is the first day for some, so it's a chance to make new friends. Teachers need to relax as well and the staff room is a good place to have a chat with colleagues.



ANSWER KEY

1. c.
2. c.
3. a.
4. b.
5. a.
6. c.
7. c.