

School Uniform Policy

Great importance is attached to the wearing of school uniform (Years 7-11) and uniform dress in the Sixth Form. This is regarded as the keynote to good order in the School. Students are not normally allowed to wear training shoes except at lunch time, nor for travel to or from school. Students who have permission not to wear complete school uniform must carry a note signed by their Form Tutor / Head of Year.

YEARS 7-11 SCHOOL UNIFORM

Students' hairstyle and colour should be of conventional appearance. We recommend that hair is not cut shorter than a grade 2 (clipper). There must be no shaved lines or patterns. This also applies to shaved eyebrows. Hair must be the student's natural colour. This also applies to braids. Only plain (navy, white or black), functional and safe hair accessories are allowed. If a breach of this code cannot be resolved to the satisfaction of staff, it may result in a specified period of internal isolation of the student at break and/or lunchtimes. Changes in hair fashions may require staff to apply their judgement to ensure appearances are acceptable and reasonable.

OPTION A

Blazer - navy blue with school badge

Trousers - black. Trousers must not be 'skinny fit' and should be worn with a belt.

School tie - four stripes must be visible below the knot

Pullover - V-necked, navy blue

Shirt - white, of regulation material and design. Shirts should be tucked into trousers with the top button done up at all times.

Socks - Plain, black. No trainer socks

Shoes - plain style, black (not canvas or trainer style). Flat ankle boots may be permitted with prior permission from the SLT.

OPTION B

Blazer - navy blue with school badge.

Blouse - pale blue and white striped, long or short sleeves, revere collar (to be purchased from the official school outfitters). Blouses should be tucked into skirts at all times.

Skirt - navy blue, medium length (i.e. no shorter than 76mm (3") above the knee), regulation style to be purchased from the official school outfitters).

Pullover - V-necked, conventional style, navy blue (sloppy pullovers are not acceptable).

Tights - black, plain.

Socks - Plain, black. No trainer socks. Socks must not be worn over tights. Leggings with socks are not permitted.

Shoes - Black, plain style, low heeled 51mm (2") [not platform soles or sling backs, trainer style or canvas. Flat ankle boots may be permitted with prior permission form the SLT. Dolly shoes are not recommended as they do not provide sufficient cover for the foot when working in Science or D&T.

OPTION C

Blazer - navy blue with school badge.

Trousers - black. Trousers must not be 'skinny fit' and should be worn with a belt.

Blouse – white, long or short sleeves, revere collar (to be purchased from the official school outfitters). Blouses should be tucked into skirts at all times.

Socks - Plain, black.

Shoes - plain style, black (not canvas or trainer style). Flat ankle boots may be permitted with prior permission from the SLT.

ALL OPTIONS

Topcoat - plain style (no large motifs), navy blue or black.

Hooded sweatshirts and tracksuit tops are not permitted.

Leather jackets/coats or imitation leather jackets/coats are not permitted.

Scarf - School scarf or plain navy blue or black scarf (optional).

Gloves and hats - (in cold weather) plain style, navy blue or black - to be worn to and from school only.

MAKE-UP & JEWELLERY

Make-up, nail varnish, acrylic nails, gel nails, shellac nails and nail extensions of any kind are not permitted. False eye lashes and fake tan are also forbidden. Jewellery, apart from one plain gold or silver ear stud in the lobe of each ear, is not permitted. No other piercings are allowed. Rings and other jewellery are not permitted. Tattoos are not permitted. Badges (with the exception of those connected with school) may not be worn.

Students should be clean shaven.

In winter, boots may be worn to and from school, but shoes are to be worn during the normal working day. During excessively cold spells, students will be allowed to wear boots throughout the day, but only when specifically notified by the Deputy Headteacher.

SIXTH FORM DRESS CODE

The Sixth Form Dress Code is still a uniform but it is designed to allow some flexibility of choice. The Sixth Form Dress Code will ensure that students are sensibly dressed in a way which does not distract from their studies. All items should be in the school colours of blue, burgundy, black, white or grey.

Parents are asked to support the Sixth Form Dress Code and ensure that their son/daughter is appropriately dressed for school. Should any concerns arise relating to the Dress Code, parents should contact the school.

GIRLS BOYS

Permitted

Skirts/Dresses: Smart or tailored, on or just above the knee, not skin tight, longer skirts

permitted

Trousers: Smart or tailored, boot cut, straight-leg or tapered, ankle length, not cropped

Dresses: Smart or tailored, length on or just above the knee. Appropriate patterns

permitted

Tops: short or long sleeved shirts, blouses, smart/fine knitwear, jackets. Appropriate

patterns permitted

Shoes: Smart flats, low-mid heel courts or

smart boots **Tights**: Plain

Coats, hats, scarves: School colours Make-up/jewellery: Unobtrusive

Permitted

Jacket/blazer: A plain suit blazer/jacket

and suit trousers

Shirt: A long or short sleeve, plain, school

colours

Pullover/jumper: School colours **Tie**: Sixth form or prefect/colours tie

Shoes: Smart dark shoes

Socks: Plain

Coats, hats, scarves: school colours

Not permitted

Leggings, treggings, jeggings, jeans
Trousers with rivets
Hoodies, sportswear, checked shirts or
revealing tops
Trainers or canvas shoes
Ugg style or Doc Marten boots
Loose fitting or baggy jumpers
Sleeveless, strappy or low cut tops
Denim or leather in any form
Clothing with holes, studs or rips

Not permitted

Hoodies
Trousers with rivets
Casual cardigans
Denim in any form
Leather clothing
Trainers or canvas shoes
Clothing with holes, studs or rips

UNIFORM SUPPLIERS

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