



Governing Body Document Monitoring

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UNIFORM

The wearing of school uniform helps to give students a sense of belonging and encourages pride in self and school. It also ensures students are prepared for working life.

The uniform is one of the most important ways to show our local community that we are a respectful hardworking and a successful place of learning.

On entry into our school students are issued with our school tie. It is compulsory for all students to wear appropriately.

The following items are also **compulsory** from September 2017.

SHIRTS

Plain white shirt only – long or short sleeve with collar appropriate for ties.

Shirt buttons must be done up and ties worn to the neck.

Shirts must be tucked into trouser and skirts.

TROUSERS / SKIRTS

Black trousers (boys).

Black trousers or black knee length skirt (girls).

BLACK CHAMBERLAYNE JUMPER

A black v-neck jumper with the school logo.

Jumpers must be worn at all times unless permission is given in class to remove them.

FOOTWEAR

Flat, black, leather shoes which can be polished

‘Examples of acceptable shoes



PE & Dance Compulsory Items

- School polo shirt
- Sports socks
- School sport shorts



In order to provide a consistent approach to uniform the guidance below helps parents / carers conform to our expectations.

Tie with top button fastened



Polished shoes



Items that are NOT allowed in school.

TRAINERS

Sports trainers, leather pumps with logos, or fashionable trainers are not allowed to be worn in school. Students who damage / break shoes during the term are required to wear alternative shoes at all times.

SHOES

Please note: Many high street shops will market items of clothing in “back to school” ranges. This does not imply that such items will be acceptable at the school. Please use the following information to help with purchases. The school will not reimburse for items of incorrect uniform.

Examples of unacceptable shoes - no trainers, trainer looking shoes, trainer branded shoes, or boots permitted



SPORTS JACKETS / HOODIES

Sports jackets, hoodies, sport jumpers, non-school uniform jumpers and fashionable tops are not allowed to be worn in school.

DENIM JACKETS / LEATHER JACKETS / OUTDOOR COATS

Fashion items such as denim or leather jackets are not allowed to be worn in school. Outside coats should be waterproof and not contain logos, writing or fashionable accessories.

HATS / CAPS

Hats / caps are not allowed. This includes the walk to / from school.

In extremely cold weather communication will be sent from the school detailing suitable winter attire that will be accepted whilst walking to / from school.

Guidance for appearance of students

Makeup

Students are only permitted to wear light, un-noticeable makeup. Students deemed to be wearing excessive makeup will be asked to remove this before entering the school.

Earrings

One plain gold / silver stud may be worn in each lobe if ears are pierced; but these must be removed or completely covered for all forms of physical education. No other piercings or stretchers are acceptable and will be confiscated if seen.

Piercings

No other piercings are acceptable in the school. Clear retainers are not permitted for any other piercings.

If parents wish for their children to have visible piercings in other parts of the body this must be done during the summer break to ensure the piercing has healed prior to returning to the school in September so the piercing can be removed during the school day.



Hair styles

No shaven, extreme (grade 1) or bright coloured hair styles are allowed.
Wigs are not allowed unless there is a medical reason.
Religious headwear must be black and plain in style.

Jewellery

No rings, bangles, bracelets or wrist jewellery may be worn. Under no circumstances will the school accept responsibility for lost or stolen items.

Non-uniform days

During non-uniform days, fancy dress, all in one suits or clothing with inappropriate logos / swearing on are not acceptable.

Decency is an important consideration. No “bare midriffs” or very short skirts/shorts.

Normal rules on hair, jewellery and make-up apply.

Caps are not permitted.

No open toed, no open back or sling back shoes are allowed.

Students who have a Physical Education lesson on this day MUST wear correct PE kit with no jewellery.

Students involved in practical lessons must bring appropriate clothes.

In all cases refusal to comply with the uniform guidance will result in an isolation being sanctioned until the issue is resolved.

Young people will often attempt to subvert the uniform policy and so the school and parents must work together to ensure that high standards and expectations are upheld always. To this end if in any doubt about an item of clothing is permitted, parents and carers are encouraged to contact the school before purchasing.

In the event of any disagreement on whether an item of clothing or equipment breaks the school inform policy, the headteacher will have the final decision on whether said item is permitted or not.