

Sixth Form Dress Code

The dress-code for Sixth Form students is, essentially, 'business dress'; students should choose subtle colours and styles and avoid extremes of dress or hairstyle. School is a student's place of work and they should dress appropriately. However the dress-code is not entirely prescriptive thus allowing students the opportunity to express their individual sense of style whilst, at the same time, learning what is and is not acceptable in a business setting. At times this will be a 'judgement call', the ultimate decision resting with the Head of Sixth Form and the Core Management Team.

Boys

Suit: black, navy, brown/beige or grey (may be pinstripe). NO JEANS OR CHINOS.

Jackets must be worn around school to go into lunch and in assembly, but may be removed in lessons.

Shirt with collar (boys should have at least one plain white shirt)

Tie

Jumper/Cardigan (if required)

Black or Brown Shoes: No trainers

Coat: dark neutral colours please.

No fleeces or hoodies should be worn around school; school hoodies may be worn in the Sixth Form Centre.

Boys may not wear earrings. No facial piercings are allowed.

Boys must be clean-shaven and their hair should be kept at a reasonable length; extremes of different lengths such as 'undercuts' and shaved sections are not permitted. Hair must be a single natural colour. No extremes of style please.

Girls

Suit OR Jacket and co-ordinated Skirt/Trousers OR Dress and Jacket. These should be in neutral shades; black, brown, grey, dark blue, cream etc. (checks, spots, stripes, prints and plaids are allowed). Jackets must be worn around school, into lunch and in assembly, but may be removed in lessons. Skirts should be of a length appropriate for professional business dress (mid-thigh). NO LYCRA/SKINTIGHT skirts or trousers are allowed. NO JEANS. Faux leather and inappropriately shiny materials are not allowed.

Blouse/Shirt/Top: Nothing low-cut or with thin straps (girls must have at least one plain white top).

Jumper/Cardigan (if required)

Tights

Shoes: These should be of a sensible height suitable for moving around the school site. No trainers.

Coat: dark neutral colours please.

No fleeces or hoodies should be worn around school; school hoodies may be worn in the Sixth Form Centre.

Girls may wear one pair of earrings in the lobes but facial piercings are not permitted; nose studs etc. must not be worn.

Hair must be kept a single, natural colour. No shaving or extreme styles.

Tattoos

If any student has a tattoo it must not be visible when a student is in their normal school dress. Tattoos which are visible when wearing games kit must be covered.

PE Kit

Sixth Form students MUST wear the correct school PE kit.

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