



Sixth Form Dress Code Policy

All Sixth Form students play a vital role in the smooth organisation of our community as well as providing leadership and role models for younger students. You are expected to set an outstanding example in all aspects of your work, conduct and appearance in smart, business attire. This will prepare you for possible future careers, where in many you will be obligated to follow a dress code. The dress code secures safeguarding practices supporting easy identification, ensuring suitable clothing coverage and enables all students to maintain a positive working environment.

In preparation for completing your Sixth Form studies with us our expected dress code is as follows:

- A formal blazer or a suit jacket.
- Formal trousers (full length), skirt or dress (must be of a suitable length to maintain decency – knee length).
- A formal shirt, blouse or top (must cover the shoulder, stomach area and not have a low neckline).
- Smart, formal shoes.
- Hair and make-up should be discreet and of a natural colour suitable style for a conventional business environment (no excessive styles or colouring).
- A maximum of two simple stud like earrings can be worn.
- Any jewellery must be discreet.
- Any tattoos should be covered.
- An ID lanyard (supplied by the school).

The optional items of clothing include:

- A tie.
- A plain jumper worn over shirt/blouse with a collar (not a substitute for a blazer/suit jacket).
- Tights (must be plain).



The following items are not permitted:



- Any outdoor coats being worn inside the classrooms and Sixth Form Centre (including body warmers).
- Casual tops (including vests, sweatshirts, bardot/cold shoulder tops, polo shirts and t-shirts).
- Casual bottoms (include leggings, shorts and jeans).
- Dresses of particular materials (such as bodycon dresses or similar tight-fitting material that is not appropriate in the school environment).
- Trainers.
- Jumpsuits
- Leather or denim items (including coats).
- Tongue, facial or visible body piercings.
- Casual wear (such as cardigans, hoodies, shackets, overshirts and overcoats).

The school reserves the right to send home any student who is not properly dressed where he or she should change into correct dress and then return to school the same day to resume studies. The Head of Sixth Form/ Headteacher has the final decision about what is acceptable under this dress code.

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