

**Sixth Form Dress Code** - should be smart, practical, formal and business like at all times during the working school day.

<b>Sixth Form Dress Code 2018-2019</b>		<b>Notes</b>
<b>Suits</b>	Suits need to be tailored, smart and cut for a formal work environment. They should be black, dark grey or dark blue and plain. Jackets and trousers should be of a conventional cut.	
<b>Suit skirts/ trousers</b>	Skirts and trousers should match the jacket as part of a suit. Skirt length should be on the knee. Trousers should be proper tailored suit trousers.	Black chinos/ jeans and leggings are <b>not</b> permitted. Tight fitting trousers are <b>not</b> permitted. Cropped trouser suits are <b>not</b> permitted. Tapered trousers must be full length. Splits in skirts should be of appropriate length.
<b>Waistcoats</b>	A formal waistcoat which matches the suit jacket and trousers/ skirt may be worn.	
<b>Suit dresses</b>	Plain dark, suit dresses may be worn with matching jackets	If they are sleeveless, then a formal shirt should be worn underneath.
<b>Shirts</b>	Boys wear a formal shirt and tie of their choice. Girls wear a formal buttoned shirt. All shirts should have sleeves. Shirts should be tucked in at the waist or tailored to fit over the skirt/ trouser but not below the jacket.	Sleeveless shirts/blouses are not allowed. Sheer/see-through blouses are not appropriate for school. Tee- shirts/ camisoles should not be seen.
<b>Jumpers</b>	Fine v-neck jumpers may be worn underneath jackets. They must be plain, not patterned.	Jumpers must not be seen underneath the hem of the jacket. Cardigans, bulky jumpers and hoodies are not permitted
<b>Tights</b>	Plain black, brown or dark blue and opaque.	Summer dress includes neutral colour sheer tights
<b>Make up</b>	Make up should be discreet.	
<b>Nail Varnish</b>	Nail varnish should be of one colour.	Where nail varnish is very obvious, pupils may be asked to remove it for a formal occasion such as a concert.
<b>Jewellery</b>	Jewellery may be worn and should be discreet.	1 necklace, 1 ring per hand, earrings should be stud earrings. There should be no more than two piercings per ear.
<b>Scarves</b>	Scarves may be worn outside only.	
<b>Hair</b>	Hair must be tidy and of a natural colour.	Hair may not be cut shorter than a grade three and must be of a natural colour.
<b>Shoes</b>	Formal dark smart shoes.	Shoes should have proper backs and be of a suitable heel height for walking around school. Wedges and stiletto heels are not permitted. Suede shoes are permitted if they are clean and smart.
<b>Boots</b>	Full length boots are not permitted	Ankle boots may be permitted with full length trousers only. Heel heights should be appropriate. Boots may not be worn with skirts.
<b>Additional notes</b>	Boys are expected to be clean shaven. Boys' hair should not be below the collar. Facial/body piercings are not appropriate for school and should not be visible.	

All Sixth Formers are **expected** to adhere to the dress code. The responsibility lies with the individual to get it right. Where a Sixth Former **chooses** not to adhere to the dress code, they should expect to be asked to change. It is hoped that these sanctions will not be called upon. The following action may take place in response to those choosing not to comply:

1. Tutor/ Housemaster/ Housemistress asks pupil to report to them dressed properly and gives a warning of being sent home to change next time. Email to or conversation with parents.
2. Housemaster/ Housemistress sends pupil back home (D) or to House (B) to get changed. Pupil reports to Housemaster/ Housemistress on return to school. Time wasted is made up at the end of the day.
3. Pupil sent to Deputy Head – Wednesday/ Saturday afternoon detention and letter home with final warning that the Sixth Former who persists in not complying with the Sixth Form Dress Code will lose the privilege of wearing Sixth Form Dress and may be required to revert to school uniform.

(D) = Day pupil (B) = Boarder