

# SIXTH FORM DRESS CODE

Sixth Form pupils are expected to present a neat and tidy appearance thereby providing a positive role model for younger pupils and presenting an exemplary image of the school to the general public. Pupils should be aware of the importance of smartness on public occasions. The principle of the Sixth Form dress code is that pupils should present themselves in a manner that befits a professional environment. In all cases, the Sixth Form Dress Code is subject to the discretion of the Head.

Members of the Sixth Form are expected to arrive, and depart from school, appropriately and smartly dressed in their suits.

Exceptions are:

- Uniformed members of the CCF who participate in CCF activities on Thursday afternoons.
- Students who are involved in after school sporting activities which finish after 5.00 pm may leave the premises in full school tracksuits.

## BOYS

Smart dark grey/black/navy suit worn with Sixth Form school tie or a tie which reflects representative honours or colours awards.

Shirts and V-necked sweaters should be of conventional, traditional colour and design.

Shirts must be tucked into trousers.

Trousers should be smart, not casual (no canvas), not "fashion-fit".

Winter coat – navy, black or dark grey.

Shoes – formal, business like. (Boots are not allowed.)

Dark socks – grey, navy or black. No white or multi coloured patterned socks.

Hair smart – no mullets, no mowhawks and no completely shaved heads.

Boys must be clean-shaven at all times.

On formal occasions boys will be required to wear a white shirt and Sixth Form school tie.

## GIRLS

Smart dark grey/black/navy business suit suitable for office wear. Girls may opt for a skirt, dress or trouser suit. (Style and length of skirt should be appropriate for a formal school setting.)

Shirt or blouse, with collar, fastened appropriately to present a demure look. No T-shirts or vest tops to be worn.

V-necked pullover if desired. Shirts and pullovers should be of conventional, traditional colour and design. (No pullovers to be worn without a shirt.)

During the Autumn and Spring Terms plain fine knit polo neck jumpers (traditional coloured) may be worn as an alternative to the shirt and pullover. Long cardigans or jumpers with logos are not permitted.

Smart Winter coat – navy, black or dark grey.

Shoes – black only and formal (recommended heel height no more than 7 cm) suitable for a school environment. Styles should satisfy the school's health and safety requirements. Smart black ankle boots may be worn with a trouser suit. Open toed/sling-back shoes are not acceptable.

Grey, black or natural tights only. No fashion coloured or highly patterned tights permitted.

Jewellery – minimum. Make-up – discreet. Nail polish – should be clear/neutral colours.

No extremes of hair style or colouring, at the discretion of the Head.

Accessories – hair accessories, scarves should be appropriate for a school setting.

On formal occasions girls will be required to wear a white blouse and Sixth Form school tie.