

Where can I buy smart clothing?

TU at Sainsbury's

Marks and Spencer

Topshop

H and M

Next

Matalan

ASOS

F&F at Tesco

George at Asda

New Look

Burton

Remember to ask Ms Black whether you qualify for a bursary.

Bursary money can be used to help pay for your uniform.

If you having difficulty finding appropriate clothing, please contact us in advance of the new academic year starting. Please do not wait until September.

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FAQs

What sort of trousers can I wear?

Any suit trousers which are dark in colour but denim is not permitted.

May I wear a dress?

Yes, a plain black, navy, green or grey dress may be worn. (Not stretchy material)

Do I have to wear a suit jacket?

Yes, a jacket is compulsory.

Can I wear boots or trainers?

No, boots or trainers are not permitted. You must wear dark leather, suede or leather type shoes with low heels.

May I wear a stretchy top?

No, you must wear a formal shirt or blouse with collar in any colour.

May I wear visible jewellery?

Earrings are permitted but should be limited to one in each ear.

May I wear a jumper?

Only a V necked jumper may be worn under your jacket.

What if I need comfortable shoes for walking to school?

Wear your trainers on the journey and change into your school shoes when you arrive at school.

Sixth Form Dress Code

The dress code is that all students should be dressed appropriately for a **formal business environment**.

Your outfit should be chosen from the following items:

- A plain dark business suit. (Black, navy, green or grey). You may either wear a trouser or skirt suit. Skirts should be no higher than the knee.
- A plain dark dress (black, navy, green or grey which should be no higher than the knee);
- A formal shirt or blouse with collar and sleeves;
- A tie must be worn with a formal shirt but should not be worn with a blouse;
- Dark leather shoes, plain and low heeled;
- White or dark socks;
- If tights are worn, they should be dark or neutral and plain.
- Waistcoats are optional.

- **Discreet makeup** and nail varnish may be worn.
- **Clothing should not be tight** and should be of a non-clingy fabric.
- A plain dark V-necked pullover may be worn under the jacket when it is cold.
- **Permissible visible jewellery** is a small pair of ear studs.
- **Hair** should be a natural colour. Hair should be clean, tidy and clear of the eyes. No extreme hairstyles.
- Students should not have visible tattoos or facial piercings apart from earrings.