

SIXTH FORM DRESS CODE

Parents/Carers are responsible for ensuring that their child is dressed appropriately for school.

- ◆ We have a dress code for the Sixth Form that **supports their learning, enables them to be role models to others.** It also reflects the **ethos of the school.**
- ◆ The Sixth Form Dress Code is also intended to give students guidance as to what is the appropriate manner of dress for interviews and professional life beyond school.
- ◆ The Dress Code applies **throughout the year** including during study leave, the exam period and when visiting the school site at any stage.

BOYS	GIRLS
<ul style="list-style-type: none">◆ Boys are expected to wear suits with a collared shirt and tie (not polo shirt).◆ Smart knitwear can also be worn.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">◆ Girls are expected to dress smartly and this can include wearing a suit.◆ Skirts and dresses must be a reasonable length and tops must be formal, such as shirts, blouses, smart knitwear and blazers.◆ Clothing must not be revealing: Skirts and dresses must be mid-thigh in length or longer, no strappy, strapless or low cut tops and no see through garments or clothing with cut out areas.
FOOTWEAR	
Both boys and girls must wear smart footwear that would be acceptable in a formal office environment. They should be comfortable and practical for the normal school day. Boots are acceptable providing that they are smart and clean.	
NOT PERMITTED AT ANY TIME DENIM / SPORTSWEAR / HOODIES OR CASUAL JUMPERS / TRAINERS	

FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH THE DRESS CODE

The dress code is monitored by Form Tutors during registration, teaching staff during lessons and the Sixth Form team around the school site. A student who has objectively not met the dress code above will be confronted and, depending on the situation, one or all of the following may occur:

- ◆ A 'Sixth Form Dress Code' note on the student's SIMS profile (each time an issue arises)
- ◆ The student will be sent home to get changed
- ◆ The student will be given an alternative item of clothing to wear
- ◆ Parents/carers will be contacted if adherence to the dress code is not consistent