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Student Uniform Policy

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Expectations

All students in Years 7 to 11 are expected to wear school uniform. Our uniform reflects a pride and sense of belonging in the school and presents our students in the best possible light to visitors and the wider community.

A high standard of personal appearance is expected of all students and anyone arriving at school in non-uniform clothing can expect to receive a sanction unless an explanatory note is received. Items of uniform are available for loan as necessary.

Please see the school dress code below and refer to this when purchasing any new items of uniform. Items of uniform may also be purchased from high street retailers, but care must be taken to ensure these items meet the requirements as set out above. If in doubt, please contact us and we will be happy to help.

Affordability

Our aim is to ensure that the required school uniform is affordable for all. With this in mind, we have reduced the number of required items and have liaised with Drury Sports to offer an embroidery service if you would prefer to purchase items from high street retailers. Drury Sports also offer a saving scheme, which allows you to spread the cost of school uniform over a period time. If you are interested in this scheme, please speak to staff in Drury Sports. In addition to this, Driffield School Association are providing opportunities through the school year for parents to purchase pre-owned uniform at reasonable prices.

Students that are in receipt of Free School Meals may be eligible for support when purchasing items of school uniform. For further information or any other enquires regarding uniform please contact the appropriate Head of Year in the first instance.

Exemptions

As part of the school's commitment to inclusion, students may be exempt from certain aspects of the uniform policy due to their religion or culture. Requests should be made in writing to the Head of Year. All requests will be considered on an individual basis.

Dress Code

Black trousers	Formal, classic smart full length trousers. Casual trousers (e.g. jeans style/leggings/jogging or sports trousers) are not permitted. Trousers can be worn with thin black belt if necessary (no fashion belts/large buckles).								
Black skirts	Smart, knee length skirt. Skirts should not be made of stretchy fabric.								
White shirt	Standard white, long sleeved, loose fitting shirt with stiff pointed collar (not open necked) to take a tie; shirt must be long enough to be tucked in and wide enough at the neck to fasten the top button.								
Tie	House colours and to be worn at all times. <table style="width: 100%; text-align: center; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="width: 25%;">Bronte</td> <td style="width: 25%;">Holtby</td> <td style="width: 25%;">Johnson</td> <td style="width: 25%;">Mortimer</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Purple</td> <td>Blue</td> <td>Red</td> <td>Green</td> </tr> </table>	Bronte	Holtby	Johnson	Mortimer	Purple	Blue	Red	Green
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Black blazers <u>OR</u>	Black blazers with school logo only, or								
Black jumper*	V neck black jumper with school logo only (no cardigans).								
Socks	Plain black or white. Trainer socks are not permitted. Socks must not be worn over tights.								
Tights	Plain (not patterned), black or flesh coloured. Leggings are not permitted.								
Footwear	Plain black leather or leather look shoes that can be polished, flat or low heels (no canvas, sandals, mules, sling-backs, knee length boots, Ugg boots or trainers). Plain black leather/leather look ankle boots are only permitted if worn with school trousers. Shoes with any form of decoration are not permitted.								
Jewellery	One pair of studs or small sleeper earrings is allowed. No other body piercing is allowed. One plain ring may be worn on either hand. One watch may be worn. One discreet necklace may be worn. One discreet bracelet on each arm, may be worn.								
Hair	No extreme colours or styles. Hair decorations are not permitted.								
Make-up	Make up should be subtle if worn, this includes no bright colours. False eyelashes are not permitted. Nail varnish, including false nails, should not be worn.								

*Students can choose to wear either a jumper **OR** a blazer (there is no need to purchase both).

Please note, blazers and jumpers may be purchased from high street retailers with the logo embroidered as mentioned on page 2.

PE Dress Code

PE lessons form an integral part of the school's curriculum and parents are requested to provide suitable clothing so that their child can participate. For health, hygiene and safety reasons all students must bring a full change of sports clothing for PE lessons.

PE Kit	Green and black polo shirt with school logo* Green and black ¾ zip jumper Black shorts, leggings or tracksuit bottoms White socks. Indoor clean non-marking trainers. Outdoor trainers for the Astroturf, studded boots for grass. Towel for showers.
Swimming Kit	A one-piece swimsuit/costume or swimming trunks/shorts (above the knee) and towel. Goggles can be worn if required.
Hair	Must be tied back for all activities if hair may cover face.
Jewellery	No jewellery or piercings of any kind are permitted during physical activity including watches. Earrings must be removed and cannot be taped up.

* Plain Black t-shirts maybe be purchased from high street retailers provided the logo is embroidered on.

Shin pads and mouth guards are highly recommended for invasion games, such as hockey, football and rugby. If a student becomes involved in a competition regulated by a National Governing of Sport, then the wearing of shin pads and mouth guards will become mandatory.