

SCHOOL UNIFORM

ALL ITEMS OF CLOTHING CAN BE PURCHASED OR ORDERED FROM OUR RECOMMENDED SUPPLIERS – THE UNIFORM SHOP (CANNOCK)

*PLEASE CONTACT THE SCHOOL IF YOU ARE IN ANY DOUBT ABOUT THE SUITABILITY OF AN ITEM **BEFORE MAKING A PURCHASE.** THE SCHOOL RESERVES THE RIGHT, ON THE GROUNDS OF SAFETY OR MODESTY, TO INSIST THAT ANY STUDENT WHO IS INAPPROPRIATELY DRESSED SHOULD RETURN HOME TO CHANGE.*

NB Please see also Rules and Discipline section

BOYS AND GIRLS

School Sweatshirt or

School Jumper (maroon for Key Stage 3/Black for Stage 4). Available from the Uniform Shop.

NO OTHER SWEATSHIRT, JUMPER OR CARDIGAN WILL BE ALLOWED

White Shirt or

Polo Shirt (Must be capable of buttoning to the neck)

Black/Dark Grey

Trousers (No jeans type or 'skinnies')

Knee Length Skirt (Grey Key Stage 3/Black Key Stage 4)

Black Shoes with black laces

(No trainers. No logos or coloured laces)

FOR SAFETY REASONS – NO FOOTWEAR WHICH RAISES ANY PART OF THE FOOT MORE THAN 6CM ABOVE THE GROUND AND NO NARROW OR STILETTO TYPE HEELS

Boots

(May be worn under trousers but must meet Health and Safety requirements. Ugg boots do not meet these requirements). **NO STEEL TOECAPS**

Socks

White, grey, black or maroon.

Jewellery

One plain ear stud only, in either ear or both, worn in the ear lobe. In the interests of security and safety no other jewellery is permitted, including any other body-piercing jewellery, and students will be required to remove other items. (Any body-piercing should be undertaken at the beginning of the summer holidays so that all jewellery, including permitted ear-studs, can be taken out for school activities such as PE. No piercing should prevent any student from taking part in any aspect of the school's curriculum.)

Make-up

Make-up is not to be worn in Years 7, 8, 9

Discreet make-up may be worn from Year 10 onwards

Hair

Should be plain and neat. Unnatural colours (e.g. green, blue) are not allowed.

Hoodies, cardigans and scarves are NOT part of our uniform and SHOULD NOT BE WORN.

Failure to observe uniform requirements may lead to students being asked to return home to change or work in isolation.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION (NO JEWELLERY OF ANY SORT TO BE WORN)

Boys

Gum shield for Rugby and Hockey
Shin pads for Rugby, Hockey and Football
Plain black shorts
White T-shirt
Maroon rugby shirt with reversible white stripe
White socks
Football boots
Swimming trunks

Girls

Gum shield and shin pads for Hockey
Maroon shorts and/or optional maroon skirt
White Aertex blouse
Plain maroon sweatshirt in cold weather
White socks, knee-length in winter
Black swimming costume
White swimming cap

Both

Plain black tracksuit trousers and top in cold weather.

OR

School logo tracksuit trousers and top in cold weather.

School logo black fleece and black jumper available for outdoor use (except rugby).

Non-marking indoor pumps or non-marking trainers (**no black soles or black uppers please**)

Plain maroon or grey tracksuit or joggers (optional)

Practical Lessons

D&T -

A white apron or other suitable protective clothing
Suitable footwear for the workshop

Food -Technology

A cotton or PVC apron with bib – compulsory
Suitable footwear for practical areas. On safety grounds, students wearing trainers, open-toed shoes/sandals or similar will be excluded from practical work.

NB The issue of safety cannot be over-emphasised. We are required to exclude from any lesson or activity students whose clothing, footwear or hairstyle makes them a potential danger to themselves or others. The governors and staff would very much appreciate parents' full support in these matters as valuable time can be wasted on dealing with infringements.