



Teesside High School
Education as it should be

Uniform and Jewellery Policy

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POLICY NAME	Uniform and Jewellery Policy
PURPOSE	To ensure the wearing of the correct school uniform to give a common identity to the pupils.
APPLIES TO	All students

Aims

The wearing of the correct School uniform gives a common identity to all pupils in the School. This policy takes into consideration the following principles:

- that the students of Teesside High School present a corporate image both within the building during school hours, when travelling to and from School, and on public occasions
- that the pupils of the School always look tidy and smart and take pride in their appearance.

Procedures

- On entry to the School every parent/guardian receives a uniform list (see School handbook/induction pack).
- Parents/guardians are informed in writing of any changes to the uniform which normally have a transition period during which both styles of garment may be worn.
- The uniform is available to order online from www.schoolblazer.com
- Pupils are frequently reminded about how the uniform should be worn (length of skirt, height of heels, blouses tucked into skirts, ties fastened up etc.).
- All items of uniform must be clearly named. Form tutors carry out an inspection at the beginning of every term.
- Pupils are allowed to wear a watch in School. Any other jewellery is not permitted.
- Use of extreme hair colour, extensions and coloured braids is not permitted. Hair should be tidy and business-like for both boys and girls. Hair longer than collar length should be tied back at all times during the school day (no shorter than a number 3 cut for boys).
- Permission may be sought in writing from the Deputy Head Pastoral/ Director of Prep to wear one pair of stud earrings in the lobe of the ear for a maximum period of 6 weeks subsequent to piercing. A current list of pupils who have been given permission is displayed in the staff room. It is preferable for piercing to be carried out at the beginning of the summer holidays, so that the healing period is completed before the beginning of the Autumn Term. Piercings in cartilage of the ear, nose or any other facial piercings are not permitted. Inappropriate or potentially dangerous body piercings are not permitted. We will insist that any such piercings are removed and not worn in School.

- Unauthorised jewellery is confiscated by any member of staff and held by the Deputy Head or Director of Prep in the first instance it will be held until the end of the day, the second instance the end of the week and third instance until end of term, parents will be contacted.
- Hair accessories must be navy blue and nail varnish may not be worn. Pupils infringing this rule are sent to the laboratory technician to have the varnish removed.
- Long false or artificial nails are not permitted on safety and hygiene grounds. Parents will be asked to make an appointment that day to have the nails removed. Similarly, false eyelashes are not permitted and parents will be asked to make an appointment for removal as soon as possible.
- Make up is not permitted, pupils wearing noticeable makeup will be asked to remove it using a make up wipe.
- Pupils who persistently fail to follow the policy regarding uniform and jewellery are referred to the Deputy Head / Director of Prep and if necessary their parents are informed. They may be placed on uniform report card to monitor. Failure to rectify the issue could result in internal isolation of the student until it can be rectified.
- Discretion should be used when advising Sixth formers on suitability of appearance within their published Dress Code.



Uniform List

Please read the relevant section in conjunction with our general notes on page 4.

<p>Pre-Prep School Uniform EYFS to Year 2 <i>All items are compulsory unless italicised.</i></p>	
<p>Winter: Girls: School crested blazer Black Watch tartan pinafore White reverse collar blouse (long or short sleeved) Navy v neck cardigan with bottle green trim Navy wool tights or navy knee high socks Navy felt hat with bottle green band</p> <p>Summer: Girls: Gordon checked summer dress Navy knee high socks</p>	<p>Winter: Boys: School crested blazer Charcoal grey school shorts White cotton shirts (long or short sleeved) Elasticated school tie Navy v neck jumper with bottle green trim Navy knee high socks with green band Navy felt cap</p> <p>Summer: Boys: <i>White cotton shirts (short sleeved)</i></p>
<p>Unisex: Navy crested reversible stormproof coat Navy fleece hat with logo Navy and green knotted scarf Navy fleece gloves Navy Art overall Navy book bag with logo <i>Emerald crested sun hat</i></p>	
<p>Pre-Prep PE Kit <i>*Items available from the Schoolblazer website. Note: All kit must be named.</i></p>	
<p>Unisex: Navy crested sweatshirt (Nursery and Reception only)* Navy Crested Midlayer* (Year 1 and 2) Bottle green polo shirt with logo* Navy PE shorts* Navy jogging bottoms* Navy infant backpack with logo* White velcro trainers (EYFS only - for Forest School) Blue puddle suit</p>	

Prep School Uniform Years 3-6 inclusive <i>All items are compulsory unless italicised.</i>	
<p>Winter: Girls: School crested blazer Black Watch tartan skirt White revere collar blouse (long or short sleeved) Navy v neck jumper with bottle green trim Navy wool tights or navy knee high socks</p> <p>Summer: Girls: Gordon checked summer dress Navy v neck cardigan with bottle green trim Navy knee high socks</p>	<p>Winter: Boys: School crested blazer Charcoal grey school trousers White cotton shirts Tie Navy v neck jumper with bottle green trim Grey ankle socks</p> <p>Summer: Boys: <i>White cotton shirts (short sleeved)</i></p>
<p>Unisex: Navy crested reversible stormproof coat Navy fleece hat with logo Navy and green knotted scarf Navy fleece gloves Navy backpack with logo iPad (Year 3-Year 6) <i>Emerald crested sun cap</i></p>	
Prep PE Kit <i>*Items available from the Schoolblazer website. Note: All kit must be named.</i>	
<p>Girls: Compulsory: White Crested PE Polo* Navy and Emerald Skort* Emerald Games Socks* White Trainer Socks Navy Crested Midlayer* Navy Crested Training Pant* Trainers Football boots Mouthguard Shin pads Hockey stick Navy Swimming Costume* (Years 3-4) House Swim Cap* Navy and Emerald Crested Games Bag*</p>	<p>Boys: Compulsory: Navy/Emerald Crested Reversible Rugby Top* White Crested PE Polo* Navy Crested Rugby Shorts* Emerald Games Socks* White Trainer Socks Navy Crested Midlayer* Navy Crested Training Pant* Trainers Rugby/football boots Mouthguard Shin pads Hockey stick Navy Swimming Shorts* (Years 3-4) House Swim Cap*</p>

<p>Optional: Navy/Emerald Crested Tracksuit Top* Navy Crested Base Layer* or own navy/black base layer Black Base Layer Leggings* or own black base layer leggings/skins Athletics spikes Astro-turf trainers</p>	<p>Navy and Emerald Crested Games Bag*</p> <p>Optional: Navy/Emerald Crested Tracksuit Top* Navy Crested Base Layer* or own navy/black base layer Black Base Layer Leggings* or own black base layer leggings/skins Athletics spikes Astro-turf trainers</p>
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<p>Senior School Uniform Years 7-11 Inclusive</p>	
<p>Girls: School crested blazer Tartan skirt/trousers White reverse collar blouse (long or short sleeved) Navy blue v neck jumper with bottle green trim Navy blue opaque tights (navy socks - summer) Navy blue hair accessories</p>	<p>Boys: School crested blazer Long charcoal grey trousers White shirt (long or short sleeved) Navy blue v neck jumper with bottle green trim Grey socks Tie</p>
<p>Unisex: Dark coloured school bag White lab coat Scientific calculator (Casio FX-83GTX) Chromebook (provided for Years 7-10) Navy cool bag with school logo (for Food and Nutrition) School apron (for Food and Nutrition - purchased via ParentPay, details will follow)</p>	
<p>Senior PE Kit <i>*Items available from the Schoolblazer website. Note: All kit must be named.</i></p>	
<p>Compulsory: White Crested PE Polo* Navy and Emerald Skort* Emerald Games Socks* White Trainer Socks Navy Crested Midlayer* Navy Crested Training Pant* Trainers Football boots Mouthguard Shin pads</p>	<p>Compulsory: Navy/Emerald Crested Reversible Rugby Top* White Crested PE Polo* Navy Crested Rugby Shorts* Emerald Games Socks* White Trainer Socks Navy Crested Midlayer* Navy Crested Training Pant* Trainers Rugby/football boots Mouthguard</p>

<p>Hockey stick</p> <p>Optional: Navy/Emerald Crested Tracksuit Top* Navy and Emerald Crested Games Bag* Navy Crested Base Layer* or own navy/black base layer Black Base Layer Leggings* or own black base layer leggings/skins Athletics spikes Astro-turf trainers</p>	<p>Shin pads Hockey stick</p> <p>Optional: Navy/Emerald Crested Tracksuit Top* Navy and Emerald Crested Games Bag* Navy Crested Base Layer* or own navy/black base layer Black Base Layer Leggings* or own black base layer leggings/skins Athletics spikes Astro-turf trainers</p>
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Uniform Notes - EYFS to Year 11 Inclusive

- Winter uniform is acceptable year round. Summer uniform can be worn from Easter to October half term.
- Trainers and boots are not acceptable as everyday footwear.
- School skirts must always be on the knee.
- Shoes must always be black and with a low, sensible heel.
- Blazers to be worn at all times to and from school.
- Coats to be worn over blazers in bad weather. These can be bought from our uniform supplier up to Year 6. Years 7-11 may wear a smart navy or black coat of their choice. No gilets, hoodies or casual coats.
- In winter, gloves, hats and scarves must be navy blue. Hair accessories must be navy blue.
- Hair should be tidy and of natural colour. If longer than collar length, it should be tied back off the face; extreme haircuts and hair colours are not permitted. For boys, minimum length is a no. 2 cut, lines or fades are not permitted.
- The only jewellery permitted is a wrist watch. **No piercings are permitted.** We request that any piercings are carried out at the beginning of the summer break to allow time to heal and be removed for term time.

Sixth Form Uniform Years 12 and 13

<p>Girls: Dark business style suit of choice in black, navy blue or dark grey comprising: Tailored trousers, smart dress or skirt (appropriate length for work environment) Suit jacket Plain coloured blouse/shirt (may have stripe but predominantly plain - no logos)</p>	<p>Boys: Dark business style suit of choice in black, navy blue or dark grey comprising: Tailored trousers and jacket White shirt Socks Dark leather shoes</p>
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<p>Tights Dark coloured shoes Sweaters worn under jackets must be dark in colour and appropriate for work environment - no logos Sixth Form neck scarf (to purchase directly from school, please contact accounts@teessidehigh.co.uk)</p>	<p>Sweaters worn under jackets must be dark in colour and appropriate for work environment - no logos Sixth Form tie</p>
<p>Sixth Form PE Kit <i>*Items available from the Schoolblazer website. Note: All kit must be named. Additional Sixth Form kit may be required if representing the school at an event or competitive fixture.</i></p>	
<p>Compulsory: White Crested PE Polo* Navy Crested Skort* or Navy Crested Running Shorts* Emerald Games Socks* White Trainer Socks Trainers</p> <p>Optional: Plain black leggings/skins Mouthguard Navy Crested Midlayer* Navy/Emerald Crested Tracksuit Top* Navy Crested Training Pant* Navy and Emerald Crested Games Bag* Navy Crested Base Layer* or own navy/black base layer</p>	<p>Compulsory: White Crested PE Polo* Navy Crested Rugby Shorts* Emerald Games Socks* White Trainer Socks Trainers</p> <p>Optional: Plain black tracksuit bottoms Rugby/football boots Mouthguard Navy Crested Hooded Sweatshirt* Navy/Emerald Crested Tracksuit Top* Navy Crested Training Pant* Navy and Emerald Crested Games Bag* Navy Crested Base Layer* or own navy/black base layer Black Base Layer Leggings* or own black base layer leggings/skins</p>