

# Uniform Guide

## September 2019

### Tie\* - House Colour

Tie must be full length and suitably knotted to the button of the shirt. Compulsory for all students from September 2019. Compulsory for any Year 7-10 student choosing to wear a shirt before September 2019.



### Skirt\* - Black

Years 7, 8 and 9 - School range skirt with logo (only available from Chroma Sports)  
Years 10 and 11- Knee length traditional style skirt.  
**Tight fitted skirt, lycra, with slits or zips are not acceptable.**

### Shirt - White

Plain style, short or long sleeved, buttoned to the collar with enough material allowance to stay tucked into the waistband and a collar which can hold a tie.

### Blazer\* - Black with Logo

Compulsory for all new students (September 2019 onwards)  
Must be worn during the school day unless given permission to remove by a member of staff.  
Optional for all other students.

### Trousers\* - Black

Years 7, 8 and 9 - School range trousers with logo (only available from Chroma Sports).  
Years 10 and 11 - Traditional formal 'suit' style trousers.  
**Casual, 'skinny-type'/leggings, chino, cropped or jean type trousers are not acceptable.**

### Jewellery

One pair of plain, round, metal stud earrings allowed (to be worn one in each ear or a single earring).  
Optional wrist watch.  
Necklaces should not be visible and not worn during PE and Dance lessons.  
**No other jewellery is acceptable including rings. We do not accept any other forms of body piercing or retainers of any kind.**

### Mobile Phones

From September 2019 - Mobile phones should be stored in bags at all times during the school day.

### Make-up

Make-up must be discrete for Years 9-13  
**No make-up for Year 7 and 8.**  
Discrete nail varnish and short gel or extension nails permitted.  
**Bright nail varnish, long gel nails or long nail extensions are not permitted.**

### Hair

**No extreme/un-natural hair colours or styles are allowed including tram lines or very short cuts (anything less than a number 2 cut).**

### Jumper/Cardigan\* - Black

Optional school range plain black school jumper/cardigan with House logo (only available from Chroma Sports).  
**Hooded tops are not acceptable**

### Coat - Dark

A waterproof coat- dark colour (discrete logos acceptable).  
**No hoodies/ track-suit tops/ football/ sports or denim.**

### Shoes - Black

Traditional /formal style in leather or leather-style.  
**Heels must not exceed 5cm.**  
**No canvas/trainer style shoes will be accepted.**  
**No boots will be accepted.**  
**Tights/Socks should be black or white, plain, no patterns and not leggings.**



**\*Items available from Chroma Sport**

<https://www.chromasport.co.uk/shop/ken-stimpson>  
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# Dance/PE Kit

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## Training Top\* - Black with Logo

Plain black long sleeved training top with school logo.  
Compulsory for all new students from September 2019.  
Existing students should transition to the new training top when their existing kit requires replacement.

## Trainers

Sports trainers should be worn for all indoor lessons.  
Football boots will be required for outdoor lessons- students will be advised of their need for these by PE Staff. For health and safety reasons participation in field based sports will not be permitted without the correct footwear.

**No trainers or socks should be worn for Dance lessons.**



## T-Shirt\* - Black with Logo

Plain black t-shirt with school logo.  
Compulsory for all new students from September 2019.  
Existing students should transition to the new t-shirts when their existing kit requires replacement.

## Shorts - Black

Black shorts/black tracksuit bottoms/black sports leggings are permitted for both PE and Dance lessons.

## Socks - Black

Students will require a change of socks for all PE lessons.

**Students should not be wearing their everyday school socks for PE lessons for hygiene reasons. Socks/tights should not be worn for Dance lessons.**

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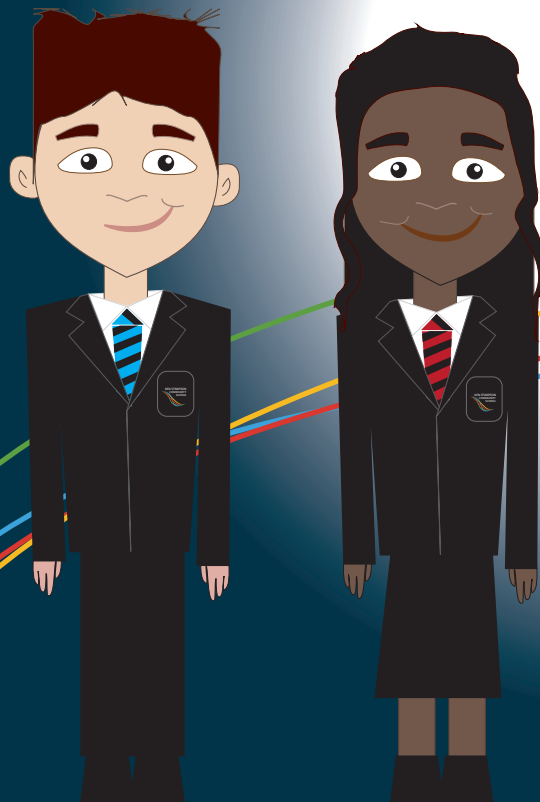
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# Uniform Price

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### Uniform Pricing September 2019 - "Dress Smart - Think Smart"

Our aim is to provide a smart and cost effective uniform for all students. From September 2019 all new students will be required to wear the full new uniform. Students in Years 8-11 will be able to transition over to the new uniform from the Summer term 2019 allowing new items to be purchased as part of natural uniform replacement. From September 2019 the existing polo shirt will not be available for purchase or permitted for wear by any student. The new blazer and PE/Dance kits will not be compulsory for students in Years 8-11 but are encouraged.



#### Year 7 (September 2019)

Trouser/Skirt*	£20.00
Shirts x 3	£8.00
PE/Dance T-Shirt*	£11.00
PE Training Top*	£22.00
Blazer*	£38.00
Tie*	£6.50

**£105.50**

#### Years 8-11 (September 2019)

##### Compulsory uniform requirements

Trouser/Skirt*	£20.00
Shirts x 3	£8.00
Tie *	£6.50

**£34.50**



#### Existing uniform prices for comparison

Trouser/Skirt	£20.00
Polo Top x 3	£40.50
Jumper/Cardigan	£22.50
PE t-shirt	£7.00
Rugby Jersey	£19.00

**£109.00**

#### Years 8-11 before change for comparison

Trouser/Skirt*	£20.00
Polo Top x 3	£40.50

**£60.50**

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† Optional but encouraged

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# Uniform FAQ

## September 2019

### Can my child still wear their logo polo shirt in September?

No, from September 2019 all students should be wearing a plain white shirt and tie as per our new uniform guide.

### I've just bought my son/daughter a new coloured PE top!

No problem. Whilst all Year 7 students will be required to wear the new Dance/PE uniform, students in Years 8-11 can continue to wear their existing kit. We will no longer be selling the coloured t-shirts from September 2019 and would expect parents to buy the new kit as the old one needs replacing.

### Is the new blazer compulsory for all students?

No. The blazer is compulsory for all new students from September 2019, so Year 7 students and any students that join us from this point onwards. Years 8-11 can wear the blazer should they wish to but it is not compulsory for them to purchase.

### What happens when it's too hot to wear the blazer?

We are expecting that students should wear their blazer at all times. However, staff will give clear guidance to students when they are able to remove their blazers if the temperature becomes too hot.

### Is the blazer machine washable?

Yes. Parents should be able to launder the new uniform in the same way as they do the current items.

### When can I start buying the new uniform?

We are working with Chroma Sports to have the new items available as soon as possible and hope that they will begin stocking items during the first half of the Summer Term.

### What was wrong with the old uniform?

"Look smart, think smart" was appropriately coined by one of our students. Research has found that wearing a smart uniform instills a sense of self pride.

### What if my child has sensory issues?

We are aware that the new uniform, including the tie, can cause issues for some of our students with sensory issues. We will be working with these students and their parents/carers to help make the transition as smooth as possible.



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