



School

School Uniform: Sixth Form

School uniform keeps students focused on their education, not their clothes. It also creates a level playing field among students, reducing peer pressure and bullying. Wearing school uniform enhances school pride, unity, and community spirit.

Our view is that sixth formers should have a certain degree of flexibility in comparison to main school rules, but we ask that they look neat and tidy, and that any jewellery, makeup and hair styles (including facial hair) are discreet.

All students should wear a uniform consisting of black shoes, a maroon jumper (the Sixth Form do not have a blazer), black trousers, a maroon and green tie, and a white shirt. The rules of uniform are the same for both boys and girls. All items of uniform must be named correctly.

Parents are asked that to ensure that their son/daughter is wearing only the items of uniform listed below:

Shirt	White button down
Trousers	Black straight or slight boot leg; they must be full length and not cropped. Leggings, jeggings, jeans and cords are not permitted.
* Jumper	Maroon v-necked jumper with woven school badge
* Tie	Maroon and green clip on
Socks	Dark colour
Shoes	 Black. Should be black polished or capable of taking polish. Shoes should not have trainer style stripes or markings down the side or have any sports tags anywhere on them. They should have a conventional sole and not a chunky trainer type. Please be aware that some shoe shops are selling trainer type shoes (black leather Converse, for example) as "school shoes" – they are not permitted. Shoes should have appropriate tread on the soles and heels should be no more than 3cm.

* Only available at Temple Sports, Keswick: shop@templesports.co.uk or 017687 80210

Jewellery and make-up

- Facial piercings, including nose studs, are <u>not</u> permitted. Students will be told to remove these.
- Discreet polished nails are permitted although we do not allow acrylic nails (for health and safety reasons).
- Discreet make-up is permitted but conspicuous fake tan is not allowed.
- Plain studs or very small hoops are permitted.
- No other jewellery, fashion belts, charity bands, false eyelashes or tattoos are allowed and students will be told to remove these.

<u>Hair</u>

- For safety reasons hair must be tied back during certain activities e.g. PE, work in laboratories/workshops.
- Hair styles must not follow extremes of fashion (i.e. not grade 1 or 2), including colours or extensions.
- Facial hair should be very closely shaven but we will advise on this if necessary.