



All Dumfries and Galloway schools must have a school uniform dress code which encourages pupils to dress in a way appropriate to attendance at school. This code must not lead to direct or indirect discrimination on the grounds of race, religion, gender or disability. Prior to drawing up the school uniform dress code, parents, pupils and staff were fully consulted and it is the expectation of Education Services that parents will be supportive of the dress code. Clothing which is unacceptable in school under any circumstances would include items which: -

- Could potentially encourage factions (e.g. football colours)
- Could cause offence (e.g. anti-religious or political slogans)
- Could cause health and safety difficulties such as loose-fitting clothing, dangling earrings
- Are of flammable materials which may be a danger in certain classes
- Could cause damage to floors
- Carry advertising, in particular for alcohol or tobacco
- Could be used to inflict damage on other pupils

SCHOOL UNIFORM

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Parents in receipt of a grant for footwear and clothing from the authority will be encouraged to purchase items which are in accordance with the school uniform dress code. While it would not normally be the policy of the authority to exclude a pupil from school solely on the basis of his/her dress, persistent refusal to respond to a reasonable dress code could be deemed to be a challenge to the Headteacher's authority and thus be detrimental to the well-being of the whole school community. In such circumstances, Headteacher could justify the use of the school disciplinary procedures.

OUR UNIFORM

All students in all year groups (S1-S6) are asked to wear:

- White or black shirt and school tie or School polo shirt.
- All items in black: jumper, sweatshirt, fleece, cardigan or hoodie – school logo available as an option if preferred.
- All items in black: trousers/dress shorts/skort/pinafore/ skirt/ leggings (not sport leggings).
- Mainly black comfortable shoes.
- Any additional item of headwear for religious reasons to also be plain black or school colours.

We are asking for smart school clothing – no branded logos and sportswear. This would include sport shorts, sport leggings and PE clothing etc.



PE KIT

The following items should be brought for every PE lesson and extracurricular sporting opportunities:

- Trainers.
- Shorts, joggers or Lycra sport leggings.
- Short or long sleeve T shirt.
- Warm top or hoodie for outdoor activities in colder weather.
- Swimming kit when directed by PE teacher.



Items not permitted for PE:

- Football tops /team tops
- Crop tops or strap vests.
- Crocs.
- Jewellery (for health & safety reasons).

