

UNIFORM AND EQUIPMENT

Uniform

- Navy blazer with school badge embroidered on the breast pocket (from school supply) must be worn at all times around the school site. Blazers may be removed in classrooms with the class teacher's permission. In hot weather, the Headteacher may give permission for blazers to be carried instead of worn.
- School 'clip-on' tie (from school supply).
- Grey full length tailored trousers ** – no jeans, chinos, cords, skinny trousers, leggings or jeggings - with plain black socks that come up over the ankle. Trousers must be loose at the ankle (trousers can be purchased from school supply but this is not a requirement)
- Compulsory school skirt (from school supply), with plain black or grey tights or black socks.
- Plain white formal shirt (stiff collared, buttoned to collar and tucked in).
- Black school shoes – no trainers or shoes with sports logo, no high heels, platforms, sling backs or backless shoes. Shoes need to be safe to wear in a variety of school environments.
- Outdoor coats (to and from school) - dark colour.
- No sweatshirts, hooded sweatshirts, denim or leather jackets.
- If a belt needs to be worn (through belt loops), it must be plain black without motifs, embellishments or decoration. Belt buckles must be plain.
- PE Kit consists of a red polo shirt or football shirt (with name on the reverse), black shorts, black sweatshirt (with name on the reverse) and red socks (all from school supply).

Jewellery

- Piercings – no visible body/facial piercings including tongue piercings, nose piercings and ear 'tunnels' are to be worn: this includes the wearing of clear (or other) retainers.
- One small pair of plain stud earrings may be worn but must be removed to allow students to participate in PE.
- **Please do not allow your child to have a piercing done during term time.**
- No rings, necklaces or bracelets are to be worn (Medical necklace/bracelets are allowed).
- students may wear a wristwatch.

Make-up

- Light make-up may be worn but must be discreet and natural.
- No false eyelashes.
- Hair may not be dyed bright or 'unnatural colours'. Shaved or stylised in a distracting way.
- No nail varnish.

- Acrylic/Gel/Nexgen nails or tips are not allowed in school. This is a Health & Safety risk.

Equipment

Every day students must be prepared to learn with the correct basic equipment: pen, pencil, ruler, rubber, they may also find coloured pencils useful. For Maths lessons a compass and protractor will be required.

A scientific calculator is now a compulsory piece of school equipment and students are required to have one with them at all times.

Students are expected to have a reading book with them at all times.

** Trousers deemed appropriate by Smithdon High School are available for purchase via our website. School trousers can be purchased from other suppliers. However, if the trousers worn by a student are considered unsuitable or inappropriate and a suitable alternative cannot be sourced from elsewhere, parents/carers will be directed to buy the trousers we have available through our website.

The school reserves the right to make the final decision on the suitability and/or appropriateness of the school trousers worn by Smithdon students.