

The King's School Uniform

What has traditionally been known as the 'Boys' uniform' is now referred to as the 'Trousers Uniform' and what has been called the 'Girls' uniform' is now referred to as the 'Skirt uniform.'

The two uniform lists remain unchanged, but we hope that the new terms will enable King's to make suitable provision for a pupil who wants to make a considered choice about the clothes worn at school in relation to their gender identity.

This choice is made with parental consent and with the Headmaster's approval, and it would be a choice to wear either the full Trousers uniform or the full Skirt uniform on permanent basis, not a combination of both.

Whilst this will not affect a large number of pupils, we believe it is the right decision to support those individuals for whom this is a significant matter.

Best wishes,

George Hartley
Headmaster

Uniform List for Senior School – Sept 2021

Removes (Year 7) - Fifth Year (Year 11)

The school uniform is compulsory and every item should be named. Items which **must be** purchased from the school supplier (on site or on-line) are indicated below in **bold**.

Item	Trouser uniform	Skirt uniform	Notes
Blazer*	Venetian striped blazer (Unisex)	Venetian striped blazer. Girls' fit version available.	Must be purchased from school shop. Girls can wear either unisex or girls' fit blazer.
Shirt	White long-sleeved shirt (Short- sleeved shirts allowed in Summer)	White long-sleeved shirt (Short- sleeved shirts allowed in Summer)	Must be tucked into skirts/trousers and top buttons fastened.
Tie (Removes only)	Venetian striped tie	Venetian striped tie	Must be purchased from school shop.
Tie (Shells - 5ths)	House tie	House tie	Supplied and charged via school
Jumper/Cardigan	Navy blue V-neck plain knit jumper	Navy blue V-neck plain knit jumper OR Navy blue plain v-necked knit cardigan	Must not be worn without a blazer. No branding or motifs on jumper or cardigan.
Trousers*	Mid - grey trousers	Mid - grey trousers (Optional instead of skirt)	
Skirt*	n/a	Mid - grey full pleat OR Mid-grey inverted pleat skirt	Skirts must be bought at mid knee-length <u>and never be shorter than 5 cm above the knee.</u>
Socks	Mid- grey plain	Mid- grey plain knee-length or ankle-length	

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Item	Trouser uniform	Skirt uniform	Notes
Tights	n/a	Black or flesh coloured	
Shoes	Plain black	Plain black, low-heeled	No trainer styles, must be conventional style.
Belts	Black	Black	With a plain buckle.
Outer Coats	Dark colour, plain in style	Dark colour, plain in style	No hoodies permitted.
Hair	No longer than collar length and natural in colour. Excessively short hair is not acceptable.	Natural in colour and hair accessories to be plain and neutral/ dark colour	
Religious Headwear	Navy blue	Navy blue	
Jewellery	None except a watch	None except a watch and a single pair of metal plain stud earrings	Must be removed for sport.
Make-up	n/a	No make-up is allowed before the 4 th year. When worn it must be un-obtrusive and subtle. No nail varnish is allowed for any year.	
Locker Padlock	Padlock with key preferred	Padlock with key preferred	

*You can order longer/shorter length or larger/smaller waist sizes in these items; however these must be ordered approximately 3 months in advance and by 1st June 2021 for delivery before September 2021. Please order in advance if your child is outside the standard sizes: 30-42 inches. There is no commitment to purchase if items are ordered.

Signed



The Headmaster- Mr Hartley