

Principle:

At Sale High School we believe the wearing of uniform helps to create a sense of community and equality amongst students, whilst establishing school as a working environment. In a large school it is also of considerable benefit for security reasons that students should wear uniform.

A uniform removes the distraction which may be caused by an individual's style of dress and allow students to concentrate on learning.

Uniform for all from September 2018**Items ** compulsory year 7 only**

- ✓ Plain white shirt
- ✓ Clip on school house tie
- ✓ Grey v neck sweater with school logo ** (year7)
- ✓ Dark grey tailored from uniform supplier
- ✓ Navy straight or box pleated knee length skirt/**pleated school kilt (year 7)
- ✓ Navy school blazer with Sale High School badge (compulsory item to be worn at all time)
- ✓ Plain black or grey socks/ not over knee /plain black/navy tights
- ✓ Dark suitable school coat
- ✓ Suitable plain black shoes (see attached guidance for shoes. No trainers permitted.
- ✓ Large waterproof bag to carry books, kit/equipment

PE kit for all (from uniform supplier)

- ✓ PE polo shirt with school logo
- ✓ Navy shorts/skort
- ✓ Navy/sky socks
- ✓ Training shoes with non-marking soles
- ✓ football boots/shin pads

Optional items:

- ✓ Navy and sky blue rugby shirt
- ✓ Tapered tracksuit bottoms blue and sky blue
- ✓ Navy school logo (SHS) leggings
- ✓ PE drawstring bag with logo (SHS)

Equipment:**For all subjects students will need:**

Pens, pencils, ruler eraser, (all in a pencil case, and a large waterproof bag to carry books and equipment
Pencil crayons/felt tips, pencil sharpener

Maths: a calculator

English: biro/ink pen and a dictionary

Languages: a French/Spanish dictionary (dependent upon language taken from year 7: September 2018 take French)

KS3 students: reading book

Please note: Tippex/correction fluid is not permitted

Additional Notes/Guidance:

All items of clothing and equipment should be clearly marked with the owner's name.

Students are taught to take responsibility for their belongings and whilst every care is taken, the school does not accept responsibility for the loss of, or damage to personal possessions.

Students who contravene the school's uniform policy will be placed in isolation.

Sale High School operates a **zero tolerance** approach to jewellery and body piercings being worn by its students. Students will be asked to remove jewellery/piercings immediately. If students repeatedly break this rule, items will be confiscated by staff and locked away. Students will be issued with a receipt and a parent or carer must collect the item.

We do allow a watch and one small sleeper or stud earring in each ear.

Trainers (including plain black trainers) are not permitted to be worn in school except in PE practical lessons. Boots are also not permitted under the school's uniform policy. At times of inclement weather, parents/carers will be alerted to the fact that boots are permitted within a given timescale.

Students wearing trousers must wear full length tailored trousers. Skinny (tight) jeans, track suit or jogging bottoms, culottes, ski-pants, leggings or tight fitting trousers are not acceptable and are not part of the school uniform.

Students wearing skirts can choose to wear black or navy tights or socks. Over the knee socks are not permitted.

Students are not permitted to attend school with any form of pattern shaved into their hair or eyebrows, any form of 'extreme' haircut e.g. 'Mohican style' or 'long top and short sides' or unnatural hair colouring.

Although the school does not operate a 'zero tolerance' approach to students wearing make-up, any foundation should be kept to a natural tone and brightly coloured lipsticks/glosses and eyeliner are not permitted.

The length of a student's nails should be kept to an acceptable minimum in respect of health and safety requirements for practical activities such as PE, art, music, technology. Coloured nail polish/varnish is not permitted.

Hoodies, baseball caps, cardigans and non-school colour scarves are prohibited and will be banned. Headscarves may only be worn as part of religious observance, and should be navy or grey. Coloured or patterned headscarves are not permitted.

School coats must not be 'jackets' e.g. leather or denim jackets and should be dark in colour.

Please see attached guidance notes regards suitable footwear:

Sale High School Shoe Regulations

Students are not allowed to wear trainers. Please see the guidance below regards correct footwear:

Whilst we appreciate that school shoes are expensive we ask that where shoes are deemed inappropriate, they are replaced as quickly as possible.

Guidance

1. Shoes must be black leather or patent
2. Boots are not permitted but 'shoe boots' like the Kickers style below are – the general rule is that shoes should be on or below the ankle bone
3. Shoes should not have the appearance of trainers as some Kickers and Converse shoes

Examples

shoes:

of permitted



Girls: Black leather lace-ups, slip-ons, slip-ons with straps

Boys: Black leather slip-ons, lace-ups, Velcro straps

Examples of non-permitted shoes:



No over the ankle boots (including Ugg style boots), canvas pump styles, trainer styles, leather pumps

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Next Review: June 2020

The policy is to be reviewed bi-annually by the Standards and Achievement committee

Responsible: Deputy Head Teacher

