



Behaviour Policy (SISW 5) Appendix E – Dress Code

School Uniform

All students must conform to the uniform regulations as stated in the school prospectus. Uniform should be worn properly both at school and when travelling to and from school.

Boys	Girls
Black blazer with House badge	Black blazer with House badge
White shirt buttoned up to the neck and tucked in at the waist	White open neck House blouse with plain collar and long/short or $\frac{3}{4}$ sleeves
Plain (no logo) black v-neck sweater may be worn over the shirt (optional). No sweatshirts or cardigans	Plain (no logo) black v-neck sweater may be worn over the shirt (optional). No sweatshirts or cardigans
Black trousers.	School Kilt (black/red/tartan) must cover the knees.
House tie – showing four/five House stripes and tied up at the neck.	Dark raincoat/overcoat/anorak/ - not denim or leather – no logos.
Dark raincoat/overcoat/anorak/ - not denim or leather – no logos.	Smart black sensible low-heeled shoes with back. (Narrow heels, boots and trainers are not acceptable).
Smart black shoes Boots and trainers are not acceptable.	Plain white, black or grey socks or plain black, flesh or grey tights
Dark socks – not white or with visible colour	

The above items are available from local department stores. Girls' kilts and house blouses are obtainable from Fosters Schoolwear Limited in Bishop's Stortford or Top Form in Harlow.

Make-up and nail varnish should not be worn in school.

Badge for school blazer and house ties are obtainable from school.

Students who have had their ears pierced may wear one small plain gold stud worn in the lower lobe in each ear. No other body studs or rings allowed. Neither nail varnish nor jewellery should be worn in school. Forbidden items such as additional jewellery will be confiscated and stored until the end of each half term when students may collect it from the school office. (See the current DfE national confiscation guidelines on searching, screening and confiscation in schools – available on request from the school.)

Hairstyles should be simple, one natural colour and not extreme. Fashion styles are not allowed. Shaved heads are not acceptable. Hair must be at least a grade 3 in length. Hair accessories are to be plain

All items should be marked with the student's name (sewn in please). Students failing to wear the correct uniform without good reason will be placed in detention. If there is a reason why the student is unable to comply with the uniform regulations then parents should provide a note to the Form Tutor.

Students should remove any items of outdoor clothing on entering the school buildings. This includes coats, hats, scarves and gloves etc.

P.E. and Games Kit

All items should be clearly marked with the student's name (sewn in please).

Boys	Girls
Reversible Black/Red Rugby Shirt	Black/Red Polo shirt with school logo
Black Shorts with school logo	Black Skirt with school logo
Red Football Socks	Black Shorts with school logo
Black/Red Polo Shirt with school logo	Red Football Socks
Football Boots	Football Boots
Trainers/Astros (no canvas shoes)	Trainers/Astros (no canvas shoes)
Black Swimming Trunks	Black One Piece Swimming Costume
Tracksuit Top (optional)	Tracksuit Top (Optional)
Towel	Towel
	Sports Leggings (Optional)
Safety Equipment (compulsory)	Safety Equipment (compulsory)
Gum Shield (Rugby and Hockey)	Gum Shield (Hockey)
Shin Pads (Football and Hockey)	Shin Pads (Football and Hockey)

Students are welcome to purchase hockey sticks (girls) and tennis rackets and bring them to their lesson. However this is not compulsory.

Sportswear is available from Fosters and Top Form. Track suits tops are available through the school.

Students are given the opportunity at the beginning of each P.E. lesson to lock any necessary valuables away; however, **no responsibility will be accepted for any items of jewellery, clothing or telephones which are brought to school.**

Prior permission should be obtained before students wear items which do not conform to the above list. Should students fail to wear the correct uniform on any occasion they will be placed in a detention unless the child gives a reasonable explanation or the parent has notified the school in the form of a note to the P.E. Teacher.

All items should be marked with the student's name

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Prior permission should be obtained before students wear items which do not conform with the above list. If uncertain, parents are asked to contact the school for clarification.

Leventhorpe Sixth Form Dress Code

At Leventhorpe we have a sixth form dress code, rather than a uniform list. We do this because we believe our young people need to develop good judgement about the way they dress for life and work. The look of the Leventhorpe sixth form is “smart business” in keeping with our business and enterprise specialism.

We expect our students to dress within the guidance below:

Male

- Formal trousers
- Suit Jacket
- Formal shirt
- Tie
- Formal shoes (heavy boots and trainers are not appropriate)

Female

- Formal business style dress, skirt suit or trouser suit
- Suit Jacket
- Formal blouse (see through fabrics should have vest or slip beneath)
- Formal shoes (flip-flops and trainers are not appropriate)

Male and Female

- Hair colours should be natural and cuts not extreme
- No facial piercings except in the ear. Enlarged piercings are not appropriate
- Hair covering for the purpose of religious observance is welcomed

Because our code is based on judgement, there may be situations in which we would want to speak to students and ask them to change their attire. If we do so it is because a student will not have judged correctly and we will expect the appropriate change to be made.

We reserve the right if an individual makes repeated poor choices of dress, to send them home to change.