

ST GEORGE'S SCHOOL FOR GIRLS

UNIFORM AND DRESS CODE

2018 - 2019

RATIONALE

At St George's, pupils from Primary One to Upper Five wear a school uniform. We aim for the uniform to be practical, economical and of good quality. Although individual items of uniform have a long tradition within the school, they have evolved in response to the needs and activities of current pupils. Members of the Sixth Form wear clothes of their own choice within a dress code. Students of all ages are encouraged to demonstrate their commitment to the school community by following the uniform and dress code.

UNIFORM AND DRESS FORUM

The Uniform and Dress Forum, chaired by the Deputy Head (Boarding & Sixth Form) and comprising parents, staff, students and representatives of the school's outfitters, meets twice a year to review the uniform. Ongoing minor changes take place each session, whereas major revisions take place after consultation followed by a period of overlap between the old and the new items of at least one session.

SCHOOL OUTFITTERS

The school outfitters ensure that supplies are available and that garment quality, style and colour are standardised.

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THE UNIFORM EXCHANGE

The Uniform Exchange, located in the sports pavilion and run by parents, sells current school uniform and bags which are in good condition; no footwear (except games) or underwear is accepted. When the garments are sold, 75% of the price goes to the seller and 25% to the Uniform Exchange Fund which is used to buy equipment for school. Current Uniform Exchange opening times are available on the school website.

POLICY ON JEWELLERY/MAKE-UP/HAIR

It is neither appropriate nor sensible for students wearing uniform to add quantities of **jewellery**. One plain pair of ear studs in the lower lobe, one simple chain (with a religious symbol if preferred) and a wristwatch, are the only items allowed. It is not appropriate for **make-up** to be worn with the uniform. **Hair** should not be dyed in unnatural colours

All items must be properly labelled. The school cannot take responsibility for unnamed articles.

Junior School (P1 - P5) Uniform List

REGULATION ITEMS (must be bought from school outfitters)

Pinafore	Navy
Blouse	Blue, long-sleeved (winter)
Blouse	Navy & white checked, short-sleeved (summer)
Cardigan	Ancient red
Blazer	Navy with logo (P1 & 2 optional; P3, 4 & 5 compulsory)
Jacket	Navy with logo
Dress	Blue & white checked (summer optional)
Art overall	Royal blue
Rucksack	Navy, Wild Rover 125
Hat & gloves	Navy fleece
Scarf	Navy fleece, navy and red-striped or school tartan (latter bought from school)
Trousers	Navy (optional)

NON-REGULATION ITEMS (can be bought from other outlets)

Socks/tights	Navy (winter)
Socks	White (summer). Knee or ankle length, not trainer liners.
Shoes	Black or navy leather
Cagoule	Navy (optional)
Wellington boots	Optional
Hair ribbons	Optional

Key

Winter	From autumn half-term to end of spring term
Summer	Summer term until autumn half-term

Lower School (P6, R & L4) Uniform List

REGULATION ITEMS (must be bought from school outfitters)

Blouse	Blue, long-sleeved (winter)
Blouse	Navy & white checked, short-sleeved (summer)
Skirt	Navy (no shorter than 6 cm above the knee)
Blazer	Navy with logo
Jacket	Navy with logo
Jumper	Ancient red, v-neck
Art overall	Royal blue (P6 only)
Scarf	Navy fleece, navy and red-striped or school tartan (latter bought from school)
Trousers	Navy (optional)

NON-REGULATION ITEMS (can be bought from other outlets)

Socks/tights	Navy
Socks	White (optional; summer). Knee or ankle length, not trainer liners
Shoes	Black or navy leather only; supportive structured style with flat or low heels; plain soles
Hair ribbons	Navy or red (optional)
Rucksack	With two straps
Cagoule	Navy (optional)
Hat & gloves	Navy fleece (optional)

Key

Winter	From autumn half-term to end of spring term
Summer	Summer term until autumn half-term

Upper School Uniform (U4 – U5)

REGULATION ITEMS (must be bought from school outfitters)

Blouse	Blue, long-sleeved (winter)
Blouse	Navy & white checked, short-sleeved (summer)
Skirt	Navy (no shorter than 6 cm above the knee)
Blazer	Navy with logo
Jumper	Ancient red, v-neck
Scarf	Navy fleece, navy and red-striped or school tartan (latter bought from school)
Pashmina	Navy (optional)
Trousers	Navy (optional)

NON-REGULATION ITEMS (can be bought from other outlets)

Tights	Navy
Shoes	Black or navy leather only (no patent); supportive structured style with flat or low heels; plain soles
School bag	Closable, supportive of contents
Hat & gloves	Navy fleece (optional)

A black or navy coat may be worn over the uniform during cold weather.

Key

Winter	From autumn half term to end of spring term
Summer	Summer term until autumn half term

Guidelines for Sixth Form Dress 2018-2019

Members of the Sixth Form at St George's School wear some clothes of their own choice within the Dress Code: this is a privilege which is granted to encourage independence of thought and action and to allow some freedom to develop a personal style. Whether we like it or not, people are judged on appearance as well as conduct. Hence, sixth form students must appreciate their responsibility for the reputation of the school and their responsibility as role models to younger members of the community.

Lower 6:

- Kilt in St George's tartan, no shorter than 6cm above the knee (available through school from Kinloch Anderson)
- White blouse (own choice, or available from school's outfitters)
- Navy V neck (own choice, or available from school's outfitters)
- Navy Trousers (optional, **from school's outfitters**)
- Burgundy, navy or white sweatshirt with school logo (optional, available from school's outfitters)
- low-heeled and structured black or navy leather shoes
- a tailored jacket of choice

Upper 6:

- Kilt in St George's tartan, no shorter than 6cm above the knee (available through school from Kinloch Anderson)
- White blouse (for formal occasions; own choice, or available from school's outfitters)
- a plain jumper or cardigan co-ordinating with the kilt colours
- a plain shirt, polo shirt or long sleeved t-shirt (no logos)
- low-heeled and structured black or navy leather shoes
- a tailored jacket of choice
- smart trousers (slim fitting trousers – but not denim - are permitted)
- skirts and dresses that are not too tight and no shorter than 6cm above the knee

Items that must not be worn:

- Tops must not be skimpy, low cut, or exposing midriff.
- No body-contours (i.e. items that cling).
- No leggings.
- No denim jeans or skirts.
- No tracksuit bottoms (other than for PE).
- No trainers, flip-flops or Ugg boots.

It is expected that all Lower 6 students purchase and wear the kilt each day (and it is strongly recommended that Upper 6 students do the same).

Students should remember that it is unwise to bring expensive designer clothing into school. While the emphasis of our approach to dress is on supporting our students in making positive choices and impressions, there are some items and 'looks' which are unacceptable for school. There should be no visible piercings other than earrings.

Staff will advise if dress is inappropriate and students will be expected to take that advice.

Physical Education Uniform List

Junior School

Primary 1	Primary 2	Primary 3	Primary 4	Primary 5
*Gym bag	*Gym bag	*Gym bag	*Gym bag	*Gym bag
*White polo	*White polo	*Royal blue polo	*Royal blue polo	*Royal blue polo
*Navy Shorts with logo	*Navy Shorts with logo	*Kukri navy shorts	*Kukri navy shorts	*Kukri navy shorts
# House T-shirt	# House T-shirt	# House T-shirt	# House T-shirt	# House T-shirt
Black gym shoes	Black gym shoes	Training shoes	Training shoes	Training shoes
White socks	White socks	White socks	White socks	White socks
			*Red long socks	*Red long socks
		*School track suit or *Hoodie / leggings	*School track suit or *Hoodie / leggings	*School track suit or *Hoodie / leggings
	Swimming costume and cap	Swimming costume and cap	Swimming costume and cap	Swimming costume and cap
			Hockey stick Tennis racket	Hockey stick Tennis racket
			Shin guards	Shin guards
			Mouth guard	Mouth guard
*Sweatshirt	*Sweatshirt	*Skort	*Skort	*Skort

Lower School

Primary 6	Remove	Lower 4
*Sports bag	*Sports bag	*Sports bag
*Royal blue polo	*Royal blue polo	*Royal blue polo
*Kukri navy shorts	*Kukri navy shorts	*Kukri navy shorts
*White polo	*White polo	*White polo
# House T-shirt	# House T-shirt	# House T-shirt
Training shoes	Training shoes	Training shoes
	Football boots	Football boots
Astro shoes	Astro shoes	Astro shoes
White socks	White socks	White socks
*Red long socks	*Red long socks	*Red long socks
*School track suit or *Hoodie / leggings	*School track suit or *Hoodie / leggings	*School track suit or *Hoodie / leggings
	Swimming costume and cap	Swimming costume and cap
Hockey stick	Hockey stick	Hockey stick
Tennis racket	Tennis racket	Tennis racket
#Lacrosse stick	#Lacrosse stick	#Lacrosse stick
Shin guards	Shin guards	Shin guards
Mouth guard	Mouth guard	Mouth guard
*Skort	*Skort	*Skort
*Athletics vest	*Athletics vest	*Athletics vest

Upper School

Upper 4 and Lower 5	Upper 5 and Sixth form
*Royal blue polo	*Royal blue polo
*Kukri navy shorts	*Kukri navy shorts
*White polo	*White polo
# House T-shirt	# House T-shirt
Training shoes	Training shoes
Football boots	Football boots
Astro shoes	Astro shoes
White socks	White socks
*Red long socks	*Red long socks
*School track suit or *Hoodie / leggings	*School track suit or *Hoodie / leggings
Hockey stick	Hockey stick
Tennis racket	Tennis racket
#Lacrosse stick	#Lacrosse stick
Shin guards	Shin guards
Mouth guard	Mouth guard
*Skort	*Skort
*Athletics vest	*Athletics vest

*Purchase from school outfitters

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Compulsory item

Optional item