



# **UNIFORM POLICY**

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#### 1. Uniform

- Long or short sleeved formal white shirt (stiff collared, buttoned to collar and tucked in).
- A "clip-on" school tie (in House colour). Any other tie i.e. sport ties may only be worn for fixtures. Head students in Year 11 will wear a Head student tie.
- A school blazer which must be worn at all times around the school. Blazers may be removed in classrooms with the permission of the class teacher. In hot weather, the Headteacher may give permission for blazers to be carried instead of worn.
- School jumpers can be worn but are not compulsory. No other cardigan or jumper may be worn.
- Full length black tailored school trousers. Jeans, leggings, jeggings etc. are not allowed. Girls starting Springwood High School from September 2019 wishing to wear trousers must wear SHS trousers purchased from the school shop. (For the school year beginning September 2021, this will include Years 7, 8 and 9 and continue rolling forward).
- As an alternative to tailored black trousers, girls may wear a SHS Skirt. The skirt must be worn at the correct length.
- Plain black tights or black knee-length socks (no over the knee socks, short socks such as ankle or trainer socks, footless tights or leggings).
- Plain flat black leather (leather-like) full shoes which cover the whole foot: no boots, sandals or trainers will be allowed. Shoes need to be sound and safe to wear in a variety of school environments. For DT/Food/Technology lessons, footwear must cover the whole foot: if the school shoes worn do not cover enough of the foot to be considered safe, the student must wear trainers during these lessons. See appendix 2 for photographs of examples of shoes considered appropriate and inappropriate.
- If a belt needs to be worn (through belt loops), it must be plain black without motifs, embellishments or decoration.
- No hooded sweatshirts to be worn.
- If a coat is required it must be plain in colour, no leather, denim or suede. If an outdoor coat is worn, it must be worn over the blazer not in place of the blazer, and the coat must be long enough to cover the blazer properly.
- A face mask and carry bag are compulsory pieces of uniform. It is expected that masks are worn at all movement times and can be worn in lessons. School will provide every student with one reusable mask and bag. However, students are also permitted to continue to wear their own; this must be suitable and appropriate for the school environment. Students exempt from wearing a mask must carry an exemption card issued via their year office in agreement with parents/carers.

#### 2. Jewellery

- Piercings no visible body /facial piercings or tunnels.
- One small pair of plain stud earrings may be worn but must be removed to allow pupils to participate in PE.
- Pupils may wear a wristwatch.
- No rings, necklaces or bracelets are to be worn.

#### 3. Make-up

- Light make-up may be worn but must be discreet.
- No false eyelashes.
- Hair may not be dyed bright or 'unnatural' colours.
- No nail varnish.
- Acrylic/gel/nails or tips are not allowed in school. This is a Health & Safety issue.

#### 4. Equipment

- A scientific calculator is now a compulsory piece of school equipment and students should have one with them at all times. These are available to purchase from the school shop.
- Clear pencil cases (filled with equipment) are also available in the shop.
- We strongly encourage pupils to have a reading book with them at all times.
- We discourage students bringing mobile phones, I-pods etc. onto the school site. If these are brought into school it is at the risk of the owner and must be switched off and kept out of sight from 8.45 am until 3.25 pm.

Appendix 1



# **SPRINGWOOD HIGH SCHOOL**

## **UNIFORM & SPORTS KIT CHECKLIST**

Items marked \* can only be bought from the school \*\*From September 2021, girls in Years 7, 8 and 9 at Springwood High School wishing to wear trousers must wear SHS trousers purchased from the school shop.

BOYS	GIRLS	
*Blazer	*Blazer	
White, stiff collar school shirt	White, stiff collar school shirt	
*House colour school tie	*House colour school tie	
Plain black tailored trousers	**Plain black tailored trousers	
	or	
	*School skirt	
*School jumper	*School jumper	
Plain black socks	Knee length plain black socks or plain black	
	tights	
Plain black shoes (leather or leather-like)	Plain black (leather or leather-like) shoes	
(no boots or black trainers)	(no boots, black trainers, stilettos, ballet pumps,	
	sling backs or toeless)	
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<b>Optional</b> *SHS Shower proof school coat or	<b>Optional</b> *SHS Shower proof school coat or Plain	
Plain coat (no logos or other markings) long	coat (no logos or other markings) long enough to	
enough to cover blazer properly	cover blazer properly	
PE KIT	PE KIT	
Compulsory:	Compulsory:	
*White logo T-shirt	*White logo T-shirt	
Black Shorts	Black Shorts	
*Purple Socks	*Purple Socks	
*House colour rugby shirt	*House colour rugby shirt	
Trainers (non-marking sole with grip)	Trainers (non-marking sole with grip)	
Football boots	Football boots	
Optional:	Optional:	
Black Track Suit	Black Track Suit	
Shin pads and gumshields	Shin pads and gumshields	



## Appendix 2

Shoes suitable for school including Technology and other practical lessons:



Shoes suitable for school but NOT suitable for Technology and other practical lessons:



