



Bancroft's School

SIXTH FORM DRESS CODE

OVERVIEW

Grey, black or navy formal suit of a conservative cut

Formal shirt or blouse

Plain formal knitwear

Sensible plain black shoes

Boys only - school or colours tie, dark socks

Girls only - black, navy or flesh coloured plain knit tights.

GUIDANCE OF A PROFESSIONAL DRESS CODE

BOYS:

- Boys' suits should be of a formal business style; grey, black or navy suit of a conservative cut. Jackets must be worn.
- Black or brown shoes of a formal appearance with dark socks.
- An officially recognised tie (sports colours or sixth form tie) at all times.
- Formal V-neck knitwear is permissible, but should not cover the shirt colour.

GIRLS:

- A formal trouser or skirt suit for girls, navy black or grey. Black, navy or flesh coloured plain-knit tights if worn with a skirt.
- Short skirts are inappropriate and unacceptable for school; they should be no shorter than 5cms (2 inches) above the knee.
- Blouses or shirts must be formal and conservative in style; T-shirts and/or polo shirts are unacceptable.

- Plain formal knitwear can be worn under a jacket but not as an alternative.
- Shoes should be sturdy and girls' heels should be no more than 5cms (2 inches) high.
- Cosmetics should be subtle and jewellery should be discreet and kept to a minimum. Piercings are not permitted apart from one earring in each earlobe for girls only.
- Hair for both girls and boys must look natural and tidy. Long hair covering the eyes is not permitted. Hair accessories are permitted for girls only and must be kept to a minimum. Boys are expected to be clean-shaven unless prohibited by religious practice.

Sixth formers should keep to the guidelines of a professional dress code and must understand that their Housemaster/Mistress or the Head of Sixth Form will determine what is acceptable dress.

ALL SIXTH FORM PUPILS MUST READ AND SIGN THE DRESS CODE DECLARATION UPON RETURNING TO SCHOOL IN SEPTEMBER

SPORTS WEAR

Sixth formers have a wide choice over their sports activities in school and the appropriate clothing must be purchased. If selected for teams it may be necessary to purchase some items of the team kit.

All clothing - uniform and sportswear - must be marked with the owner's name.