



School uniform with effect from 1st September 2020

The uniform:

- It identifies students with each other and as members of The Garibaldi School community
- It is associated with the high standards of work, conduct and dress we set for each of the students
- Most importantly, it is worth emphasising that in recent years it was the students at the school who wanted to develop a more formal uniform

School uniform

- Official School blazer
- Plain white shirt with collar – that must be tucked in at all times, with the top button fastened (can be short-sleeved; no soft collar or polo shirts)
- Official clip-on School tie – that must be worn at all times (except PE)
- Optional official School grey school jumper
- Plain black trousers
 - These should be formal in style with pockets (no zipped pockets). No leggings or jeggings, no denim or cord material
- Or plain black skirt
 - This should be formal in style: No lycra tube skirts
 - Plain black tights must be worn with a skirt, no socks or patterned tights
- Black shoes (no trainers/pumps/UGG boots/Doc Marten boots* etc)
- A plain outdoor coat (no hoodies, tracksuit tops, denim or leather jackets)
- School bag
- Natural hair colour
- Nails should be kept at a sensible length and, if varnish is worn, it should be a natural colour

PE uniform

- Official School grey PE polo shirt
- Plain black shorts
- Plain black socks
- Trainers that offer suitable support, either laced or Velcro (plimsolls must not be worn)

PE Optional extras for colder weather

- Official black waterproof/fleece lined jacket
- Plain black tracksuit bottoms
- No hoodies, jumpers or tracksuit tops

Please note:

- Jewellery should be kept to a minimum, (one ring allowed which will need to be removed for practical lessons)
- Piercings are permitted but limited to one stud in each ear. No nose or tongue piercings are allowed
- Excessive make-up should not be worn
- Caps/hats should not be worn in lessons or around the School site
- Students should not wear trainers or other similar sports and designer clothing. Nike, Adidas and similar sports brands do not make formal shoes suitable for school, therefore, brands like these are not permitted
- The only jumper permitted is the optional official school grey jumper.

Students who persistently fail to meet uniform expectations may be referred to Student Services so that contact can be made with parents/carers and suitable sanctions put in place.

*Please note: sports brands such as Nike/Adidas etc do not manufacture school shoes. So please, when buying shoes, consider carefully if they conform to our Uniform Policy.