

# HAYDON SCHOOL

Uniform Policy

Mission Statement

Haydon School is committed to the achievement of individual excellence, encouraging students to be creative and considerate, confident of their role in society and capable of rising to the challenges of a diverse and rapidly developing global economy. At Haydon School, the appearance of our pupils is of paramount importance as we strive to instil confidence, respect and pride amongst our students. As such, we expect our students to be smartly attired in full Haydon uniform at all times including during their commute to and from school, as this ensures that they are fully identifiable thus contributing to their safety. We also expect parents/careers to assume full responsibility in ensuring that their children arrive at school appropriately dressed in the required standard of uniform outlined by the school.

# **Uniform (Trouser Option)**

- Navy Blue blazer with the Haydon logo
- Haydon School V-necked jumper with Haydon logo
- Plain white shirt with long or short sleeves
- Haydon School tie in the appropriate colour representing their year, with the Haydon Stag visible.
- Plain black tailored trousers (not fitted)
- Plain black socks
- Plain black leather or leather like shoes (black laces and black stitching)

# **Uniform (Skirt Option)**

- Navy blue blazer with Haydon school logo
- Haydon School V-necked jumper with Haydon logo
- Plain white shirt with long or short sleeves
- Haydon School tie in the appropriate colour representing their year, with the Haydon Stag visible.
- Black skirt, with one inverted pleat only available from our uniform suppliers
- Plain black socks (no emblems or badges)
- Plain, natural or black tights
- Plain black leather or leather like shoes (black laces and black stitching, no sports branding) with a moderate heel

### NB.

- School skirts must be worn at an appropriate length
- Students have the option of wearing a jumper or blazer at all times.
- If students wear a coat this must be worn over the school jumper or blazer.

## **General appearance**

- ONE pair of plain stud or small sleeper earrings only in lower ear lobes
- Boots are not permitted to be worn with skirts
- Hooded tops and tracksuit tops/bottoms are not permitted
- Students are not permitted to wear excessive make-up
- Only white t-shirts (no logos) are to be worn under shirts/blouses
- Students are not permitted to wear the PE kit outside of PE lessons or to school.
- Students are not permitted to wear head covering or hats, other than for religious reasons.
- Students are permitted to wear compulsory items of religious jewellery (e.g. a kara, Hindu strings);

## Post 16 Dress Code

As a member of the Sixth Form students have the privilege of wearing their own clothes rather than a uniform. As senior students within the school, students are expected to provide a good example to younger students. Students will be expected to dress appropriately for the working day and to take pride in their appearance. Students should not have any visible body piercing except for small earrings if they wish.

## **Trouser Option**

- Smart shirt with collar (polo shirts not acceptable)
- Smart suit style trousers/suit
- Smart shoes (no canvas shoes)

### **Skirt or Dress option**

- Smart suit skirt or dress (not tight fitting). All skirts and dresses must be of an appropriate business dress length.
- Smart top or shirt must not reveal straps or the décolletage.
- Smart shoes (no canvas shoes)

## Not permitted

- Denim
- Hats
- Logos
- Sportswear
- Trainers

#### NB:

- ID badges must be worn by 6th form students at all times. Failure to do so will result in a sanction.
- Post 16 students who are inappropriately dressed may be sent home to correct their attire before they are permitted in school.

### **Sanctions:**

- Random checks on uniforms will be carried out at various times throughout the school day. Students found to be in breach of the school's uniform code will be asked to remove the inappropriate item of clothing and where possible they will be given the correct replacement from our uniform store to wear for the duration of the day. In the event that the school does not have a suitable replacement, parents will be asked to bring in a suitable replacement for their child. In such situations, students may not be allowed to return to lessons until the inappropriate item of uniform is replaced. Students will also incur sanctions if they wear the incorrect uniform and sanctions may be escalated for persistent uniform infringements.
- Students will be asked to remove any item of jewellery that is not permitted by the school and these will be confiscated. These items will only be returned to parents/guardians.

• Students who wear excessive false eyelashes or acrylic nails will be asked to remove these by the next school day and will be issued with a sanction. Students who refuse to comply, may be withheld from lessons and sanctions may be escalated for persistent offenders.

All non-uniform items will be confiscated and will only be returned to parents. These include (but not limited to) incorrect items of jewellery and tracksuit tops or hoodies.

Note - The above policy may be adapted in severe weather situations, at the discretion of the Headteacher.

# **Document History**

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