



# Ringwood School

A National Teaching Academy

## THE RINGWOOD SCHOOL UNIFORM FROM SEPTEMBER 2020

Take pride in your appearance

Uniform is a statement of pride in the school, a statement of belonging and a personal commitment by the individual to the school. Our school uniform is designed to present a positive image of our school to both our local and wider community. Parents are asked to purchase items from the recommended school suppliers.

The school uniform must be worn at the following times:

- Coming to school and going home from school.
- During lessons.
- All students must ensure that uniform is correct and smart when leaving registration periods and between all lessons.

Compulsory for all main school students from September 2020; with the exception of Year 11 in 2020/1 only who are able to wear in full the "old style" black Ringwood School uniform provided it fits adequately and meets guidelines regarding skirts (skirt should be around the knee and must not be of a fitted or stretchy material).

Trouser uniform	Skirt Uniform
<p><b>Grey Ringwood School blazer with the embroiled Ringwood School Crest and green piping.</b> This will be the only blazer available for all students from Stevensons.</p> <p><b>Shirt - White School Shirt</b> - this can be long or short sleeved, with a formal collar and top button. It must be worn tucked in at all times. A white T-shirt may be worn beneath the shirt, it should not be visible. Coloured/patterned T-shirts are not suitable for school.</p> <p><b>Tie - The School Tie</b> - This should be worn in a traditional way, with top shirt button fastened. It should be long enough to reach the belly button.</p>	<p><b>Grey Ringwood School blazer with the embroiled Ringwood School Crest and green piping.</b> This will be the only blazer available for all students from Stevensons.</p> <p><b>Shirt - White School Shirt</b> - this can be long or short sleeved, with a formal collar and top button. It must be worn tucked in at all times. A white T-shirt may be worn beneath the shirt, it should not be visible. Coloured / patterned T-shirts are not suitable for school.</p> <p><b>Tie - The School Tie</b> - This should be worn in a traditional way, with top shirt button fastened. It should be long enough to reach the belly button.</p>

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## SCHOOL UNIFORM - EXPECTATIONS

The following expectations apply for both uniforms:

**Outdoor coats** - No "hoodies", denim style, combat-style, tracksuit top or motorbike style leather jackets will be permitted in school. The coat should be multi-purpose.

**Shoes** – shoes should be black, with a closed toe, flat, leather and sensible.

The following shoes are not part of our school uniform - canvas shoes, boots, trainers (or trainer styles), sports shoes, plimsolls, any fabric that is not leather, shoes with any visible branding or logos, Uggs, sandals, mules, flip-flops, stiletto heels or court shoes. **Training shoes are only to be worn for PE and not as part of normal school dress. Training shoes are not to be worn to and from school.**

**Hair** - Hair should be traditionally styled. Extremes of fashion e.g. shaved hair, beads, fabric wraps, unnatural tints, dyes and highlights are not acceptable in school.

**Jewellery - Piercings** - one stud or sleeper (in silver or gold) may be worn in each ear. NO OTHER visible body piercings are allowed e.g. nose studs, eyebrow rings, and tongue studs. Other forms of body piercing, (including plastic retainers of any kind), tongue studs, tattoos and ear stretchers are not permitted. A small religious symbol and chain may be worn but it should not be visible.

**No other forms of jewellery will be allowed because of problems of loss or safety. All jewellery must be removed for P.E. on Health and Safety grounds. The school cannot be responsible for lost jewellery and badges.**

**Badges** - only school issued badges may be worn on the lapel of the blazer.

**Make-up** - May be worn if it is discreet. If it can be seen it is not discreet. Eye make-up, lipstick and nail varnish should not be worn.

**False eyelashes and acrylic nails** are also not permitted and students will be asked to remove them.