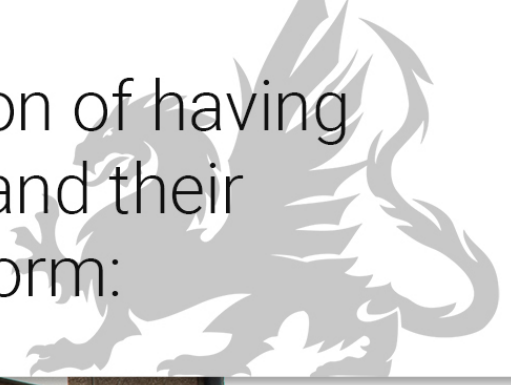




WALES HIGH SCHOOL UNIFORM GUIDE

Wales High School is tremendously proud of its tradition of having the highest standards of presentation for all students and their uniforms. This is how our students look in correct uniform:



You can find information in this booklet showing examples of acceptable school uniform. If you require any further information or have any questions please do not hesitate to contact us.

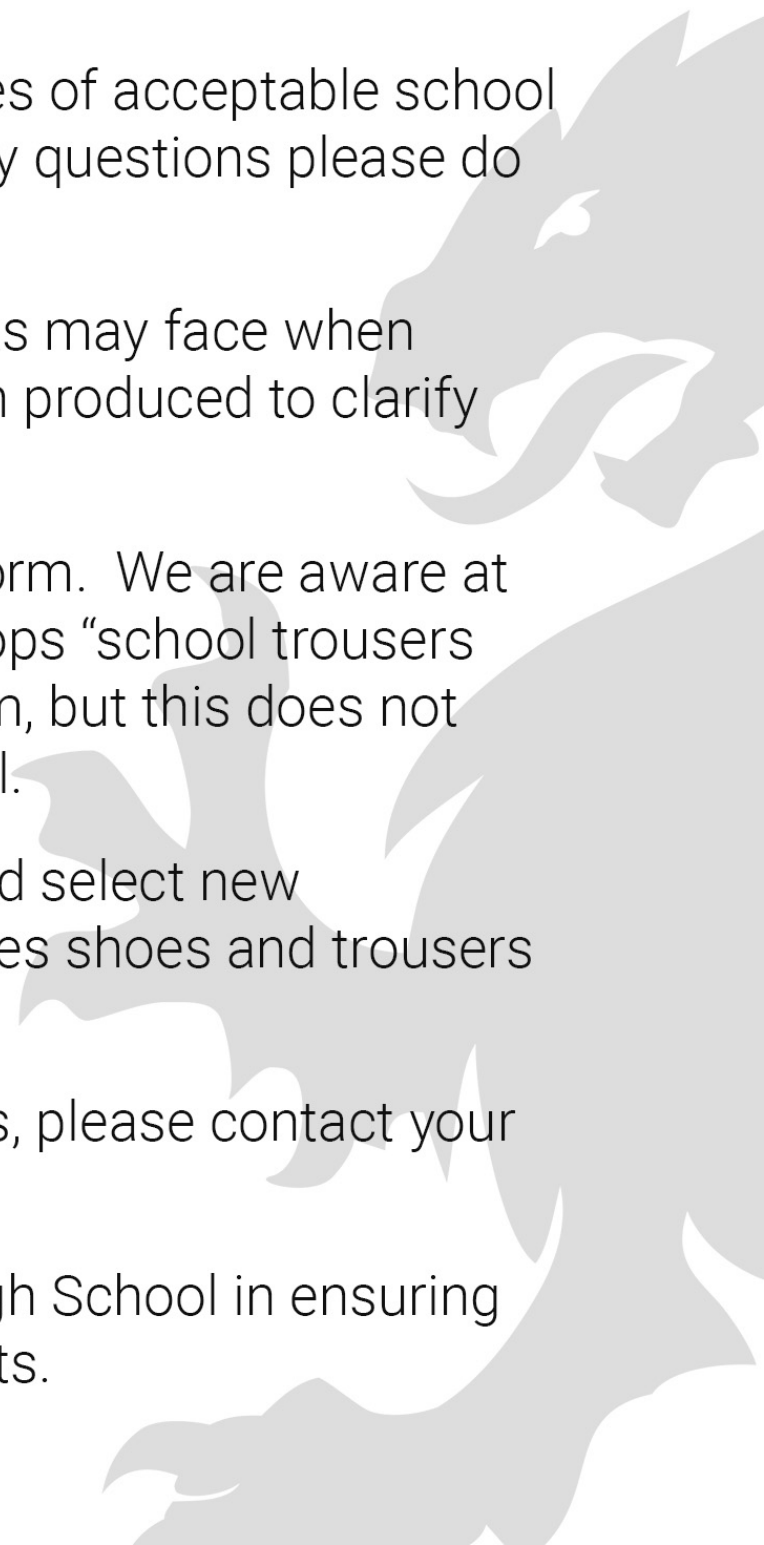
As we fully appreciate the difficulties parents and students may face when choosing appropriate school uniform, this guide has been produced to clarify the school's uniform policy.

Many of you will be using this time to purchase new uniform. We are aware at times retailers can make this a difficult task. In many shops "school trousers and shoes" may well be advertised as appropriate uniform, but this does not necessarily make them acceptable for Wales High School.

This booklet has been produced to help you and your child select new uniform for the new school year. It particularly emphasises shoes and trousers as these are the areas where there is most uncertainty.

After referring to this guide if you have any further queries, please contact your child's Head of Year.

Thank you for all you continue to do to support Wales High School in ensuring the very best standards of presentation for all our students.



School Uniform

- Black blazer with our School badge on the pocket.
- Plain black or dark grey trousers, which must be of polyester/viscose material. Stretch, Lycra, jeggings, leggings or skinny fitting trousers are not acceptable at Wales. Details on trouser such as zips, metal studs and buckles deem them unsuitable for school wear.
- Dark grey or black skirt of a suitable style to be worn with a blazer. The School reserves the right to decide upon suitability.
- Plain white school shirt (tee shirts/sports shirts must not be worn).
- School tie.
- Black or white religious headdress, if appropriate. Must be plain and headscarves must not have loose or trailing material.
- Black or grey vee-neck jumper (plain & no branding) may be worn under the blazer.
- **Black shoes of conventional design with flat heels. No training shoes, pumps or boots.**
- No jewellery apart from the wearing of one plain stud in each ear (optional).
- No body piercing, including nose studs or any other facial piercings.
- No hoodies, tracksuit tops or sweatshirts

Protective Clothing

- White apron for Food Studies.
- Burgundy apron for Art (optional).

Wales High School blazers with the school logo embroidered on breast pocket can be purchased from the following suppliers:

Johnny D Schoolwear

33 Howard Street, Rotherham, S65 1JQ. Tel: 01709 370032

Website: <https://www.johnnyd.co.uk>

Pinders Schoolwear

Mansfield Road, Aston, Sheffield, S26 BS. Tel: 0114 2513275

Crystal Peaks, West Mall (Next to Halifax)

The Bus Station, College Walk, Rotherham. Tel: 01709 720043

Website: www.pindersschoolwear.co.uk

Alternatively, parents can purchase a badge from school or use the services of Tracie B Personalised Embroidery who will embroider the school badge onto a blazer:

Tracie B Personalised Embroidery

15 Sheffield Road, South Anston, S25 5DT Tel: 01909 807055 / 07969 080056

Examples of **correct** trousers
allowed for Wales High School



Examples of trousers that are **not**
allowed for Wales High School



Plain black school trousers should be in a traditional style with a traditional fastening. Lycra, jeans, jean style, stretchy material, or leggings are **not acceptable**. The bottom of the trouser should sit on the shoe and not cling to the leg.

For some time, many well-known and reputable shoe shops have sold soft leather, trainer style footwear that they will advertise as 'school shoes' These same examples of footwear are also sold in sports shops and are advertised as suitable for wearing when taking part in sport.

As a result of such branding and advertising it is understandable how some families have assumed that such shoes are suitable for Wales High school uniform. Please take a look below at some examples of suitable and not suitable School shoes.

Below are examples of **acceptable school shoes** for Wales High School.



Soft, canvas style, sports type trainers and pumps are **not acceptable** at Wales High School.



PE Kit

Essential

- Sport shirt with your House colours
- Plain black shorts, tracksuit bottoms or sports leggings
- Black school sweatshirt or Plain black sweatshirt
- Sport socks or football socks (preferably plain black)
- Trainers
- Hair bobble (for any student with long hair)



Optional but recommended

- Rugby shirt with your house colours
- Under armour / base layer
- Football boots - no bladed boots or metal studded boots (included metal tipped studs)
- Shin pads
- Beanie hat (outdoor lessons)



If you require any more information or have any questions please do not hesitate to contact your child's Head of Year at school.

Or visit <https://www.waleshigh.com/uniform>



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