





# **UNIFORM & EQUIPMENT POLICY**

Approved by the school JANUARY 2023 – 2025



### **COMPULSORY UNIFORM**

#### **SCHOOL BLAZER**

Blue with The Cedars Academy emblem. This should be worn at all times within the school, including to and from school. Blazers may only be removed with direct permission from a member of staff.

#### A WHITE STIFF COLLARED SCHOOL SHIRT

This should be tucked in at all times.

#### **SCHOOL TIE**

This should be worn at all times.

#### **BLACK SHOES OR TRAINERS**

These should be plain black and must **not** have:

- A coloured sole
- A colourful or eye-catching logo
- Coloured laces

#### **LANYARD**

This should be worn at all times.

# AND EITHER:

#### **BLACK/GREY TAILORED SCHOOL TROUSERS**

These should **not** be:

- Jeans/jeans style
- Leggings/jeggings
- Jogging bottoms

School trousers should be worn around the waist\*

\* No underwear should be exposed at any time to maintain privacy and dignity.

#### **BLACK/GREY SCHOOL SKIRT**

This should be worn with either:

- Tights
- Black cycling/lycra shorts\*

<sup>\*</sup> No underwear should be exposed at any time to maintain privacy and dignity.



### **BLACK/GREY TAILORED SCHOOL SHORTS**

These should **not** be:

- Sport shorts
- Denim shorts
- Patterned

School shorts should be worn around the waist\*

\* No underwear should be exposed at any time to maintain privacy and dignity.

# **OPTIONAL UNIFORM**

V-neck jumper, crew neck jumper or cardigan. This must be plain grey or black and worn underneath the school blazer.

NOTE: Hoodies, tracksuit tops and logo jumpers are NOT allowed to be worn in school at any time.

# PE KIT

### **CEDARS POLO (COMPULSORY)**

No alternative shirts.

### **FLEECE (OPTIONAL)**

Recommended due to cold weather.

# **BLACK TRACKSUIT BOTTOMS, LEGGINGS OR SPORT SHORTS**

Tracksuit bottoms/sport shorts should be worn around the waist\*

\* No underwear should be exposed at any time to maintain privacy and dignity.

## ANY FOOTWEAR SUITABLE FOR PE.

#### **NOTE FOR P.E. DAYS:**

- Pupils will wear P.E. Kit all day, so this should be comfortable and appropriate for classrooms, as well as sport.
- Blazer and lanyard must be worn as normal on arrival and to attend all other lessons.



### COLD WEATHER CLOTHING

Warm waterproof coat, hat, gloves and scarf. Coats should be worn over the blazer during periods of cold or wet weather. Coats must not be worn inside the building.

This uniform policy has been reviewed and re-written with a working party of pupils to ensure it is inclusive and fit for purpose, in conjunction with the work we are doing this year regarding sexism and gender inclusivity (September 2022).

# Equipment

At The Cedars Academy we teach pupils they should be ready to work hard in lessons. This includes being fully equipped for lessons. At all times, pupils should have a pencil case containing at least:

- Two black pens
- Two pencils
- Two green pens
- One rubber
- One ruler (preferably 30 cm)
- One protractor
- One scientific calculator

Year 7 pupils should also have a reading book in their bags at all times.

If a pupil arrives at school without these items, they will be issued with a same day one hour detention.