

Uniform and Equipment

School Uniform

All students are expected to wear the school uniform and maintain the highest standards of appearance at all times.

We believe that the wearing of a school uniform is an important factor in establishing a pride in, and identity with, the school and at the same time minimises social divisions between pupils. The uniform comprises:

- Navy blue blazer;
- School blazer badge;
- Plain sky-blue tailored shirt with stiffened collar;
- School tie (specific to each Year Group);
- Plain mid-grey tailored trousers/skirt/shorts;
- Grey or white socks/black tights;
- Plain black shoes; no trainers or canvas shoes;
- School jumper (optional);
- Summer Uniform – A tailored blue shirt with the school logo on the collar.

We would request that expensive and brightly coloured designer jackets are not worn to and from school. We recommend that outdoor coats should be a plain dark colour. Hair adornments should be of a simple design in blue, grey, white or black. Hair should be of a natural shade, no bright colours or extreme styles. For safety and security reasons no jewellery should be worn in school other than a watch and single stud earrings. Covering additional facial piercings with a plaster is also not acceptable. In addition, pupils should not wear nail varnish or false nails.

Summer uniform can be worn after Easter and until the end of the October half-term.

The uniform supplier is Amin's, Bank Street, Rawtenstall.

Equipment

For general school use: A school bag for books and pens, pencils, rubber, 30cm ruler, pencil sharpener, coloured pencil crayons (in a suitable pencil case) and a dictionary.

Mathematics: Scientific calculator from (can be purchased from school), protractor and compass.

Food Technology: Blue (washable) butcher style apron. Suitable bag or basket for ingredients (separate from the school bag).

Modern Languages: French – Collins Easy Learning French Dictionary or pocket French Dictionary. Spanish – Collins Easy Learning Spanish Dictionary or pocket Spanish Dictionary.

Humanities: A world atlas.

Information Technology: Headphones (personal stereo type).

All uniform and equipment must be clearly marked with the student's name