



The Royal Sutton School Uniform

Our school uniform and dress code is in place to foster a sense of shared identity and membership as a learning community with professional standards and expectations.

Compulsory Branded Items

Blazer	The Royal School School navy blue blazer with school logo	This must be worn at all times unless staff give permission for it to be removed
Tie	The Royal Sutton School tie	This must be worn at all times. The tie must be a Windsor knot

Compulsory Non-Branded Items

Jumper	V-neck knitted navy blue jumper	This must be a knitted jumper. No sweatshirts or hoodies are allowed
Trousers or skirt	Navy blue tailored or straight school trousers Skirts should be tailored (pleated or pencil skirts) of a reasonable length (i.e. just above the knee)	Jeans or tracksuit bottoms are not allowed Lycra, jersey, knitted or tight fitted skirts are not appropriate for school
Shirts	Plain white long or short sleeved shirts	This should have a stiff collar, be buttoned to the neck and tucked in at all times
Socks / Opaque tights	Black socks or black opaque tights	Socks with tights should not be worn No sports/trainer socks
Plain, black shoes	Plain black shoes of sturdy leather (or leather style)	Trainers, platform, backless or open toe shoes, coloured laces or visible branding, ballet pumps, fabric shoes or leather trainers are not considered appropriate styles for school (see image below)
Outdoor coats	Coats should be warm and waterproof The Royal Sutton School coat can be worn over the top of the school blazer	No hooded tops or any other non-school wear can be worn under or instead of blazers Outdoor coats, with the exception of The Royal Sutton School coat, should not be worn in the school building

All items of clothing should be clearly marked with the owner's name so that lost property can be easily returned. In cold weather, gloves, hats, scarves may be worn on the journey to and from school. Baseball caps or hoodies are not permitted at any time.

Jewellery and Hair

- Students may wear a maximum of one pair of small, plain metal (silver/gold) stud earrings in the lobe of the ears and a wristwatch. These should be removed for PE, dance and enrichment activities any new piercings should be done at the beginning of the summer holidays
- No other jewellery or visible body piercing, including tongue studs, ear stretchers/expanders are permitted
- Heavy make-up, gel and/or acrylic nail extensions may not be worn
- Aerosol sprays and perfumes may not be brought into school
- Hair should be worn in a manner which has regard for a smart personal appearance and safety in relation to any curriculum activity. As an inclusive school we seek to avoid hair discrimination
- Any items of jewellery or clothing worn for religious reasons should be discussed with the school but reasonable requests will not be refused



Other inappropriate uniform items (what we will not accept)

- Open front shoes or shoes not secure at the heel (i.e.: Crocs)
- Hoodies or Sweatshirts
- Sweat bands
- Caps
- Balaclavas
- Neck warmers

Equipment

Students require all the usual materials in a pencil case:

- Glue Stick
- Black ink pen
- Green ink pen
- Pencil
- Eraser
- Ruler
- Scientific calculator
- Protractor

A strong rucksack or school bag to carry books, school wallet (containing school diary, whiteboard, whiteboard pen), iPad and PE kit (drawstring bags that can only be carried on one shoulder are not appropriate)

PE Kit

Students must bring their PE kit to school when they have a PE lesson, even if they have a medical note as PE staff will involve students in leadership roles such as officiating, coaching and scoring.

Compulsory Branded PE Items

Long sleeved - Zip Top	Navy blue school zip-top (this top is required for participation outside during the autumn and winter months)
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Compulsory Non-Branded PE Items

T-shirt	Plain navy blue t-shirt
Shorts or tracksuit bottoms	Plain navy blue shorts or tracksuit bottoms
Sport socks	Plain black or white sport socks
Trainers	These must be suitable for physical activity by providing sufficient ankle support, cushioning and laces to tie up. Converse or 'plimsol' type shoes are not appropriate as they do not provide sufficient support
Shin pads	
Studded boots	
Gum shield	This is recommended for contact sports such as rugby and football

Additional Optional Items (for winter months, when outside)

- Plain black knee length socks
- Black gloves
- Black base layer