



The decision of the school in relation to all matters within this policy is final.

GHCS UNIFORM CODE – PRIMARY SCHOOL GIRLS

Michaelmas and Lent Terms

- White shirt and school tie
- Red regulation V-necked sweater
- Grey regulation pleated skirt
- Tights – grey woolen
- Plain black polishable shoes (no high heels, sling backs or patent leather)
- Grey school hat
- School blazer
- Plain black regulation shower-proof coat

Trinity Term

- Red regulation gingham dress
- Red regulation V-necked sweater
- White ankle socks
- Plain black polishable shoes (no high heels, sling backs or patent leather)
- School blazer
- Grey school hat

Hair

- Unnatural colours such as bright reds, yellows, blues, greens, must not be worn.
- Hair that is long enough must be tied back with black or red fastenings/bobble.
- Hair clips may be worn but should be plain in style and red, black or chrome in colour.
- Girls must not wear their hair in a messy or unkempt style. Hairstyles should be neat, tidy and practical for school.
- Hair styles must not obstruct vision.
- In these matters the school's definition is final.

Jewellery

- Girls should only wear one pair of small, plain, round, gold or silver ear studs (no stones); worn in the lobe of the ear only. Other shapes must not be worn.
- Girls are encouraged to wear a watch.
- Girls should not wear other jewellery.

Make-up

- Girls must not wear visible make up of any kind.
- False eyelashes are not allowed.
- Coloured nail varnish and false nails are not allowed.
- Make-up, hair spray and/or perfume must not be brought to school. These items will be confiscated.



GHCS UNIFORM CODE – PRIMARY SCHOOL BOYS

- White shirt and school tie
- Long grey trousers (short grey trousers for Reception – Year 2 in the Trinity Term)
- Red regulation V-necked sweater
- Grey socks
- Plain black polishable shoes
- School blazer
- Plain black regulation shower-roof coat
- Plain grey, black or red hat – optional (Winter)

Hair

- Boys must wear their hair short so that it does not touch the collar.
- Boys must not wear their hair closely shaven (with less than a no. 2 guard used).
- Shaved patterns or stepped shaven designs must not be worn.
- Boys must not dye or colour their hair in any way.
- Boys must not wear their hair spiked.
- Boys must not wear their hair in a messy or unkempt style.
- Hair styles must not obstruct vision.
- In these matters the school's definition is final.

Jewellery

- Boys must not wear any jewellery.
- Boys are encouraged to wear a watch.

Games Kit - boys and girls

- Regulation red rugby shirt (Juniors)
- Regulation red sweat shirt (Infants)
- Regulation black cotton school shorts
- Regulation black tracksuit bottoms
- Regulation school socks
- Red school polo shirt (for warm weather)
- Rugby/football boots (optional for girls)
- Shin pads (optional)
- Trainers (Juniors)
- Black Plimsolls (Infants)
- **N.B. Rubber socks must be worn if child has verrucas**

All items must be regulation style where indicated and named with name tapes NOT written with ink, as this fades and makes identification very difficult. Unless all items are named it becomes very difficult to locate lost items.



GHCS UNIFORM CODE – LOWER SCHOOL GIRLS

Shoes

Shoes must be practical, black, plain, and have heels no higher than 5cm and traditional in style.

Boots, heavy shoes and stilettos must not be worn. Trainer-style shoes must not be worn.

Patent leather shoes must not be worn.

Shoes with adornments/logos of any kind are not allowed.

In very bad weather conditions pupils may wear wellington boots. They must bring their school shoes to change into once inside the building.

Parents are advised to contact the school before purchasing new shoes if they are unsure of the suitability of a particular shoe.

Tights

When tights are worn they should be black and no less than 40 denier.

Girls may wear plain black ankle length socks.

Knee length socks and trainer socks are not allowed.

All girls should wear black tights on formal occasions such as the Annual Awards' Evening and the School Carol Service.

Skirts

Girls should wear a regulation grey Lower School skirt, which must be purchased from *The Uniform Shop, Sunderland*. The skirt should be worn so that it at least touches the top of the knee, at all times, including when the pupil is seated.

Blouses, Ties and Jumpers

Blouses should be plain, white with a standard collar and must have a top button which must be fastened.

A school tie must be worn smartly with at least 6 red bands showing. A Primary tie must not be worn. The correct Lower School tie is 45 inches long.

A red, regulation school jumper must be worn at all times. A regulation black sleeveless style is available for warmer weather.

On formal occasions the long sleeved style must be worn.



Hair

Unnatural colours such as bright reds, yellows, blues, greens, must not be worn.

Hair that is long enough must be tied back with black or red fastenings/bobble.

Hair clips may be worn but should be plain in style and red, black or chrome in colour.

Girls must not wear their hair in a messy or unkempt style. Hairstyles should be neat, tidy and practical for school.

Hair styles must not obstruct vision.

In these matters the school's definition is final.

Jewellery

Girls should only wear one pair of small, plain, round, gold or silver ear studs (no stones); worn in the lobe of the ear only. Other shapes must not be worn.

Girls are encouraged to wear a watch.

Girls should not wear other jewellery.

Make-up

Girls must not wear visible make up of any kind.

False eyelashes are not allowed.

Coloured nail varnish and false nails are not allowed.

Make-up, hair spray and/or perfume must not be brought to school. These items will be confiscated.

Blazers, Coats and Bags

Pupils should wear a school blazer to and from school every day.

A house badge should be fastened to the left lapel of the blazer.

A plain **black** coat free from logos may be worn in cold or wet weather (NB no large logos for rain coats especially). This is in addition to the blazer.

All school bags, including sports/PE bags, should be **black**, practical and smart in appearance and with no visible logo. They should be able to carry the necessary books, files and equipment. They should be free from any graffiti.

Scarves, Gloves and Hats

Pupils wishing to wear a scarf must wear either their house scarf or a school scarf. These items are, of course, optional.



Gloves should be plain red, black or grey.

Hats must not be worn at any time.

Please note: Keys should not be worn on lanyards around the neck or on long chains attached to the belt.

Girls' Games Kit

Winter

Girls should wear either school tracksuit trousers or plain black school shorts.

Girls should have a red school polo shirt. A school rugby shirt or school tracksuit jacket should also be available for use in cold weather.

Girls should either wear school football socks or plain white sports socks.

Girls should wear trainers.

Trinity

Girls should wear a red school polo shirt.

Girls should wear plain black school shorts.

Girls should wear plain black sports socks (ankle length – no trainer socks).

Girls should wear trainers.

Girls may not wear school gymnastics kit for games lessons.

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GHCS UNIFORM CODE – LOWER SCHOOL BOYS

Shoes

Shoes must be practical, black and traditional in style.

Boots or heavy shoes must not be worn. Trainer-style shoes must not be worn.

Patent leather shoes must not be worn.

Shoes with adornments/logos of any kind are not allowed.

Parents are advised to contact the school before purchasing new shoes if they are unsure of the suitability of a particular shoe.



Socks

Boys should wear black or dark grey socks.

Trousers, Shirts, Ties and Jumpers

Boys should wear dark grey trousers.

Shirts should be plain, white with a standard collar and must have a top button which must be fastened.

A school tie must be worn smartly with at least 6 red bands showing. Ties are available in a variety of lengths; a Primary tie must not be worn. The correct lower school tie is 45 inches long.

A red, regulation school jumper must be worn at all times. A red, regulation sleeveless style is available for warm weather. On formal occasions, such as the Annual Awards Evening and the School Carol Service, the long sleeve style must be worn.

Hair

Boys must wear their hair short so that it does not touch the collar.

Boys must not wear their hair closely shaven (with less than a no. 2 guard used).

Shaved patterns or stepped shaven designs must not be worn.

Boys must not dye or colour their hair in any way.

Boys must not wear their hair spiked.

Boys must not wear their hair in a messy or unkempt style.

Hair styles must not obstruct vision.

In these matters the school's definition is final.

Jewellery

Boys must not wear any jewellery.

Boys are encouraged to wear a watch.

Blazers, Coats and Bags

Pupils must wear a school blazer to and from school every day.

A plain **black** coat free from logos may be worn in cold or wet weather (NB no large logos for rain coats especially). This is in addition to the blazer.



All school and sports bags should be **black**, practical and smart in appearance and with no visible logo. They should be able to carry the necessary books, files and equipment. They should be free from any graffiti.

Scarves, Gloves and Hats

Pupils wishing to wear a scarf must wear either their house scarf or a school scarf. These items are, of course, optional.

Gloves should be plain red, black or grey.

Hats must not be worn at any time.

Please note: Keys should not be worn on lanyards around the neck or on long chains attached to the belt.

Boys' Games Kit

Winter

Boys should wear a black and red school rugby shirt.

Boys should wear plain black cotton rugby shorts (a small manufacturers' logo is permitted).

Boys should wear school rugby socks.

Boys should wear rugby boots (these must have suitable regulation studs).

Boys should wear a mouth guard.

Trinity

Boys should wear a red school athletics t-shirt.

Boys should wear black school athletics shorts.

Boys should wear plain white sports socks (ankle length).

Boys should wear trainers.

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GHCS UNIFORM CODE – UPPER SCHOOL GIRLS

Shoes

Shoes must be practical, black, plain, and have heels no higher than 5cm and traditional in style.

Boots, heavy shoes, stilettos and trainer-style shoes must not be worn.

Patent leather shoes must not be worn.

Shoes with adornments/logos of any kind are not allowed.

In very bad weather conditions pupils may wear wellington boots. They must bring their school shoes to change into once inside the building.

Parents are advised to contact the school before purchasing new shoes if they are unsure of the suitability of a particular shoe.

Tights

When tights are worn they should be black and no less than 40 denier.

Girls may wear plain black ankle length socks.

Knee length socks and trainer socks are not allowed.

All girls should wear black tights on formal occasions such as the Annual Awards' Evening and the School Carol Service.

Skirts

Girls should wear a regulation grey Upper School skirt, which must be purchased from *The Uniform Shop, Sunderland*. The skirt should be worn so that it at least touches the top of the knee, at all times, including when the pupil is seated.

Blouses, Ties and Jumpers

Blouses should be plain, white with a standard collar and must have a top button which must be fastened.

A school tie must be worn smartly with at least 13 red stripes showing. Ties are available in two lengths: 45 inches and 52 inches. A Lower School or Primary tie must not be worn.

A black, regulation school jumper must be worn at all times. A regulation black sleeveless style is available for warmer weather.

On formal occasions the long sleeved style must be worn.



Hair

Unnatural colours such as bright reds, yellows, blues, greens, must not be worn.

Hair that is long enough must be tied back with black or red fastenings/bobble.

Hair clips may be worn but should be plain in style and red, black or chrome in colour.

Girls must not wear their hair in a messy or unkempt style. Hairstyles should be neat, tidy and practical for school.

Hair styles must not obstruct vision.

In these matters the school's definition is final.

Jewellery

Girls should only wear one pair of small, plain, gold or silver ear studs (no stones); worn in the lobe of the ear only. Other shapes must not be worn.

Girls are encouraged to wear a watch.

Girls should not wear other jewellery.

Make-up

Make-up is only allowed in moderation for girls in Upper School (the school's definition of 'moderate' is final). The appearance of any make-up worn must be subtle.

Eye liner and false eye lashes are not allowed.

Make-up must not be re-applied at school.

Make-up, hair spray and/or perfume must not be brought to school. These items will be confiscated.

Coloured nail varnish and false nails are not allowed.

Blazers, Coats and Bags

Pupils should wear a school blazer to and from school every day.

A house badge should be fastened to the left lapel of the blazer.

A plain **black** coat free from logos may be worn in cold or wet weather (NB no large logos for rain coats especially). This is in addition to the blazer.

All School bags, including sports/PE bags, should be **black**, practical and smart in appearance and with no visible logo. They should be able to carry the necessary books, files and equipment. They should be free from any graffiti.



Scarves, Gloves and Hats

Pupils wishing to wear a scarf must wear either their house scarf or a school scarf. These items are, of course, optional.

Gloves should be plain red, black or grey.

Hats must not be worn at any time.

Please note: Keys should not be worn on lanyards around the neck or on long chains attached to the belt.

Girls' Games Kit

Winter

Girls should wear either school tracksuit trousers or plain black school shorts.

Girls should have a black school polo shirt. A school rugby shirt or school tracksuit jacket should also be available for use in cold weather.

Girls should either wear school football socks or plain white sports socks.

Girls should wear trainers.

Trinity

Girls should wear a black school polo shirt.

Girls should wear black school shorts.

Girls should wear plain black sports socks (ankle length – no trainer socks).

Girls should wear trainers.

Girls may not wear school gymnastics kit for games lessons.

Girls should wear a mouth guard for hockey.

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GHCS UNIFORM CODE – UPPER SCHOOL BOYS

Shoes

Shoes must be practical, black and traditional in style.

Boots or heavy shoes must not be worn. Trainer-style shoes must not be worn.



Shoes with adornments/logos of any kind are not allowed.

Parents are advised to contact the school before purchasing new shoes if they are unsure of the suitability of a particular shoe.

Socks

Boys should wear black or dark grey socks.

Trousers, Shirts, Ties and Jumpers

Boys should wear plain, black school trousers.

Shirts should be plain, white with a standard collar and must have a top button which must be fastened.

A school tie must be worn smartly with at least 13 red stripes showing. Ties are available in two lengths: 45 inches and 52 inches. A Lower School or Primary tie must not be worn.

A black, regulation school jumper must be worn at all times. A regulation black sleeveless style is available for warmer weather.

On formal occasions, such as the Annual Awards Evening and the School Carol Service, the long sleeve style must be worn.

Hair

Boys must wear their hair short so that it does not touch the collar.

Boys must not wear their hair closely shaven (with less than a no. 2 guard used).

Shaved patterns or stepped shaven designs must not be worn.

Boys must not dye or colour their hair in any way.

Boys must not wear their hair spiked.

Boys must not wear their hair in a messy or unkempt style.

Hair styles must not obstruct vision.

In these matters the school's definition is final.

Jewellery

Boys must not wear any jewellery.

Boys are encouraged to wear a watch.

Blazers, Coats and Bags

Pupils should wear a school blazer to and from school every day.



A house badge should be fastened to the left lapel of the blazer.

A plain **black** coat free from logos may be worn in cold or wet weather (NB no large logos for rain coats especially). This is in addition to the blazer.

All School bags, including sports/PE bags, should be **black**, practical and smart in appearance and with no visible logo. They should be able to carry the necessary books, files and equipment. They should be free from any graffiti.

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Gloves should be plain red, black or grey.

Hats must not be worn at any time.

Please note: Keys should not be worn on lanyards around the neck or on long chains attached to the belt.

Boys' Games Kit

Winter

Boys should wear a black and red school rugby shirt.

Boys should wear plain black cotton rugby shorts (a small manufacturer's logo is permitted but should be avoided if possible).

Boys should wear school rugby socks.

Boys should wear rugby boots (these must have suitable regulation studs).

Boys should wear a mouth guard.

Trinity

Boys should wear a red school athletics polo shirt.

Boys should wear black school athletics shorts.

Boys should wear plain white sports socks (ankle length).

Boys should wear trainers.

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GHCS SIXTH FORM DRESS CODE

Girls

A dark business suit (skirt or trousers – skirts should be worn so that they at least touch the middle of the knee).

Plain white blouse with collar.

A smart business-style dress may be worn instead of a business suit/blouse.

Black tights (no less than 40 denier).

Black shoes (5cm heel max).

Black, grey, or red plain coloured coat.

Bags should be practical, smart in appearance, formal in style and of a plain colour. This should be a satchel or brief case.

All girls should wear black tights on formal occasions, such as the Annual Awards Evening and the School Carol Service.

Boys

Black shoes.

Black or grey socks.

White shirt.

Sixth Form Tie.

A dark business suit.

Black coat.

Bags should be practical, smart in appearance, formal in style and of a plain colour. This should be a satchel or brief case.

Hair

Unnatural colours such as bright reds, yellows, blues and greens must not be worn. Students should not have exceptionally short hair (not less than number 2 guard.) Boys' hair should not touch the collar.

Jewellery

Jewellery, if worn, should be discreet.

Make-up

Make-up and nail varnish are allowed for girls, provided that they are discreet. In these matters, the School's definition of discreet is final.



Scarves, Gloves and Hats

Pupils wishing to wear a scarf must wear either their house scarf or a school scarf. These items are, of course, optional.

Gloves should be plain red, black or grey.

Hats must not be worn at any time.

Girls' Games Kit

Winter

Black school polo shirt

Football socks or plain white sports socks

School tracksuit trousers

Trainers

Trinity

Black school polo shirt

Black school athletics shorts/School tracksuit trousers

Plain white sports socks (ankle length)

Trainers

Boys' Games Kit

Winter

Black and red school rugby shirt/black school polo shirt

Plain black cotton rugby shorts (a small manufacturers logo is permitted)/School tracksuit trousers

School rugby socks

Rugby boots (these must have suitable regulation studs)/trainers

Mouth guard

Trinity

Black school polo shirt

Black school athletics shorts/School tracksuit trousers

Plain white sports socks (ankle length)

Trainers