

Battle Abbey School Sixth Form Code of Dress

These Sixth Form guidelines are based on how a **professional man or woman** would be expected to dress for his or her work. In other words, the student should be **smart, well presented and business like**.

Given the importance of these guidelines, please contact Miss Malewicz, Head of Sixth Form, if you have any doubts as to whether an item is acceptable.

Suit:	Boys and girls must wear a conventional tailored suit. Girls' skirts must be of a reasonable length (just above the knee is the minimum). Full length trouser suits may be worn.
Shirt/Blouse:	Boys: conventional colours with collar. Girls: A conventional coloured blouse with short or long sleeves and collar. Girls' blouses must not be low cut or reveal midriff or underwear. A white blouse (for girls), white shirt (for boys) will be required for formal occasions eg: school photograph, Founders Day, school church services.
Ties:	Boys to wear ties. Girls are not to wear ties.
Jumpers:	Optional, plain (V neck to reveal tie for boys, blouse must be worn underneath V neck jumper for girls). Jumpers must not be zip-up, or hooded tops. No logos. Only worn during cold weather and not without a suit jacket.
Shoes:	Plain shoes, simple, formal not fashion. Trainers must not be worn outside games activities.
Coats:	Outdoor coats may be of any colour/style but they must be smart and practical. Denim jackets must not be worn. Coats must not be worn indoors.
HAIR:	Hair must be smart and well presented. No obvious colours . Boys' hair should look like that of a young professional i.e. it should not go over the collar or obscure the face. Boys' faces should be clean shaven.
MAKE UP:	Girls may wear discreet make-up.
SCARVES:	Scarves should be conventional but must not be worn around school.
JEWELLERY:	Only plain, simple and discreet jewellery is allowed.
BELTS:	No fashion belts permitted.
PIERCINGS:	The only permitted piercing is one in each ear lobe for girls.