

West Exe School Uniforms

Students are expected to take pride in a smart appearance and should follow the rules set out below. These apply during normal school hours, on the way to and from School, and whenever students are representing the School.

Students should be clean and tidily dressed at all times. All uniform should be kept in a good state of repair, without holes or rips. Shirts should always be tucked into skirts or trousers and top buttons should be fastened. Students with inappropriate skirts, trousers or footwear will be provided with a temporary alternative.

Students are expected to wear their jumpers or jackets around the school and can ask to remove these in lessons. Students should leave lessons fully dressed, with jackets and/or jumpers on.

If wearing a skirt, tights should be worn for the Autumn and Spring terms and dark socks all year round, if in trousers.

Uniform and PE kit can be purchased from the online shop at Price and Buckland:

<https://www.price-buckland.co.uk/>

Sizing chart video here [\(17\) How to size your child - YouTube](#).

video on Uniform expectations video here <https://youtu.be/o7cicNb18>

Uniform

Visualisation for West Exe School



NOTE: Colour and size are for representational purposes only

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Official West Exe School Navy Blue V Neck Jumper and Cardigan with logo

The jumper is only available from Price and Buckland. To be worn throughout the Autumn and Spring term.

Official West Exe School Navy Blue Jacket with logo (Year 10/11)

The jacket is only available from Price and Buckland. To be worn throughout the Autumn and Spring term.

Appropriately fitting short or long sleeve white collared shirts

No logos, designs or patterns are permitted.

Appropriate fitting flat fronted grey trousers

These are available from any shops but must not have any logos or be a tight-fitting leg cut. These must not be of a canvas, cotton or linen, chino or jeans material. Trousers should be long enough so that socks are not visible.

Official Tartan four button skirt

This skirt should not be rolled or shortened, and the bottom 4th button must be visible below the jumper or jacket line. For our year 7 students, starting this year, the skirt length must be ON the knee and for students pre 2020, the skirt should be on the knee.

Appropriate fitting flat fronted grey shorts

These are an optional item and may be worn only during the Summer months.

Plain black leather or faux leather shoes

These must be shoe design only, with slip-on, Velcro or lace fastenings and flat heels. Boots, sandals or trainers are not permitted. The footwear must be entirely black throughout, including sole, uppers, stitching and any piping. No logos or designs are permitted. (No Converse or Vans)

Plain socks/tights

These must be completely plain black or grey throughout, with no decorative features, designs or logos. Leggings or 'footless tights' are not permitted as a substitute for tights, which should be at least 40 denier.

Official West Exe School tie (with House colour)

These are only available from Price and Buckland and no other ties are permitted. Please note that the colour of the ties is associated with the four School Houses. Please be sure of your child's House before purchasing a tie.

Uniform: Y7 - 9	Uniform: Y10-11
Tartan Skirt: 4 buttons, adjustable waist, on knee length for Year 7, from Price and Buckland	Tartan Skirt: 4 buttons, adjustable waist, no shorter than a palm width above the knee, from Price and Buckland
Trousers: Charcoal grey – straight leg only (not skinny)	Trousers: charcoal grey – straight leg only (not skinny)
Tailored grey shorts in Summer	Tailored grey shorts in Summer
Shirt: White	Shirt: White
Tights: Black or navy in Autumn and Spring term (at least 40denier)	Tights: Black or navy in Autumn and Spring term (at least 40 denier)
Socks: Black or grey	Socks: Black or grey
Jumper/cardigan: mandatory logo from Price and Buckland	Jacket: Compulsory (jumper optional) from Price and Buckland
Tie: House tie from Price and Buckland	Tie: House tie from Price and Buckland
Plain black school shoes: Can be polished	Plain black school shoes: Can be polished

PE Kit



Indoor kit for boys and girls

- Logo, black, blue panel polo shirt (girls or unisex fit)
- Logo, black, blue panel skorts or shorts
- Logo, black leggings (Please note the leggings and jogging bottoms are optional from 2022 these DO NOT have to be the School logoed ones)
- White Socks (not as shown for outdoor kit)
- Non-marking trainers – (Astro trainers are best to buy for both boys and girls which can be used inside and outside.)

Outdoor kit for boys and girls

- Black and blue striped football socks
- Trainers (Astro trainers best to buy for both boys and girls which can be used inside and outside)
- Moulded boots (plastic studs) also needed for all boys and girls who will be involved in Football/Rugby teams.
- Gum shield – compulsory (Hockey, Rugby)
- Shin Pads – compulsory (Football, Hockey)



Optional

- Black tracksuit bottoms or leggings
- West Exe School hooded top (however if a hoodie is worn it must be a West exe one)
- Reversible shirt with coloured panel– same colour for all students and not House based
- Plain black base layers are allowed under PE kit when the weather is cold (for use in PE only)

The School top can only be worn for outside PE activities, and no other types of sweatshirts/hoodies are allowed.

The weather is unpredictable, so a change of clothing and a suitable bag to carry wet kit home are essential.

All PE Kit items must be clearly marked with the student's name. We accept no responsibility for valuables, even if they were handed in for safe keeping at the beginning of lessons.

Please note that all team players will be expected to sign a Code of Conduct at the beginning of the year and must comply with this code.

Jewellery and Appearance

Jewellery: Necklaces, bracelets and rings are not allowed for Health and Safety reasons. This includes charity bands, as they are not part of the School uniform. However, students are encouraged to wear their School approved badges with pride. These include Prefect and Merit, as well as Duke of Edinburgh Award badges, to name only three.

Piercings: A maximum of one pair of small and discreet ear studs (ie 5mm diameter maximum) are allowed, one in the lobe of each ear. No other piercings or spacers, including clear or retaining piercings, are permitted.

Make-up: Only light foundation and light mascara are permitted. No other make-up is allowed, and students will be asked to remove any make-up that is not in accordance with this.

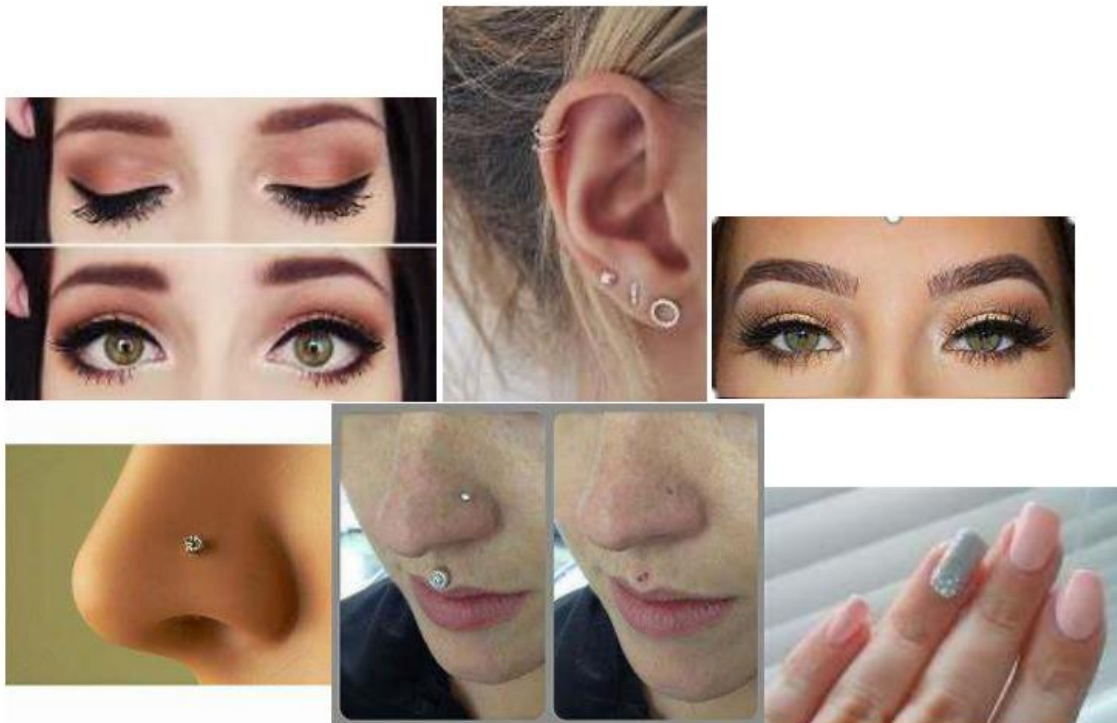
Body Art: Tattoos, even if only temporary, eyebrow microblading, henna decorations and other body art are not permitted.

Hair: Cuts, styles and accessories should be suitable for our business-like school environment and not deemed extreme or aggressive. Hair colouring, if at all used, must be a natural hair shade. Long hair should be tied up in some subject areas, including DT and PE, for Health and Safety reasons.

Nails: The wearing of false nails, 'gel nails' or similar is not allowed. Nail varnish, if worn, must be clear.

Please remember that **if a student fails to comply with these school rules then they will be sanctioned as part of our Reset system**. Please note that **religious observance or a particular medical need** could be a valid exception and that the above list is not exhaustive. If you are in any doubt, please ensure that you seek advice from the School.

Examples of the types of make-up and piercings which are **not** suitable are given below:



Equipment, bags and footwear:

School Bags: Students must come to school with a sturdy bag. The bag must be of a suitable size to hold their West Exe Knowledge Organiser, school folder (34.5cm x 24.5cm), planner, pencil case (33.5cm x 12.5cm), equipment and books. The dimensions of the bag should comfortably contain all of these items plus any other equipment and should therefore be a minimum of 38cm x 28cm.

Equipment: The following equipment is required, and must be brought in to school each day in a clear plastic pencil case which is big enough to fit all the items listed below:

- Blue or Black Pen
- Pencil
- Green Pen
- Calculator
- Protractors
- Clue stick
- Ruler – 30cm
- Rubber and Sharpener
- Headphones

Please note we ask that you do NOT bring scissor or compass to school, if you need one at school we will give you one and collect it back in again.

In addition, students will receive an oversized-A4 plastic folder, a Knowledge Organiser and a Planner, which will be distributed by their Tutors on the first day of term, together with a reading book, which they can provide from home or borrow from the School library.

Shoes

Polishable sensible, black, flat shoes - (leather or Patent shoes only and not leather trainers e.g. Converse/Vans) – no boots, canvas shoes, trainers.

Please note Converse or similar footwear in leather is not acceptable -

Small logo such as Kickers and Dr Martins are allowed (not yellow stitching)



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<https://www.clarks.co.uk/c/Scala-Lace-Youth/p/26142825>
<https://www.clarks.co.uk/c/Loxham-Derby-Youth/p/26142825>

<https://www.shoezone.com/Products/Kickers-Fragma-Boys-Leather-Black-Shoe-20389>
<https://www3.next.co.uk/g72304s3#168147>
<https://www3.next.co.uk/g72304s11#426029>

<https://www.clarks.co.uk/c/Mendip-Weaver-Youth/p/26151593>
<https://www.clarks.co.uk/c/Scala-Loop-Youth/p/26150861>
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Styles of shoe which would **not** be suitable include the following:



Canvas



High heel



Boot style



Trainer



With logo



With heel



With design



With coloured stitching



No Converse or Vans style



Not permitted due to the sole and overall similarity to Vans style