



EMMANUEL AND
GRACE COLLEGE
Associated Sixth Form

SIXTH FORM UNIFORM CODE

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SIXTH FORM DAYWEAR

Uniform requirements for all students in the Associated Sixth Form

The graphic below identifies the required items of daywear and indicates which items must be purchased from EAS Schoolwear. The bullet points below provide further guidance on how the uniform should be worn:

Trousers should be pulled up properly, using a plain black belt if required.

Skirts must be worn in a professional and business-like manner and must not be rolled at the waist. Students should wear black tights with a skirt. In the summer term, students can opt to wear flesh coloured tights instead.

Ties are to be worn smartly so that all shirt buttons are covered.

Shirts must be kept fully tucked in, with all buttons fastened, including the collar.

Blazers should always be worn in the building, including during lessons and when stepping out of a classroom. Students may only remove their blazers with the agreement of their teacher.

Blazer sleeves should not be rolled up, and blazers must be buttoned for assemblies.

Plain black, sensible, polishable shoes with good foot support must be worn. Minimal metal detailing is permitted if it forms part of the shoe's design. Trainers, boots, moccasins, thin-soled ballet pumps, stilettos, excessively high heels, and other fashion shoes are not permitted.

Suit jacket, trousers and skirts must be purchased from EAS.



DAYWEAR		YR12	YR13	AVAIL FROM	
1	Black Suit Jacket*	E	E	EAS	
2	Black Suit Trousers or.... *	E	E		
3	Black Suit Straight Kick-Pleat Skirt or Pencil Skirt*	E	E		
4	Plain White Rever Collar Blouse (tie not required)	E	E		W
5	Plain White Shirt (long and short sleeve)	E	E		
6	Associated Sixth Form Tie (worn with plain white shirt)	E	E		
7	Plain Black Jumper	OPT	OPT		W
8	Plain Black Backpack	OPT	OPT		
KEY		E	Essential item	EAS	Available from EAS
		OPT	Optional item	W	Widely available

*Available ONLY from EAS Schoolwear in limited quantities - order early for September start.

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Sixth Form students wear a uniform designed to project a professional, business-like image. Sixth Form students are a natural source of inspiration to younger students and the way in which they dress sets a lead. It is, therefore, vitally important that a high standard is set in respect of both smartness and professionalism and that uniform exemplifies the Sixth Form community.

JEWELLERY AND MAKEUP

Students are permitted to wear jewellery, though it should be business-like. Any jewellery worn should allow students to safely engage in all aspects of the College day and curriculum. Students may be asked to remove any item of jewellery which is out of line with these guidelines. Makeup and nail varnish must be in keeping with a professional business-like environment. If artificial nails are worn, students must be able to engage safely in all aspects of the College day.

HAIR

Hairstyles should be smart and business-like. In practical subjects, students must be able to engage safely in all aspects of the curriculum. Plain black or burgundy head coverings, including turbans, are permitted.

COATS AND BAGS

Coats should look smart and professional. Bags need to be sturdy enough to protect books and laptops/tablets and should be in keeping with a professional, business-like appearance.

FURTHER GUIDANCE ON HOW THE UNIFORM SHOULD BE WORN

- Blazers should always be worn in the building, including during lessons and when stepping out of a classroom.
- Students may only take off blazers when agreed by their teacher.
- Blazer sleeves should not be rolled up and blazers must be buttoned up for assemblies.
- Students must carry their lanyard and ID badge at all times. Any lost ID card must be reported immediately to the Sixth Form Team. Replacement cards will be issued at a cost of £5 per card.
- Any request for an exception to the uniform must be made in writing to the Principal.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION UNIFORM

Sixth Form PE is timetabled on Wednesday afternoons and follows two pathways: competitive sport and recreational PE.

At the start of the academic year, the PE Department runs trials for students wishing to represent the Associated Sixth Form in football, rugby, netball or basketball. Following the trials, successful students will be selected to represent the Associated Sixth Form and will be required to wear the appropriate bespoke Sixth Form PE kit. Further details will be shared with students and their parents/carers after team selection.

During the summer term, all students may take part in recreational PE, regardless of whether they are members of a Sixth Form sports team. Students participating in recreational PE do not need to purchase the Emmanuel College PE kit and may instead wear a plain white T-shirt with plain black shorts. Plain black leggings or plain black tracksuit bottoms may also be worn.

Students representing the Associated Sixth Form will acquire a bespoke PE kit and may wear this to College on Wednesdays instead of the standard Sixth Form uniform. In addition, the points below should be noted:

- It is compulsory to wear a gum shield for rugby and shin pads for football when playing these sports both in PE lessons and competitive matches. For safety reasons, it is highly recommended that these precautions are taken for lessons and training sessions, therefore these items are an essential part of the uniform.
- Indoor PE lessons: students must wear clean (preferably white) trainers with non-marking soles.
- Outdoor PE lessons: students must wear trainers appropriate for school sport, not a fashion shoe.
- All students representing the Associated Sixth Form at sport may, at the PE department's discretion, wear their own footwear geared to the specific sport (e.g. spikes for cross-country running). This applies to training as well as matches.
- They are not to be a fashion statement or an opportunity to flaunt wealth. As a general principle, we would expect specialist sport trainers to be of a more conservative style.
- Following evening sporting activities, students are able to leave College in their PE kit or Sixth Form uniform but not should wear other items of casual clothing.
- It is essential that all items of Sixth Form uniform (including PE clothing) are clearly labelled with the student's name.



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