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Uniform Standards

Pangbourne College's distinctive uniform is an important part of the College identity. This document sets out the expectations of pupils with respect to the wearing of the uniform. These *uniform standards* are based on those of the Royal Navy. The College recognises and respects religious and cultural sensitivities, pertaining to appearance and uniform where practicable.

Uniform Standards for Girls

'We are proud of our traditions of conduct, courtesy and appearance.'

All girls have a responsibility to uphold high standards of uniform, hair and personal appearance. More specifically, this includes:

The No. 2 uniform, which is worn daily. This consists of the following:

- Regulation black A-line skirt worn to knee length
- Regulation tailored trousers can be worn
- Blue jumper, including epaulettes
- Blue Pangbourne shirt. All buttons except the top button should be done up. If the shirt is worn without the jumper, sleeves should be turned up to just above the elbow using folds the width of the cuff.
- Black tights
- Black regulation Sanders or Doctor Martin shoes which are to be kept clean and polished
- Beret and badge if required
- Plain dark blue or black coats of a single colour

All items of No. 2 uniform should be maintained in very good condition.

- Hair should be neatly groomed and, if worn short, should not extend below the lower edge of the back of the shirt collar. Long hair should be neatly tied back, not obscuring the face, in a neat and tidy fashion using discrete

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fastenings. Unnatural hair colours (ie. those colours that are not within the range of the individual's hair colour are not permitted.)

- As regards jewellery, a wristwatch and a single charity wristband may be worn together with a simple plain ring. Visible piercings must be limited to a single plain earring, small hoop or stud in each ear. Any necklaces must be out of sight, tucked beneath the shirt.
- No other visible adornment is permissible.
- Very discreet make-up can be worn if wished. There should be no coloured nail varnish.

The No. 1 uniform, which is worn on Parade Sundays and Ceremonies. This consists of the following:

- WRNS Officers' Diagonal Serge Uniform
- Tricorn hat and badge
- White Uniform Shirt
- Black tie
- Black tights (15 denier in Summer Routine, 40 denier in Winter Routine)
- Black Uniform shoes, lace up, no heel

All items of No. 1 uniform should be maintained in very good condition.

- Hair should be worn up and properly secured in a bun using grips, hair pins and a net.
- No jewellery should be worn.
- Very discreet make-up may be worn. There should be no coloured nail varnish.

Girls' business suit option in the Sixth Form may be worn as an alternative to No. 2 uniform. No. 2 uniform must be worn for all parade practices. In short, it is an outfit akin to the modern business suit. The following guidelines should be adhered to:

- A smart tailored jacket with matching skirt or trouser in navy, black, charcoal or dark grey should be worn. More specifically, the jacket must button up

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(two or three buttons), have lapels and not be cropped. Pockets should also not be zipped. Any pinstripes must be discrete.

- Skirts should be straight (pencil) worn on or just above the knee with a discrete split (if at all) and no frills. Tube or fitted lycra skirts are not appropriate.
- Likewise, trousers should be tailored, worn to the ankle and should neither be excessively loose or tight.
- A smart blouse with a collar or fitted shirt (of a single, muted or pastel colour) should be worn. However, the shirt or blouse must be worn tucked neatly into the skirt and should not be transparent or revealing.
- Hair can be worn down but jewellery must comply with the No 2 uniform standard
- Shoes must be flat, black or navy, worn with tights. Shoes must include backs with toes covered and cannot be sports shoes.

Dunbar Girls' Uniform

Girls in Dunbar wear a different uniform, but the same principles of high standards apply. More specifically this includes:

- Regulation navy blazer
- Grey A-line skirt
- White shirt
- College tie
- Navy v-neck jersey
- Black plain lace up shoes which are to be kept clean and polished
- Black tights (15 denier in Summer Routine, 40 denier in Winter Routine)
- White socks may be worn in summer
- Plain dark blue or black coats of a single colour

All items of Dunbar uniform should be maintained in very good condition.

- Hair should be neatly groomed and, if worn short, should not extend below the lower edge of the back of the shirt collar. Long hair should be neatly tied back, not obscuring the face, in a neat and tidy fashion. Unnatural hair

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colours (ie. those colours that are not within the range of the individual's hair colour are not permitted.

- As regards jewellery, a wristwatch and a single charity wristband may be worn. Girls may also wear a small gold or silver stud in each ear.
- No make-up may be worn.

Regulation sports kit is to be worn to all Games sessions and matches.

- If sports kit is worn in the Mess Hall at lunchtime, it must be regulation, including tracksuit bottoms
- Under Winter Routine, clean regulation sports kit including tracksuit trousers may be worn to afternoon lessons.

Any ambiguities regarding Uniform Standards should be referred to the HOM for clarification.

Uniform Standards for Boys

'We are proud of our traditions of conduct, courtesy and appearance.'

All boys have a responsibility to uphold high standards of uniform, hair and personal appearance. More specifically, this includes:

The No. 2 uniform, which is worn daily. This consists of the following:

- Regulation trousers
- Blue jumper, including epaulettes
- Blue Pangbourne shirt. All buttons except the top button should be done up. If the shirt is worn without the jumper, sleeves should be turned up to just above the elbow using folds the width of the cuff.
- A regulation elastic belt
- Regulation Sanders or Doctor Martin shoes
- Black socks
- Beret and badge if required
- Plain dark blue or black coat of a single colour must be worn over the jumper

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All items of No. 2 uniform should be maintained in very good condition.

- Hair shall be neatly groomed; kept above the shirt collar, taper trimmed at the back, sides and above the ears to blend with the hairstyle. Unnatural hair colours (ie. those colours that are not within the range of the individual's hair colour) are not permitted.
- Sideburns should not come below the earlobe.
- Boys are expected to be clean-shaven.
- As regards jewellery, a wristwatch and a single charity wristband may be worn together with a simple plain ring. Any necklaces must be out of sight, tucked beneath the shirt
- No other visible adornment is permissible.

The No. 1 uniform, which is worn on Parade Sundays and Ceremonies. This consists of the following:

- Midshipman's Uniform
- Lid with badge
- White Uniform Shirt
- Black tie
- Black socks
- Regulation black Uniform shoes
- No jewellery should be worn.

All items of No. 1 uniform should be maintained in very good condition.

Boys' Rec Rig or business suits in the Sixth Form may be worn as an alternative to No. 2 uniform. In short, it is a modern business suit. The following guidelines should be adhered to:

- A smart tailored jacket with matching trousers in navy, black, charcoal or dark grey should be worn. More specifically, the jacket must button up (two or three buttons), have lapels and not be cropped. Pockets should also not be zipped. Any pinstripes must be discrete.
- Trousers should neither be excessively loose or tight.
- A plain V-necked jumper may be worn under the jacket, with no zip fastening

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- A smart shirt of a single, muted or pastel colour should be worn tucked neatly into the trouser.
- Own choice of plain or regularly patterned tie; outlandish and/or loud colours or designs should not be worn
- Shoes must be black or navy. Shoes must include backs with toes covered.

Dunbar Boys' Uniform

Boys in Dunbar wear a different uniform, but the same principles of high standards apply. More specifically this includes:

- Regulation navy blazer
- Grey trousers worn with a black belt
- White shirt
- College tie
- Navy v-neck jersey
- Black plain lace up shoes which are to be kept clean and polished
- Black or grey socks
- Plain dark blue or black coats of a single colour

All items of Dunbar uniform should be maintained in very good condition.

- Hair shall be neatly groomed; kept above the shirt collar, taper trimmed at the back, sides and above the ears to blend with the hairstyle. Unnatural hair colours (ie. those colours that are not within the range of the individual's hair colour) are not permitted.
- As regards jewellery, a wristwatch and a single charity wristband may be worn together.

Regulation sports kit is to be worn to all Games sessions and matches.

- If sports kit is worn in the Mess Hall at lunchtime, it must be regulation, including tracksuit bottoms
- Under Winter Routine, clean, regulation sports kit including tracksuit trousers may be worn to afternoon lessons.

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