

CLOTHING LISTS & REGULATIONS



DEAN CLOSE
SCHOOL
CHELTENHAM

School Shop & Uniform

The Shop is run by the School for the benefit of pupils and their parents and prices are as competitive as they can possibly be, taking into consideration quality and durability. Once term has started a School account is created for each pupil whereby Senior School pupils can come in themselves and purchase items using this account.

Parents are welcome to purchase items directly from the School Shop and can pay by either cash or credit card.

Uniform is ordered directly from www.schoolblazer.com. Please follow the links to set up an account. This will then give directions to the Dean Close page. Orders need to be placed early for September but delivery times are shorter at other times of the year.

Please note: only sports kit can be purchased from the School Shop.

School Shop Term-time Opening Hours

Monday	8.00am - 4.00pm
Tuesday	8.00am - 4.00pm
Wednesday	9.00am - 5.00pm
Thursday	9.00am - 5.00pm
Friday	8.00am - 4.00pm
Saturday	10.00am - 3.00pm

Appointment-only during Half Term / Exeats. Please contact Samuel Taylor at the School Shop on 01242 258016 or email shop@deanclose.org.uk to arrange an appointment.

General Dress Guidelines

Casual dress or mufti may be worn on weekdays after 6.00pm, after 4.00pm on Saturdays and all day Sunday, unless there is Chapel or an official School function. This must be reasonable, clean and decent (including any design or logo). Extremes of fashion, over-tight or revealing clothing is not appropriate in School. Uniform and mufti should not be mixed, particularly Sports kit. Hats, pyjamas and sports kit should not be worn in the Dining Hall other than with prior permission.

Some pupils may require a dress for formal occasions such as Christmas Dinner and Commem. This should be of modest style with shoulders and décolletage covered, just above the knee or longer in length. Other pupils may require black tie or a suit for similar occasions. Alternatively, a black suit can be worn. Musicians may need a modest black dress or black tie for major concerts.

Uniform for Lower School (Fourth, Remove and Fifth Form)

Pupils are expected to be neatly dressed in School uniform whilst at School. Uniform should be clean, pressed, well-fitting and worn as designed. All clothing must be clearly named.

Items in **bold** must be obtained from Schoolblazer.com.

Lower School Uniform List

Grey crested blazer	Plain, black polishable leather shoes with low heels. (Robust and suitable for school wear)
Maroon jumper with grey trim	Black tights (with kilt) or black socks (with trousers)
White reversed collar blouse* without a tie or White collared shirt* & Tie	Coat (dark and of mid-thigh to mid-calf length) School scarf (optional, available from School Shop)
Charcoal grey trousers or grey plaid kilt (knee length)	Cufflinks (optional, available from School Shop)


*long sleeves in winter, short sleeves in summer

Jewellery must be discreet and removed for Games. Single small plain earrings only. No rings, bracelets or other body piercings. A discreet religious symbol may be worn as a necklace

Make-up minimal; colourless nail varnish only

Hair of natural colour and moderate style. Hair extensions, dyed hair and extreme styles are not allowed. Hair must be off the face and clear of shoulders (tied back if shoulder length or longer)

Sixth Form Dress Code

<p>Dark business-like suit</p>	<div style="text-align: center;">  </div> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Faint pinstripes or checks are permissible All suit pieces must be made of the same fabric and be designed to be worn together. Skirt length should be ankle length Trousers must be tailored and full length A shift dress can be worn Stretch fabrics and body contour wear are not permitted
<p>Shirts/blouses with collar, long sleeves, and cuffs</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must be light coloured Plain colours, pinstripes and moderate checks are allowed Short sleeved shirts/blouses may be worn in summer See-through fabrics and sleeveless designs are not permitted All shirts/blouses must be tucked in and buttoned above the breastbone
<p>Jumper or cardigan</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Plain single colour of knitted fabric and V-neck design This should not be seen below the hem/sleeve line of the jacket Multiple layers are not permissible
<p>Tie</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Of own choice and design suitable for School
<p>Socks or tights</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Socks must be plain and dark coloured Tights should be in good repair with no holes or ladders
<p>Coat</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> School coat available from the School shop
<p>Footwear</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Plain black or dark brown, polishable leather shoes These must be robust and suitable for school wear Boots are not allowed
<p>Hair</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Should be of natural colour and of a moderate style Dyed hair and extreme styles are not allowed Boys must be clean shaven
<p>Make-up</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discreet and moderate Only plain, pale nail varnish is permissible
<p>Jewellery</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must be discreet One moderate ring; no more than 2 earrings per ear All jewellery must be removed for all Games sessions

Items Required by All Pupils

<p>Name tapes (all uniform and personal possessions should be clearly named)</p>	<p>A transparent pencil case for examinations</p>
<p>A plain over-the-shoulder bag suitable for carrying books/belongings for lessons</p>	<p>Calculator for Mathematics and Science – Casio FX_991EX ClassWiz</p>
<p>Occasionally specialist items are required such as waterproofs and walking boots for outdoor activities. CCF kit is issued by the School Shop.</p>	<p>Stationery: pens, pencils, colouring pencils, ruler, set squares, protractor, eraser, pencil sharpener, highlighter pens, scissors and glue.</p>
<p>2-3 padlocks for games locker, lockable space in study and tuck box (Boarders)</p>	<p>Laptop computer</p>

Sports Kit (All Pupils)

All pupils are expected to be correctly dressed for Games. Regulation School Sports kit should be worn for all practices and matches. Specific team kit must only be worn for that sport. Casual sportswear such as hoodies should not be mixed with regulation kit. Specific house kit may be required for some inter-House competitions. Items in bold must be obtained from the School Shop; items in bold italics are optional. All clothing must be clearly marked. The School Shop can advise on all uniform issues.

Check List

Uniform A		Uniform B	
Navy games skort x 2		Pairs of white shorts x 2	
White School polo shirt with crest x 1		Pairs of navy games shorts x 2	
Maroon/White striped court shirt		White School polo shirt with crest x 1	
Pairs maroon games socks x 2		School reversible rugby/hockey shirt x 2	
Navy and crested midlayer		Navy and maroon crested midlayer	
School swimming costume and swim cap		Pairs of navy games socks x2	
School tracksuit top		School tracksuit top	
Pair School tracksuit bottoms		Pair School tracksuit bottoms	
Navy School base layer top		Navy School base layer	
Navy School base leggings		Pair of rugby boots	
Sports bra		Pair of non-marking indoor trainers	
Pairs of short white sports socks x2		Pair of outdoor trainers	
Pair of non-marking indoor trainers		Pair of astro shoes	
Pair of outdoor trainers		Hockey stick	
Pair of astro shoes		Pair of black school swimming trunks (not Bermuda shorts style)	
Hockey stick		Games bag	
Games bag		Mouthguard suitable for use for hockey and rugby	
Mouthguard suitable for use for hockey		Cricketers need a School cricket shirt, cricket trousers, a School cricket slip over and a cricket bat.	
Tennis players need a white tennis skirt and tennis racquet.		Tennis players need tennis whites and a tennis racquet.	

Boarders' Packing List

Your Housemaster/Housemistress and the School Shop will be happy to advise you on all aspects of uniform and items required at School.

Underwear Bath		towels x 2 and hand towels x 2 with loops for hanging	
Night clothes x 2		Coat hangers	
Dressing gown		Shoe cleaning equipment	
Toiletries as required		Duvet & pillow	
Wellington boots		Duvet cover x 2, bottom sheet x 2, pillow case x 2	
Tuck box*		Regulation mesh laundry bag*	

*available from the School Shop