

Uniform Policy (Whole School including EYFS)
Independent Day School for Boys and Girls

Our Lady of Sion School

Frequency of review: 3 year cycle
Date of next review: October 2019

OUR LADY OF SION SCHOOL UNIFORM POLICY

Our Lady of Sion School has its own distinctive uniform. There are good reasons for this, the most important being that a uniform helps to create a sense of community and establish a working environment. A school uniform also removes distraction which may be caused by an individual's style of dress, and allows students to concentrate on learning.

Regulation uniform must be worn at all times. Summer uniform may be worn during the first half of the autumn term and throughout the summer term.

Lost uniform which is not labelled will be donated to the Friends' Parents' Association.

Copies of the Junior School and Senior School Uniform Lists are attached.

All items of uniform **must** be clearly marked with the owner's name.

Regulation schoolbags, shoe bags, PE bags, swimming hats and overalls may be obtained from the office (Junior School only).

Girls may wear small stud earrings in lower ear lobe. However, they must have the earrings taped during P.E. lessons. No other jewellery may be worn.

Senior School pupils may wear one discreet neck chain. Bracelets may not be worn for Health & Safety reasons

Pupils should not wear obvious make-up or coloured nail varnish.

This uniform policy applies equally to all pupils, however the School will consider reasonable requests to alter the School uniform, for example for genuine religious requirements and reasonable adjustments for children with individual needs or requirements. Where there is uncertainty as to whether an item may be worn, the issue should be referred to the Headmaster, whose decision will be final. Such decisions will be made subject to considerations of safety and welfare and the principles of this policy

Uniform and Appearance

- i. The school uniform should be worn properly and completely in accordance with the uniform list. All students are expected to look clean and tidy at all times. Sanctions will be applied where students fail to observe this rule. The same requirements apply to PE kit. Sixth Form students should not wear extremes of fashion, hairstyles or make-up.
- ii. All items of uniform, including PE kit, must be clearly labelled with the student's name. Students must not borrow items of uniform from each other.
- iii. Hair should be clean and tidy. Acceptable hairstyles exclude part or full-shaven heads, obvious colourant in unnatural shades and/or any other extreme trends. Gel, wax, styling mousse or similar products must be used with discretion and not used to create extremes of fashion. Holiday styles and/or colour must be rationalised before students return to School. Students with long hair must wear it tied or clipped back when instructed for health and safety reasons.
- iv. Students may not wear obvious make-up or coloured nail polish.
- v. One plain ring and one discreet neck chain may be worn. Bracelets are not permitted. Heavy chains, whether worn round the neck or on the belt, are not permitted. (This includes padlock/key chains)
- vi. Girls may wear one pair of stud earrings placed low on the earlobes. No other visible body piercings are permitted. Visible tattoos are not allowed.

Broadwater Sports Uniform Supplier

To order/obtain uniform items from Broadwater Sports, please contact:



**BROADWATER SPORTS
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Sion School Uniform Stockists

**In store - Mon-Sat 9-5.30pm
37 Broadwater Street West, Worthing,
BN14 9BY. Tel: 01903 234589
Online
www.schooljumpers.co.uk**

JUNIOR SCHOOL

Local Purchases

Girls

Black shoes (polishable)
Grey Tights (winter)
Grey Long Socks (winter)
Plain short white socks (summer) Not trainer socks
White long-sleeved reverse collar shirt (winter)
White short-sleeved reverse collar blouse (summer)
(option for Year 6 only)
Black gloves (optional)

Sports trainers (suitable for indoor and outdoor use – NOT astro trainers)

White PE short socks

Any large shirt for Art (Years 3 – 5 only)

Please note: In the summer, Year 6 girls may choose to wear either the summer dress or the kilt with short sleeved reverse shirt. All other year groups to wear the summer dress.

Boys

Black shoes (polishable)
Grey or black Socks
Mid-grey trousers Not black
Mid-grey shorts (summer optional)
White shirts (short or long-sleeved)
Black gloves (optional)

Sports trainers (suitable for indoor and outdoor use – NOT astro trainers)

White PE short socks

Any large shirt for Art (Years 3 – 5 only)

Purchases from Broadwater Sports

Girls

Sion maroon blazer
Maroon Jumper (2 narrow grey stripes)
Sion tartan tunic dress with front zip (winter) (Reception to Year 2)
Sion tartan pleated kilt (Years 3 – 6)
Sion maroon and white summer dress (summer) (optional only for Year 6)
Sion maroon summer cardigan (optional)
Sion winter felt hat and summer boater. (compulsory Reception – Year 2) (optional Year 3-6)
Sion black waterproof coat (compulsory)
Sion black lightweight raincoat (optional)
Sion black or maroon fleece hat and scarf (optional)
Blue Overall (Art) (Reception – Year 2)
White full length Science overall with sleeves (Year 6)

Sports Items

Sion sweatshirt with ¼ zip or hoody
Sion maroon PE shorts
Sion black tracksuit bottoms
Sion polo shirt – non-fitted
Black base layer leggings (all black)
Black base layer top (all black) (optional)

Boys

Sion maroon blazer
Sion grey jumper (2 narrow maroon stripes)
Sion maroon cap (compulsory Reception- Year 2) (optional Years 3-6)
Sion tie (elasticated Reception to Year 2)
Sion black waterproof coat (compulsory)
Sion lightweight raincoat (optional)
Sion black or maroon fleece hat and scarf (optional)
Blue Overall (Art) (Reception – Year 2)

White full length Science overall with sleeves (Year 6)

Sion sweatshirt with ¼ zip or hoody
Sion maroon PE shorts
Sion black tracksuit bottoms
Sion polo shirt – non-fitted
Black base layer leggings and top (all black) (optional)

The following items are purchased from the Junior School Office:

Book Bag Free (Reception, Year 1 and Year 2)
Rucksack
PE Bag

SENIOR SCHOOL

YEARS 7 – 11

Local Purchases

Boys

Black shoes (polishable)

Grey or black socks

Mid-grey trousers (Not black). These should be classic in design. Not skinny or too fitted and without extra pockets or zips.

White shirts (short or long-sleeved)

School tie (obtainable from the School Office)

Black gloves (optional)

Girls

Black shoes (sensible shoes which are polishable)

Grey socks or grey/black tights (winter)

White socks or flesh coloured tights (summer)

White long-sleeved revere collar (winter). Worn with House badge.

White short-sleeved revere collar blouse (summer). Worn with House badge.

Black gloves (optional)

Sports Items

Sports trainers suitable for indoor and outdoor use (NOT astro trainers)

BOYS: football boots

White PE socks

Shin pads

Mouth guard

Authorised by Chairman of Governors 11/10/16

Signed copy held by Clerk to Governors

