

IDSALL SCHOOL UNIFORM – SEPTEMBER 2024

Uniform

Compulsory

White shirt (full or short sleeve - not $\frac{3}{4}$), with school tie fully striped

Years 7 -11 – Plain black pleated skirt **OR** plain black school trousers – (see guideline below)

Plain black or white socks – not patterned

Plain black tights – not patterned

Plain black flat heeled shoes (**not trainers**) (see guideline overleaf)

Black blazer (with black lining) and school badge

Compulsory PE Kit

Green/black polo top (1 of 2 styles on offer) with school logo

Green/black shorts/skort (skirt with shorts underneath)

Green/black hooped socks (or plain white ankle socks for indoor activities)

Green/black $\frac{1}{4}$ zip performance tracksuit top with white piping and school logo

Plain black tracksuit bottoms or sports leggings – must be plain black or with school logo (full length i.e. below the calf)

Training shoes

Shin pads

Football or rugby boots (moulded or metal stud)

Recommended PE Kit

Plain black base layer

Gum shield – strongly recommended

UNIFORM GUIDELINES – the expected standard at Idsall School

- **Skirts** must be appropriate for school in terms of material, style and length. They must be pleated and should not contain patches, pockets or cling to the body and must be worn correctly without rolling the waistband over. The school skirt can be purchased from our uniform suppliers Baker and Son or Bristows (details can be found on our website) but does not have to be purchased from them. No other style of skirt is permissible.

Acceptable School Skirts



Unacceptable School Skirts



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- **Shirts** must be plain without emblems or badges – patterned t-shirts or polo necks must not be worn under shirts.
- **School trousers** should be smart school style only, which is plain black, loose fitting with a straight leg and be front fastening. They should have a single button at the waist and a concealed zip. We do not allow low cut 'hipster' style trousers or broad, decorative belts. Jean-style/stretch or denim fabrics are not acceptable and there should be NO logo labels – an entirely appropriate school trouser is available from our supplier.

Acceptable School Trousers



Unacceptable School Trousers



Summer uniform in the last term of the year –
Tailored professional style shorts purchased from our supplier may also be worn. All other uniform rules apply.



- **Shoes** – we will not allow high, narrow heels (heels higher than 2 inches), sling backs, mules or other shoes that we judge to be unsuitable for school. Trainers of any type or style are not acceptable. Shoes must not be made of a canvas or suede material, contain colour flashes, logos, and eyelets that are not black.

AN ACCEPTABLE SCHOOL SHOE



These types of shoe conform with the school Uniform Policy. Velcro, slip on or lace up are acceptable if they have a formal appearance and **do not** have a trainer style sole.

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UNACCEPTABLE SCHOOL SHOE



These shoes **do not** conform with the school policy. Heels should be no higher than 2cm, and shoes should be fastened to the feet rather than loose slip on styles.

- **Outdoor coats or jackets** should be a plain colour without bold words or logos (a small one on the chest or upper arm is acceptable) and with a front fastening. **We do not allow pullover tops, tracksuit tops, cardigans or 'hoodies'**, they may be confiscated during the school day. Scarves are for outdoor wear only and not to be worn inside the school building.

AN ACCEPTABLE SCHOOL COAT



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UNACCEPTABLE SCHOOL COAT



- **Jewellery** – This is limited to plain ear studs, one in each ear (in the lower part of the ear lobe only) and a watch (smart watches can be worn but they must have phone functionality switched off during school time.) Rings, necklaces or other jewellery items are liable to be confiscated. Any other kind of body piercing, including nose studs, is not permitted. Stretcher style earrings must be flesh coloured and flat to the earlobe.

Please note we do not take responsibility for any valuables brought into school.

- **Discreet make-up** (nude and natural colours only) is a privilege for students in Years 10 and 11. Make-up is not permitted in years 7, 8 and 9. Nail varnish is not allowed in any year. False nails and false eyelashes of any type are not allowed, and nails should be a suitable length for school. Coloured in or painted on eyebrows are not permitted.



Allowed in Key Stage 4	Not allowed
Light foundation	Thick foundation
Concealer	Contouring & highlighter
Setting powder	Bright colours
Nude eye colours	False lashes
Mascara	Eyebrow liners or gel
Eyebrows – natural shape and colour	Eyeliners
	Lipstick, liner or gloss

- **Hair Style** - We ask that students attend Idsall School with a haircut that is appropriate for a school environment. Tramlines or unnatural colours are not permitted. Hair length should be a minimum of a 'number 2'. Hair bands are to be black or brown in colour, other fashion hair accessories such as bows and flowers are not acceptable. Baseball caps should not be worn.

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- **Belts** - Belts may be worn if black and being used for its functional purpose not for fashion and not visible below of, or on top of the jumper.
- **Visible facial** or body piercing including tongue piercings may not be worn unless worn as an aspect of a clearly identified religious faith.

Any extreme fashion which may from time to time become popular, should be reserved for leisure wear outside of school and should not be worn to school.

With all aspects of school uniform, we do our utmost to provide images of acceptable and unacceptable uniform, to allow correct choices to be made when purchasing. If in doubt, please refer to this information prior to making purchases.

It is the discretion of the school to make decisions regarding uniform that does not conform to the requirements of the school code of dress.

Please remember that in choosing a Marches Academy Trust school implies a willingness to conform to our school uniform guidelines at all times.

This policy is also fully endorsed and approved by the school's Board of Governors.

The school views the wearing of correct uniform as a key element of the schools identity and standards as a community. Any student failing or refusing to follow these guidelines will be sent home or isolated until they are able to do so.