

Sixth Form Dress Code

The Brentwood County High School Sixth Form Dress Code has been reviewed and we expect all members of the sixth form to look smart and be dressed according to the guidance below.

“In order to promote high standards and for sixth formers to act as role models for younger students, it is expected that they will dress:

- in an appropriate manner
- being mindful of Health & Safety requirements for their particular work area.

Whilst the expectations garment by garment will not be prescribed, it is anticipated that the standard will be that as generally defined as ‘smart business attire, e.g.

Guidance for boys: collared shirt and tie, jacket, jumper or cardigan and shoes.

Guidance for girls: dress, skirt or trousers and blouse, jacket, jumper or cardigan and appropriate footwear.

(jeans, jeggings, shorts, hoodies, flipflops or trainers are not allowed)

PE kit must only be worn whilst participating in practical lessons or sports events.

Hairstyles and colour should be “acceptable” and not considered by the Head of Sixth Form as inappropriate. If in doubt, bring a picture of the style and colour to school for approval.

There may be different rules for out of school activities and whole school days but in any case dress should be such that:

- is not likely to be viewed as offensive, revealing, or sexually provocative
- does not distract, cause embarrassment or give rise to misunderstanding
- is absent of any political or otherwise contentious slogans
- is not considered to be discriminatory and or culturally insensitive”

The final say about the appropriateness of a student’s attire belongs to the Head of Sixth Form. Should an individual’s dress be considered inappropriate the individual will be sent home to change.