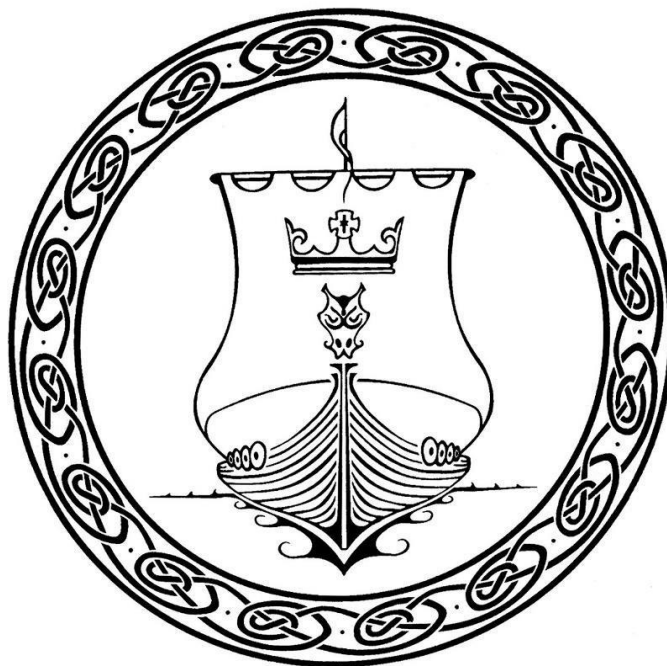




Queen Elizabeth II High School

Uniform Policy



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School Uniform

A high standard of personal appearance is expected of all students at Queen Elizabeth II High School. Any student arriving at school in non-uniform clothing will either be provided with uniform if it is available or asked to go home to get changed into their uniform.

Hair colour, style and make-up must be appropriate for school. Hair colour should be a natural colour. E.g. black, brown, blonde.

Acrylic / false nails and nail varnish are not permitted.

All students

Years 7 – 11

- Plain white shirt or shirt-style blouse with collar – short or long sleeves;
- School tie (clip on style for the September 2025 cohort and those thereafter);
- Grey or black trousers (single colour) no jeans, leggings or flared style trousers;
- Grey or black practical style school skirt, no shorter than 2 inches above the knee – (no bodycon skirts);
- Grey or black smart tailored shorts, no shorter than 2 inches above the knee;
- The QEII school jumper and/or black blazer. For the September 2025 Year 7 cohort onwards, a black blazer with the school logo is compulsory and the school jumper may be worn as an optional additional item;
- Black tights of at least 40 denier when wearing a skirt;
- Single colour socks (grey or black);
- Black or dark brown shoes (single colour with matching laces) – must be suitably safe for school. Shoes should be capable of being polished, i.e. not canvas;
- **Trainers and shoes with a logo are not to be worn;**
- An appropriate belt if required (plain black or grey).

Workshop aprons should be worn for Design and Technology lessons.

Jewellery:

For safety and security reasons the school would advise that jewellery should not be worn at all, but in the event that a student chooses to wear jewellery, it should be restricted to:

- One pair of plain **ear** sleepers or studs;
- A plain ring that can be worn on one hand;
- One clear nose stud.

All uniform items should have the owner's name marked on them.

The school cannot take responsibility for any lost items.

The uniform listed is what is allowed and it can be assumed that variations from the above will **not** be allowed.



PE Kit

At Queen Elizabeth II High School, we believe that PE kit is essential in ensuring that students can participate safely and comfortably in physical activity at school. Our kit encourages our students to have a sense of belonging within our school community and we believe that it promotes a feeling of pride and equality. Queen Elizabeth II High School PE Kit is compulsory and consists of:

Indoor:

- Maroon polo shirt with the school emblem;
- Black shorts or black sports leggings with no visible logo;
- White sports socks.

Outdoor:

- Maroon t-shirt/polo shirt or rugby style top with the school emblem;
- Black shorts or black sports leggings/jogging bottoms with no visible logo;
- Maroon and white long socks.

Optional items:

- School emblem sweatshirt
- Plain black thermals (leg and arm skins), can also be worn under correct school kit
- Plain black jumper with no logo

Fixtures:

Rugby-	All rugby fixtures require students to wear full outdoor games kit with boots. For rugby, students must wear a gum shield.
Cricket-	All cricket fixtures require students to wear full whites. Students have the option to wear their own, or if they do not have them, school can provide these for them to play in. All students must wear a protective box when playing hard ball cricket. The school can provide these but it is recommended that a player has their own that fits comfortably.
Netball & Rounders-	All netball and rounders fixtures require students to wear full outdoor games kit and trainers. A school team kit will be provided where possible.
Football-	All football fixtures require students to wear full outdoor games kit, which includes: black shorts, maroon and white long socks and shin pads. Astro boots are optional. A school team kit will be provided where possible.
Hockey-	All hockey fixtures require students to wear full outdoor games kit, which includes: black shorts, maroon and white long socks and shin pads. Students must wear a gum shield. A hockey stick, astro boots/hockey shoes are optional. A school team kit will be provided where possible.
Footwear-	Trainers – with non-marking soles Football boots (compulsory for safety in football/rugby) Astro turf trainers (optional but preferable when on the astro turf)



Additional Items- Shin pads (compulsory for all students)
Mouth guard (compulsory for hockey)
Black/maroon base layer (optional)

The QEII branded items that are optional, include: black shorts, maroon and white long socks, black jogging pants, fleece and sweatshirts.

A new additional range of clothing is now available to purchase directly from school consisting of a tracksuit top, tracksuit bottoms and a showerproof storm jacket. These are “bespoke” items that are made to order. The school will send out order forms periodically to give all students at QEII the opportunity to purchase these, but **we must highlight that these are optional.**

Valuables- On P.E./Games days, it is strongly recommended that all students leave jewellery and possessions at home or in their locker. Valuables and money must not be left in the changing rooms during P.E./Games lessons.

Dance Kit- Maroon polo shirt with the school emblem;
Black shorts or black leggings/joggers;
Trainers.

Incorrect or missing PE/Dance kit

Students who fail to bring the correct PE/Dance kit will, in the first instance, be given a reminder in their planner; on the second occasion they will be given a break time detention and another reminder sent home; on the third occasion the student will be given a subject detention at lunchtime. This process will run over a half term cycle and will start again for all students at the start of each half term.

If any student has difficulty with kit or it cannot be provided for them that week, bringing in incorrect kit with a note explaining the issue is fine and will not be classed as an incorrect kit. If a student requires spare kit this can also be provided. All spare kit is clean when handed to students at the school and is washed by PE staff after it is used.

Medical absence from PE/Dance

Students are expected to bring PE/Dance kit to every lesson. If a student is unfit to participate in a PE/Dance lesson, they are still expected to bring and change into PE/Dance kit. However, a note from their parent/carer will allow them to participate in an appropriate role, such as; coach, scorer, umpire/referee, choreographer or peer evaluator. Students failing to bring a note will be expected to participate fully in a lesson. The only occasions on which students will be excused participation in lessons are situations where movement is heavily restricted such as a student in plaster with a broken limb. In this instance students will usually remain inside with a PE related task, although they should bring some warm clothing as they may be required to be outside for the lesson.

If a student is injured and cannot participate for longer than three weeks they should seek medical advice and bring in a note from that medical professional. For serious long term injuries parents are expected to seek medical advice before returning to practical physical education activities at school. Any student who is excused from physical education for medical reasons should not be participating in physical activities during break or lunchtime as this could prolong, or make the injury worse.



Students' medical notes will be retained, scanned and attached to the student's register notes. Physical notes will all be disposed of securely once this has been done.

Valuables

While every effort is made to ensure that all students' valuables and belongings will remain safe and secure during Physical Education lessons, students are reminded that the PE and Performing Arts Department and school will not be held responsible for items lost or stolen. Valuables (such as phones or wallets) should be kept in lockers where they should be locked securely during PE/Dance lessons. Changing rooms will be locked during lessons and throughout the course of the day. They may be unlocked during breaktimes or at part of lunchtimes when clubs are on and no bags or valuables should be left in these areas during this time.