

Horndean Technology College – Uniform Guidelines

Trousers	<p>Plain black, full length, with waistband, zip and fastening. No cropped, ankle grazer or $\frac{3}{4}$ length trousers, cords, chinos, jeans or leggings. Avoid trousers named skinny fit - slim fit or regular fit are acceptable.</p> <p><i>Please note that other than from Skoolkit, trousers sold in 'schoolwear' sections of other shops do not necessarily meet these requirements). Trousers must conceal underwear. Belts should be small, plain and black. Skirts are not part of our uniform.</i></p> <p>For examples of appropriate trousers, please see Appendix 1.</p>
Shirt	White shirt, long or short sleeved, no button down collars or open necks — top button done up, tucked in at the waist. Various sizes available from Skoolkit but any supplier is acceptable.
Jumper	Dark grey with V neck to be worn in the Autumn and Spring Terms. Either full or no sleeves acceptable; available from Skoolkit – various sizes available.
Blazer	Navy with College logo. Both male and female in various sizes available from Skoolkit. Blazers must be worn at all times, including under coats. A member of staff may allow removal within a lesson.
Tie	College tie, available from Skoolkit, must be worn at all times.
Socks	Plain white, grey or black.
Coat	<p>No hoodies, zip up sweatshirts, items with large logos/motifs or gilets. No biker or denim jackets.</p> <p>For examples of appropriate coats, please see Appendix 2.</p>
Hats	If required, hats and scarves are only to be worn on the way to and from College.
Shoes	<p>Shoes must be plain black leather or faux leather, with no coloured, metal logos or emblems. No boots, canvas, or fabric trainers. No open-toe, sling-back or backless shoes. Shoes must have hard uppers, not be made from canvas material. Heels should be no more than 4cm high. If a student is not wearing shoes for medical reasons a medical note from a Doctor is required.</p> <p>For examples of appropriate shoes, please see Appendix 3.</p>
Physical Education kit	Polo shirt - royal blue with College logo and various sizes available from Skoolkit. Navy blue hooded sweatshirt with College logo and various sizes available from Skoolkit. Shorts, leggings or tracksuit bottoms must be navy blue or black. Trainers – preferably non-marking soles. Footwear for 3G sports pitch, please see Appendix 4 .
Jewellery	A maximum of one small, plain stud in each earlobe. Any other piercings are inappropriate for College and are unacceptable; confiscation or removal will be required. Do not attend College at any time with freshly pierced body parts that undermine these expectations. No other jewellery is permitted other than a watch.
Hair Colour/ Style	The following are not appropriate for College: Excessive styling, close shaven, bright, non-natural hair colours or highlights, patterns shaved into hair and beaded dreadlocks/braids. Shorter shaved cuts need to be blended and graded-in so that there is no significant difference in hair length and no parting or feature lines should be shaved in. Hair bands or clips must be of a neutral colour; no patterns, features or decoration and not of an excessive size. Hair accessories e.g. flowers and bows are not appropriate.
Make-up/ Nails	Excessive make-up is not considered appropriate whilst at College and the wearing of fake tan, false eyelashes, nail varnish or fake nails is not permitted. Students will be asked to remove anything considered inappropriate.



Appendix 1 - Trousers

Trousers are plain black, with a waistband, zip and fastening.



They should not be made of jean, chino or legging material.

Trousers should not be cropped or ankle grazer styles. They must be full length to cover the ankle.

Unacceptable Trousers

Some trousers sold in 'schoolwear' sections of some retailers would not meet these requirements.



Sold at Next but made from jean material.



Sold at Asda. 'Skinny Leg Black Pull on School Trousers'. No waistband/fastening and legging material.



Sold at New Look but cropped length.

Appendix 2 - Coats

Coats should be warm and shower/waterproof recommended. Students must wear their blazer under the coat.

No hoodies, tech fleeces, zip up sweatshirts, items with large logos/motifs or gilets. No biker or denim jackets.

Acceptable coats



Unacceptable coats



Appendix 3 - Shoes

Shoes must be black. No boots, trainers or trainer like shoes. No open-toe, sling-back or backless shoes. Shoes must have hard uppers, not be made from canvas material. Heels should be no more than 4cm high.

If a student is not wearing shoes for medical reasons a medical note from a Doctor is required.

Acceptable shoes



Unacceptable shoes



- No canvas upper
- No boots
- No logos/emoles
- No embellishments

Appendix 4 – Footwear required for PE lessons

We have a fantastic 3G sports pitch. All students will be using the facility as part of the curriculum and therefore will require the appropriate footwear to be worn when playing on it. We have been instructed to inform you that trainers are not allowed to be worn on this facility. This is a direct instruction from the Local Authority and the builders of the pitch because that type of footwear will damage the artificial pitch and shorten its life.

We want this excellent facility to remain undamaged and will need to enforce rules regarding footwear without compromise. Please read the notes below carefully to ensure you purchase the correct footwear for your child. Students do not need expensive branded footwear. You can find reasonably priced footwear on this website - <https://www.sportsdirect.com/football>. An astro trainer could be worn for both indoor lessons and outdoor lessons on the 3G sports pitch.

Any of the following **ARE SUITABLE** for the 3G pitch; moulded plastic studs or astro trainer.



The following items **ARE NOT SUITABLE** for the 3G pitch; metal studded boots, blades or flat soled shoes (which includes trainers) and should **not** be worn.



The correct footwear will need to be brought to all PE lessons.