

# SOUTH DARTMOOR COMMUNITY COLLEGE

## UNIFORM AND EQUIPMENT AGREEMENT 2021/2022



### Equipment expectations

Required equipment:

- School bag (large enough to hold an A4 folder)
- Pen (black or blue)
- Pencil
- Green pen (for responding to feedback)
- Ruler
- Rubber
- Calculator (for Mathematics and Science)
- Clear pencil case

**Tutors** will be checking equipment each morning to support students being ready to learn.

### Student uniform agreement

The uniform at South Dartmoor is a symbol of your aspiration to excellence and high achievement. Your appearance is a measure of your self-discipline. It reflects your pride and commitment to being a member of the College, and is a visible sign of your readiness to learn. We expect you to wear your uniform correctly and smartly at all times, including when you are travelling to and from College.

### College issued blazer

The College blazer is to be worn at all times:

- moving about the site between lessons.
- in assembly.
- in lessons, unless permitted by class teacher to be removed upon request.
- when arriving at and leaving the canteen at lunch and break time.



**White shirt** with collar and sleeves that buttons up to the collar and is of sufficient length to stay tucked in.



**College tie** to be worn at all times.



### Trousers

FORMAL, pressed full length, plain black trousers for boys and girls (not clinging nor made from stretch fabric). Any form of denim is also not acceptable. Trousers must cover the socks.

- Smart tailored, hemmed shorts are acceptable.

## Skirts

College issued skirt with logo.

- Black pleated and knee length, no shorter than the top of the knee and no lower than the bottom of the knee.



## Footwear

- Plain, black shoes should be worn. Leather ankle boots (flat soled) are acceptable.
- Plain black, grey or white socks only.

## Coats and jackets

- Waterproof/windproof outdoor coat big enough to wear over the blazer. No hoody style jackets.

## Makeup, hair and jewellery

The only permitted jewellery is a watch, a small single stud per ear and a plain signet ring.

Uniform is formal and as such students **must not wear or appear to have:**

- Extreme or excessive makeup, false eyelashes.
- Nail varnish, false nails, acrylic and gel nail tips and extensions.
- Necklaces, bracelets, anklets, charity bands.
- Facial studs, tongue piercings, body piercings and exaggerated, decorative flesh tubes (including clear tubes, studs and retainers).
- Extreme hair colour, style or cut. Length of hair to be no shorter than grade 2. Exceptions will be made for students who have exceptional circumstances due to medical reasons.
- Large hair accessories.
- Visible Henna, including 'black henna' or 'neutral henna' tattoos.

## Incorrect uniform

Parents will be contacted if their son/daughter does not adhere to the above expectations and will be asked to **visit the College to bring in the correct uniform** for their child. Students will be placed within our bridging room until the uniform issue is resolved.

## Excessive jewellery

If students are seen wearing excessive jewellery, the items will be confiscated. Students will need to make their own arrangements for parents to collect the confiscated items from the College.