

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.

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 and uniform each morning to support students being ready to learn.

College issued blazer

White shirt with collar and sleeves. The shirt should button up to the collar and be of sufficient length to stay tucked in.

College issued tie.



Trousers

FORMAL, pressed full length, plain black trousers (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.

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. Dr. Marten boots can only be worn with trousers.
- Plain black, grey or white socks only. White socks on black tights will **be permitted**.
- Black tights can be worn. No leggings.



Acceptable footwear



Unacceptable footwear



Coats and jackets

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

Makeup, hair and jewellery

The only permitted jewellery is a watch, a small single stud per ear (lower ear only) and a plain signet ring. If a pupil **has a new** nose piercing, they can wear a small **transparent**

retainer stud whilst they are in school. Ear stretchers, hoops, spikes and hanging piercings are not permitted for health and safety reasons. Where pupils are wearing permitted studs, they must be removed for PE, sports, and physical activity.

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.
- 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.

Ordering uniform

College issued uniform items (blazer, skirt, tie and PE kit) for South Dartmoor Community College must be ordered directly from our uniform supplier, **SWI**.

Orders may be placed directly via their website at: <https://www.swischoolwear.co.uk/> or via the telephone on 01928 752610.

To purchase uniform from their website you will need to create an account which then will give you access to the online shop.

All queries regarding sizing are available on their website and any issues regarding placing an order, ranging from technical help with the website to tracking orders, should go direct to SWI.

We are able, in conjunction with SWI, to offer a free delivery service to SDCC for items you order. As items arrive, they will be available for students to collect from the library after school each day.