Queen's Uniform Regulations

These uniform regulations apply to Classes 3, 2 and 1 (Years 7, 8 and 9). Older pupils have a dress code which is set out in a separate document. Pupils are expected to identify themselves with the College and its ethos by wearing their uniforms neatly and without adaptations. If a pupil does not wear appropriate school uniform or PE kit, they may be required to change into uniform provided by the Front Office.

Uniform

All items of clothing must be bought online from <u>www.stevensons.co.uk</u>. Where indicated below, other items may be bought from other suppliers. Everything should be named, and a free name-taping service is available through Stevensons.

Compulsory uniform items

- Teal round-neck sweater
- White ³/₄ sleeve blouses
- Navy four-pleat skirt or navy trousers. Skirts must be worn to the knee, and trouser hems must not touch the ground
- Navy opaque tights
- Navy ankle socks (for wear with trousers or with skirts in warmer weather)
- Queen's College school bag or Queen's College backpack or an alternative plain, dark backpack sourced elsewhere with no or minimal visible branding

Outerwear

Coats should be plain and dark blue or black in colour, with no visible brand names or insignia. We recommend one of the three regulation coats listed here, which are available only from <u>www.stevensons.co.uk</u>.

- Queen's College navy overcoat
- Queen's College storm proof jacket
- Queen's College navy quilted jacket (showerproof)

Sportswear

All pupils must wear Queen's College PE kit for PE and Dance lessons. All items must be bought online from <u>www.stevensons.co.uk</u>.

Compulsory items of kit

- QCL PE Training Tee
- QCL Navy Leggings and/or Training Pants
- QCL Midlayer and/or Crew Neck
- QCL Skort and/or Training Shorts
- House T-Shirt (Please wait to order until your daughter's House has been allocated this will be confirmed on the 17th June)
- QCL Sportsbag / Holdall

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• For sport, a supportive pair of <u>lace up</u>, <u>running trainers</u> is required. Fashion trainers and plimsolls, such as Converse and Nike Air Forces, are not suitable.

Footwear

• For school, pupils should wear flat, black shoes in a traditional 'school shoe' style. Heels, platforms, boots, trainers, suede, canvas, patent, sandals and visible brand names are not permitted.

Jewellery

The following jewellery items are permitted:

- Simple chain necklace with a small pendant
- A single piercing in each ear lobe with a small simple stud
- Simple watch
- Religious jewellery (a note from parents will be required)
- Medical jewellery (a note from parents will be required)

The following jewellery items are <u>not</u> permitted:

- Rings
- Bracelets (unless medical or religious, a note from parents will be required)
- More than one earring in each lobe
- Piercings of any other kind
- Large colourful studs, hoops or dangly earrings
- Multiple necklaces or large pendants
- Wristbands, chokers or anklets
- Make-up
- Coloured nail varnish or gel nails

Hair & Hair Accessories

- Long hair (shoulder length or below) must be tied up fully
- Any hair accessories must be plain and dark in colour (e.g. navy blue, black or hair colour)
- No unnatural-looking hair colouring is permitted
- Any pupil who wishes to cover her head for religious reasons should use a plain, dark headscarf

Second Hand Uniform

The Queen's College Parents' Association (QCPA) organises regular Second Hand Uniform sales at the College. The next one is scheduled for the afternoon of Monday 17th June 2024, during the C3 Induction event.

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Year 10 and 11 (Junior College) Uniform

General

- Pupils are expected to identify themselves with the College and its ethos by adhering to these guidelines and adopting a professional look for the school day.
- ID cards must be worn on lanyards and visible at all times in the College.
- Jewellery: pupils may wear discreet jewellery of their choice. Piercings are only allowed in the ears.
- Make-up should be discrete; no heavy eye make-up or lipstick.
- Nail polish can be worn; False nails must not be inappropriately long.
- Hair should be a natural colour.
- Extremes of fashion should be avoided (for instance, very tight or very baggy clothing, fluorescent or clashing colours, leather etc).
- There may be occasions (e.g. open days, Carol Service) when pupils are asked to adopt a more formal look than they do on ordinary days.
- Pupils should be willing to accept the judgement of College staff as to what is acceptable where there is no specific ruling. This means that anything that a member of staff considers to be tracksuit bottoms are tracksuit bottoms. This is non-negotiable and pupils need to accept the member of staff's interpretation without question. If a pupil wears inappropriate trousers, shorts or skirts (in the opinion of a member of staff) they will be asked to get changed immediately. A supply of clean, smart black trousers will be available in the front office. The pupil will wear these trousers for the rest of the day and must return them to the front office washed, or they will be required to pay for them.
- If a considerable number of pupils break the rules, then the Head of Section has the right to change the uniform policy for the whole year group and enforce a stricter code.

Schoolwear

Dress for a normal school day comprises:

- The regulation white blouse and Junior College navy v-neck jumper (these two items are available only from <u>www.stevensons.co.uk</u>).
- Skirt, shorts or trousers of the pupil's choice. These must be tidy and suitable for school (so no maxi or mini-skirts, dungarees, track trousers or leggings). No clothing should be ripped or dirty.

Footwear

- Pupils should wear flat shoes or flat ankle boots (no open toes or heels, no biker or Ugg boots).
- For sport, a supportive pair of lace up running trainers is required. Fashion trainers and plimsolls, such as Converse and Nike Air Forces, are not suitable.

Sportswear

Junior College pupils wear the same sportswear as younger pupils. Please see the sportswear list above.

Senior College Dress Code

General

Sixth formers should be mindful of the fact that they are in a school environment and should dress accordingly. Our new Sixth Form Dress Code is "Dress for your day".

While there are no specific requirements or restrictions in terms of items of clothing, the following guidelines should be noted:

- A student's midriff should not be on show
- Shorts or skirts should not be overly short in length
- Heels should be reasonable and not too high
- Tops should not be overly low-cut or revealing

Please also think carefully about dress on Wednesdays and appropriate attire for out of school placements. If in doubt speak directly to your placement co-ordinator or to Ms Thonemann.

Sportswear

All pupils must wear Queen's College PE kit for Games lessons. All items must be bought online from <u>www.stevensons.co.uk</u>.

Pupils should wear items from the list below:

- QCL PE Training Tee
- QCL Navy Leggings and/or Training Pants
- QCL Midlayer and/or Crew Neck
- QCL Skort and/or Training Shorts
- For sport, a supportive pair of <u>lace up</u>, <u>running trainers</u> is required. Fashion trainers and plimsolls, such as Converse and Nike Air Forces, are not suitable.

It is optional for pupils to purchase the House T-shirt.