

## School Uniform – KS3

	<b>ACCEPTABLE</b>	<b>UNACCEPTABLE:</b> To be amended by student or parent immediately
Pullover*	Tomlinscote black pullover with the school crest.	Ill-fitting pullovers. Badly torn and frayed pullovers.
Shirt Polo shirt*	A traditional white shirt with either long or short sleeves. <b>Summer term only</b> - A gold polo shirt with the school crest.	Collarless shirts. Any colour other than white. A shirt that doesn't have a top button. <b>Summer term only</b> - Any ill-fitting gold polo shirt. Any gold polo shirt that does not have the embroidered school crest.
Tie*	The Tomlinscote school tie:- Gold with black stripes [Years 7, 8 & 9] Black with gold stripes [Years 10 & 11] Ties must be tied to the correct length.	School ties that have been coloured or threads removed. Any other type of tie.
Skirt*	The Tomlinscote kilt.	Any other skirt.
Trousers	Plain black, with a waistband and centre front zip. Straight leg.	Any colour other than black. Hipsters, turn-ups, splits, flares, embroidery, jeans, combat styles. Trousers that are made of a knitted stretch material. Trousers that are too tight or too baggy. Torn or frayed trousers.
Belts	Plain black with a plain buckle.	Fashion belts. Any colour other than black.
Socks* and tights	Yellow socks* with the Tomlinscote kilt. Black socks with trousers. Plain black opaque tights for Years 7-9 from September until Easter. Plain black opaque tights for Years 10-11 all year.	Socks - any colour other than yellow with a skirt. Socks - any colour other than black with trousers. Tights - any colour other than black opaque.
Footwear	Traditional black shoes. Inside heel (instep) height <u>below 1¼ inches / 32mm</u>	Any colour other than black. Boots, trainers, stilettos, kitten heels, casual, canvas, platform soles, sling backs, backless, beads, sequins, diamantés, bows, wedges, espadrilles, any colour other than black laces, Doc Martens, flip-flops, clogs, or peep-toes.
Coats	<u>A plain colour</u> suitable for school.	Hooded sweatshirt/jogging top type garments. Offensive logos. Studs. No demin or leather jackets.
Hats	None	All types of hat.
Hair	Hair should be of <u>one natural colour</u> . It should be clean, neat and tidy. Long hair must be tied back in practical lessons. Plain colour hair accessories to suit the school uniform. Short hair must be a minimum grade 2. Hair must be blended in on all sides.	Extreme hairstyles - for example overly spiked or sculptured hair. Shaved areas or razor lines. Obvious steps. Beads, braiding or cornrow plaits. Hair must not obscure the face. No fashion accessories. No scarves. No hair extensions. No shaved eyebrows.
Make-up	<u>Discreet</u> foundation or concealer.	Eye make-up, lipstick/lip gloss, nail varnish or false nails/gels etc.
Jewellery	A watch. Girls may wear one pair of plain studs in the ear lobe only.	Rings, bracelets, chains or piercings, badges or brooches of any type.
Bags	Bags/Rucksacks/Satchels must be able to hold at least two A4 folders, a planner, textbooks and a pencil case.	Handbags, fashion bags, plastic carrier bags.

\*Available at Brenda's Schoolwear – please see their website ([www.brendas.co.uk](http://www.brendas.co.uk)) for sizes and prices.  
The Head of School is the final arbiter on the suitability of uniform and appearance.

**If in doubt ASK**