

## St Augustine's RC High School—School Dress Code

With the continued support of parents and carers our pupils continue to maintain a high standard of uniform. We want our pupils to take a pride in their appearance and by following the Dress Code, develop a strong sense of identity with the school. We believe our Dress Code contributes to a positive inclusive school ethos and reduces peer pressure to wear expensive designer clothing. It is also important for health and safety reasons that we are able to identify our pupils within the school and local community.

The following points should clarify queries, particularly in relation to acceptable footwear, tops and leggings:-

School tie <u>must</u> be worn			
A white school shirt <u>must</u> be worn			
A black v neck jumper or black v neck Cardigan		<b>Not acceptable:</b> Hoodies/round neck jumpers/cardigans Fashion logos eg Hollister, Jack Wills etc	
Smart black full length school trousers		<b>Not acceptable:</b> Jeans, joggers, leggings, jeggings, combats, three quarter length or cropped trousers	 
Black skirt of an <u>appropriate length</u>		<b>Not acceptable:</b> Short/tube skirts unsuitable for active learning in classrooms	
Black full length leggings can <u>only</u> be worn with a skirt		<b>Not acceptable:</b> Leggings on their own	
Outdoor coats/jackets must be removed in the school building			
Blue school blazer with school badge (for years S5 & S6)			
<b>Plain black shoes</b> <u>must</u> be worn. Plimsolls, trainers or leather shoes can be worn if <b>fully black</b>		<b>NOT ACCEPTABLE:</b> Coloured trainers/plimsolls Black shoes with white rims/logos/stripes	
   		     	