



'ALIS VOLAT PROPRIIS'

SEATON HOUSE SCHOOL

UNIFORM POLICY

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Reviewed by: SLT & Chair of Governors

UNIFORM POLICY

This policy applies to the whole school.

Introduction

It is our policy that all children should wear school uniform when attending Seaton House, or when participating in a school-organised event outside normal school hours. The detailed list is provided in Appendix 1. The policy will be provided to all new Parents before their child joins the school.

Aims and objectives

Our policy is based on the notion that a school uniform:

- *promotes a sense of pride in the school;
- *engenders a feeling of community and belonging;
- * is practical and smart;
- *identifies the children with the school;
- * is not distracting in class (as fashion clothes might be);
- * makes children feel equal to their peers in terms of appearance;
- * is regarded as suitable, and good value for money, by most parents;

Parents should clearly name all uniform, PE kits and personal belongings before they are brought into school. Please ensure that naming is PERMANENT – ‘biro’ washes out very quickly!

Jewellery

On health and safety grounds, we do not allow children to wear jewellery in our school.

The exceptions to this rule are:

- i) Small watches or ‘fitbits’ in KS2 (from FIII). We do not allow brightly coloured or very large watches and only girls who are able to use their watch, should wear one. All watches and ‘fitbits’ should be named. We ask the children to remove these objects during PE and games.
- ii) Small plain gold or silver stud earrings. Earrings must be removed for all Games/ PE lessons. If pupils cannot remove earrings themselves, then they should not wear them on PE days.

Make-Up

Make-up is not allowed; this includes Nail Polish. Girls may not wear false nails.

Hair

The school does not permit children to have haircuts that could serve as a distraction to other children. Long hair must be tied back and fringes should allow children to work without distraction or irritation.

Hair must retain its natural colour. Hair styles should be neat, tidy and worn off the face. All hair at or beyond shoulder length should be tied back.

Hair Braiding is allowed ONLY if the braids are secured by hair bands which are either black, brown or maroon. Hair braiding secured by beads is NOT allowed.

Hair Ribbons/Hair Bands/Scrunchies should be navy, Burgundy or of fabric matching the summer dress. No glitter or sparkles please.

Hair Slides should be neutral coloured, preferably brown or silver.

Footwear

We believe that it is dangerous for children to wear slip on shoes or high heels in school, so we do not allow this. Neither do we allow children to wear trainers to school; these are appropriate for sport, but are not in keeping with the smart appearance of a school uniform.

Shoes must be black and may be purchased from any good shoe shop. Heels should be no higher than 2.5 cms. Slip-on, open-toed and/or sling-back styles are not permitted. Shoes must be secured by a strap or laces. If your daughter has laced shoes, please ensure that she can securely tie the laces unaided.

The role of Parents /Governors.

We ask all parents who send their daughters to Seaton House to support the school uniform policy. We believe that parents have a duty to send their children to school correctly dressed and ready for their daily schoolwork. Parents should ensure that their daughter has the correct uniform, and that it is clean and labelled with the child's name. Winter and Summer uniforms should not be mixed and matched.

If there are serious reasons, e.g. allergy or disability, why parents want their child to wear clothes that differ from the school uniform, the school will look sympathetically at such requests. The school will not treat pupils with disabilities unfavourably.

Uniform can be purchased from the school's uniform supplier (see Appendix 1) or alternatively some stock of second hand uniform is available through the Parents of Seaton House (POSH) contact details can be obtained from the school office.

Governors ensure that the school uniform policy helps children to dress sensibly, in clothing that is hardwearing, safe and practical.

Where pupils are bringing in packed lunch, please make sure the lunchbox or bag will fit into the school rucksack. Please name all lunchboxes.

REVIEW

This policy will be reviewed every two years.

Reviewed May 2021

Judith Evans

Chair of Governors

Appendix 1

Detailed Uniform List

The School Uniform Suppliers are:

AlleyCatz Co Ltd,
34 Molesey Road,
Hersham, Surrey
KT12 4RQ

Tel: 01932 223075

For online ordering and home delivery, their web address is

<http://www.alley-catz.co.uk/shop/schools/seaton-house-school>

Items marked 'A' in the list are obtainable from AlleyCatz, and all other items can be purchased from suppliers of the parents' choice.

NURSERY

Winter Uniform:

Seaton House Navy blue jogging bottoms – **A**

Seaton House PE sweatshirt – **A**

Seaton House Maroon polo shirt – **A**

Seaton House Stormdri Navy coat – **A**

Summer Uniform:

Plain Navy shorts

Seaton House Maroon polo shirt – **A**

Seaton House Summer Cap – **A**

Wet weather: Seaton House waterproof jacket – **A** – Essential

Waterproof trousers – **A** - Essential

PAINTING APRON or OVERALL

All Nursery children will need a painting apron or overall. – **A**

SHOES

Nursery children should wear sensible footwear such as Trainers. These should be plain in colour and must be Velcro fastening. For some activities the children may need to remove their shoes and socks therefore it is essential that they can remove and replace shoes unaided.

WELLINGTONS

Each child should have a pair of named Wellington boots to be kept in the Nursery.

CHANGE OF CLOTHING

Children should have a change of clothing including underwear in school at all times.

BAG

Each child will need a Seaton House Small Rucksack – **A**

MAIN SCHOOL

RECEPTION

WINTER (AND 1ST HALF TERM OF SUMMER TERM)	SUMMER (AND 1ST HALF TERM OF THE AUTUMN TERM)
Navy pinafore – A	School Summer Dress – A
Blouse – White with rever collar (NOT a ‘shirt style collar’)	Navy Cardigan with Logo – A
Maroon V-neck Jumper with SHS Logo – A	Blazer – A
Seaton House Stormdri navy coat – A	White ankle length socks
Blazer - A	Sun caps with school logo – A
Socks – navy knee length	
Tights – thick, NAVY only	
Navy woolly hat – A	
Navy gloves	
School Scarf (optional) – A	

Earmuffs are not permitted

P.E. KIT	OTHER ITEMS
Maroon Tracksuit Top – A	School Junior Maroon Rucksack – A
Maroon Tracksuit bottoms – A	Maroon Bookbag - A
Seaton House Shorts – A	Navy Art Smock -A
Seaton House Games shirt – A	
School Navy waterproof trousers – A	
School navy waterproof jacket – A	
Games Shoes – White Velcro trainers	
A pair of white ankle socks	

JUNIORS

FORM I and FORM II

WINTER (AND 1ST HALF TERM OF SUMMER TERM)	SUMMER (AND 1ST HALF TERM OF THE AUTUMN TERM)
Navy pinafore – A	School Summer Dress – A
Blouse – White with rever collar (NOT a ‘shirt style collar’)	Navy Cardigan with Logo – A
Maroon V-neck Jumper with SHS Logo – A	Blazer – A
Blazer - A	White ankle length socks
Seaton House Stormdri navy coat – A	Sun caps with school logo – A
Socks – navy knee length	
Tights – thick, NAVY only	
Navy woolly hat – A	
Navy gloves	
School Scarf (optional) – A	

Earmuffs are not permitted

P. E. KIT	OTHER ITEMS
Maroon Tracksuit top – A	School Junior Maroon Rucksack – A
Maroon Tracksuit bottoms – A	Maroon Bookbag - A
Maroon Seaton House Shorts or Seaton House Skort– A	Navy Art Smock -A
Games shirt – A	
Navy waterproof trousers – A	
School navy waterproof jacket – A	
Games Shoes – White Velcro trainers	
A pair of white ankle socks	
Navy Swimsuit	
Navy Waterproof Swimming Bag - A	
Swim Cap in House Colour (Lancaster – Red. Tudor – Blue. York –White)	

SENIORS – FORMS III, IV, V and VI

WINTER	SUMMER (AND 1ST HALF TERM OF THE AUTUMN TERM)
Navy Kilt (Form III upwards) – A	School Summer Dress – A
Blouse – White with rever collar (NOT a ‘shirt style collar’)	Navy Cardigan with Logo – A
Maroon V-neck Jumper with SHS Logo – A	Blazer – A
Form VI ONLY: Maroon Cardigan with Logo- to be worn with both winter and summer uniform. A	White ankle length socks
Blazer - A	Sun caps with school logo – A
Seaton House Stormdri navy coat – A	
Socks – navy knee length	
Tights – thick, NAVY only	
Navy woolly hat – A	
Navy Duffle coat (optional) – A	
Navy gloves	
School Scarf (optional) – A	

Earmuffs are not permitted

P.E. KIT	OTHER ITEMS
Maroon Tracksuit top – A	School Senior Maroon Rucksack – A
Maroon Tracksuit bottoms – A	Navy Art / Science Overall – A (please attach a strong loop)
Maroon Skort – A	School navy waterproof jacket – A
Games shirt – A	Navy waterproof trousers – A
White long sleeved base layer top - A	Gum Shield – Essential
Maroon Holdall P.E. (Kit) Bag – A	Shin Pads – Essential
Games Shoes – White Trainers	
Short White Games Socks (not trainer socks)	
Long Maroon hockey/football socks – A	

Navy Swimsuit	
Swim Cap in House Colour (Lancaster – Red. Tudor – Blue. York –White)	
Navy leotard – A	
Navy gym shorts (optional) – A	
Navy Waterproof Swimming Bag - A	