

Uniform

When our students wear our uniform, they serve as ambassadors to the school community they are a part of. They rightly wear their uniform with pride, acting as a visual reminder of the high standards of behaviour, commitment, and personal discipline they embody. The information outlined below will help parents/carers and students to make choices that help maintain the high standards we are rightly proud of.

General information: All clothing and footwear should be plain and free of logos, stripes, or patterns, except those that are allowed by school regulations, or form a part of the uniform.

Jewellery: Students may wear one pair of gold or silver studs or sleepers in the ear lobe only. No other piercings are permitted. If a student arrives at school with a piercing that is not allowed, they will be expected to remove it. Rings, bracelets, necklaces, and other jewellery items are not allowed.

Failure to remove this jewellery will result in working away from classes until the item is removed.

Make up: Make up and nail varnish/ coloured nails are not permitted in Years 7-11. Make up remover is available in school reception and students will be sent by form tutors or other staff members to remove it. We do not allow acrylic/gel nails or false eyelashes. If in cases that they are applied and require professional removal, we will expect an appointment to be made at the earliest opportunity to remove them.

Students who fail to remove these in an agreed timeframe will work away from their classes until the nails or lashes are removed.

Coats: Students should wear a suitable dark plain coat; any logos should be small and discreet. We encourage students to apply reflective bands for when walking to and from school in Winter. Leather and denim coats are not permitted.

Blazers: Blazers are compulsory for all students, if the official Urmston Grammar blazer is not worn, it should be navy blue with a school badge attached.

Skirts: Skirts should be plain, dark grey and should be mid-thigh length. It should have pressed box or knife pleats, or an inverted front pleat. Short skirts, split skirts or straight skirts are not permitted.

Trousers: Trousers must be mid to dark grey and should be regular fit. Slim or skinny fit trousers are not permitted.

Blouses: Blouses should be white regulation school blouses, they may be long or short sleeved. In the summer term only, open necked summer blouses without a tie may be worn.

Shirts: Shirts should be white; they may be long or short sleeved.

Jumpers and Cardigans: Jumpers should be plain navy (Fine knit) with a V-neck or crew neck. They are not to be worn instead of a blazer, but underneath. Cardigans must be purchased from our approved suppliers. They are not to be worn instead of a blazer, but underneath.

School tie: Available from our approved suppliers.

Socks and tights: Socks may be white, navy, grey or black. Socks should not visibly go above the knee. Tights should be navy or black with a plain design.

Shoes: Shoes should be black, leather or leather effect. Boots and trainer style shoes are not permitted. If shoes have a logo, it should be completely black. A maximum heel of 2" is permitted. For clarity see pictures below for leather-look shoes that are permitted and ones that are not because they are trainers.

Permitted	Not Permitted
	
	
	
	
	

Information for cyclists: For students who cycle to and from school, we expect them to wear a helmet. In the winter we also expect them to use reflective bands.

Science practical overalls: For Years 7-9 students wear a Navy-blue wraparound lab coat. For Years 10-11 students wear a white, front buttoning lab coat. These are available to borrow during lessons, but students may wish to purchase their own.

Food technology aprons: Aprons should be blue and white striped.

General points

- All clothing should be clearly marked with the owner's name.
- Hair adornments should be plain and blue or black
- Any dyed hair should be of a natural colour

PE Kit

All of the following is compulsory PE kit.

- All PE Kit must be obtained from our school suppliers

Compulsory PE kit

All students must have the following PE Kit

- Polo shirt
- Fleece
- Games jersey
- Long blue socks
- White ankle socks

Students may choose from the following PE kit

- Football shorts
- Training pants
- Skort

There is also an option to have:

- Plain black sports leggings (Non branded)
- Logo PE bag

All students will require non marking trainers for use both indoors and on the Astro turf. Please note that Nike Air Force ones are not suitable for use in PE lessons.

Football boots are required for football, rugby or if taking part in a school match or training practice on the field.

Students will be informed in good time when these will be needed within the school year and there is no need to purchase them for the start of the

Uniform items

Urmston Grammar School uniform is available at the following stockists:

- Monkhouse Schoolwear, The old Post Office, Stretford Mall - (<https://www.monkhouse.com/>) (0161 865 3142)
- Little Angels – 490 Wilbraham Road (0161 881 3895)