



Uniform– Key Stage 3 (Years 7-9)

Uniform is an important part of belonging to JRCS and we have high expectations of all our students. Our uniform promotes a positive image and supports the ethos of the school whilst reflecting the practical needs of the students. Students should remember that correct uniform must be worn to and from school as well as whilst in school. For opening times of the uniform shop sited in the Castle Green foyer, please call 020 8724 1500 / 07530 262507.

In the rare event that a student is unable wear correct uniform, parents/carers **must** complete the appropriate section of the 'Permissions' page at the front of this planner. If this procedure is not followed, then we regret we will **confiscate** incorrect items, whatever the weather. Confiscated items will be available for collection from the Office by students at the end of the school day. **All items of uniform must be clearly marked with students' names.**

Key Stage 3 uniform requirements

- Grey marl polo shirt with red JRCS logo
- **Plain** black tailored school trousers / **plain** black **pleated** school skirt. A range of these school skirts is available from the Castle Green uniform shop and we strongly advise that they are purchased from here. Skirt length should be close to the knee. The school will decide whether skirts are an appropriate length and students wearing skirts that are not the appropriate length may be placed in the LSU or sent home. Jean style trousers and leggings are not allowed.
- In the summer term and the first half of the Autumn term, students may wear **plain** black **knee length** tailored shorts or shorter trousers (no PE shorts).
- **Plain**, smart, black low-heeled shoes (or low-heeled boots **only if** worn with trousers). Trainers, Creative Recreations, Converse, Vans, Uggs, board style, deck style, canvas pumps, shoes with a white/coloured band around the sole or plimsolls are not acceptable and must not be worn either at school or to and from school. Shoes must be suitable for school wear with **laces or a strap**. Loafers are acceptable.
- Sweatshirt or blazer with red JRCS logo (these items are optional)
- Students may wear any coat, scarf or gloves on the way to and from school. These must not be worn inside the school building.
- Students who wish to wear a hijab should ensure it is **plain** black or navy blue.
- Girls' headbands must be single width, **plain** black, navy blue or grey.
- Belts should be **plain** black, single width, with no large buckles.
- Girls' socks must be **plain** black and below the knee. Tights must be **plain** black (not patterned).

School bags

We expect all students to have an appropriate school bag which will allow for A4 sized books to fit inside without the edges becoming damaged. Students **should not** use 'draw-string' PE bags for their school books and equipment.

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It is essential that all students are correctly equipped for their PE lessons, which will take place in all weathers. Students are expected to have their full PE kit for each lesson and will be issued with a level 1 detention if they fail to bring the correct kit. Students will be given an alternative kit to wear enabling them to participate in the lesson. Refusal to borrow this kit will lead to a two hour Senior Leadership Team (SLT) detention.

Students who forget their kit a second time in a half term will receive a 40 minute detention and more frequently than this will be referred to the Head of Department for subject report and a higher level detention.

Parents must inform the PE department in writing if a student is unable to participate in PE due to illness or injury. Students will be expected to change and participate in the lesson even if they are not performing practically. Parents should inform the HOD if students are unable to change due to medical conditions. Any student who is unable to participate in physical activity for longer than 2 weeks must bring medical certification outlining the nature of their injury/illness and clear guidelines as to how long the student will be out for.

PE Kit – Key Stage 3 (Years 7-9)

- Red T-shirt with white JRCS logo
- Red sweatshirt with white JRCS logo or red and black rugby shirt with JRCS logo
- JRCS rain jacket (optional)
- Black tracksuit bottoms with red JRCS logo or **plain** black shorts
- Trainers
- Football boots (optional for **boys and girls**)
- **Plain** black football socks and **plain** white cotton socks for trampolining
- Shin pads are required for football; a gum shield is recommended when playing rugby
- Hair band for long hair
- **Plain** long sleeve thermals and thermal bottoms (black, red or white) are permitted in colder weather
- Appropriate hats and gloves

Under no circumstances will students be allowed to wear hoodies or coats in PE lessons