

BISHOP THOMAS GRANT SCHOOL UNIFORM AND DRESS CODE

The School uniform is supplied by Hewitts of Croydon, 45-51 Church Street, Croydon CR9 1QQ,

Telephone number 020 8688 1830 or 020 8680 4555, where you can obtain the full uniform. Items marked

* must be purchased from Hewitts. All uniform must be clearly labelled with the owner's full name

*Blazers:	Official bottle green with badge and yellow braiding on collar lapel. The blazer must be worn to, in and from school every day. The jumper may be removed but <u>not</u> the blazer.
*Tie (clip on):	Official school clip on tie with house stripe only.
*Jumper:	Official bottle green with embroidered crest only.
*Skirt: (Girls)	Official kilt (style 116 in black) only, this must completely cover the knee . No cycle shorts to be worn underneath the skirt.
*Trousers - Boys:	Plain black. Trousers must fit correctly around the waist and not worn around hips. Styles that are baggy, skinny, shiny or jean types are not permitted.
Belts	Plain black belt with simple buckle and no logos.
*Shirt/Blouse:	Plain white traditional school shirt and to be tucked in at all times.
Socks:	Boys: Plain black only Girls: Plain knee-high white or black socks or plain black tights. No legwarmers, patterned tights or socks over tights.
Shoes:	Boys and Girls: All school shoes must be smart and <u>traditional in style</u> and in plain matt black only. This forbids any styles such as Trainers, boots, converse, canvas, ballet pumps, patent leather, velcro strips, casual trainer style, fancy, or coloured stitching or labels.
Jewellery:	Boys: One small ring and a plain wristwatch. No bracelets, chains or <u>earrings</u> . No piercings allowed. Girls: One small ring and a plain wristwatch. One pair of small earrings only such as gold or silver studs or small sleepers in <u>lower</u> lobe of the ears only. No other piercings are allowed.
*Hats/scarves:	Only the official school <u>bottle green</u> knitted ski hat permitted. The school hat must be worn flat to the head. The scarf should be school green only , with no patterns, sparkle or logos. No snoods allowed.
Gloves (optional)	Plain black or school green. No leather gloves.
*Bag	Boys and Girls: Plain black only such as school holdall or rucksack. No logos, added decoration, fashion bags or handbags styles are allowed.
Coats:	Plain black coat without logos, fur or wool trims, metal buttons, coloured lining or decorations of any kind. The coat must cover the blazer fully. No leather, denim, casual hoodie style or sports tops will be allowed.
Hair:	Hair must be neat and tidy at all times. No fashionable styles are allowed. All students must have their own natural colour hair. All hairstyles must be simple. Boys: Hair length must be a similar length all over the head, crown and sides. Hair length should be no longer than 2 inches (5cm). There should be no distinct difference in length of hair at the top or side of the head for fashionable styles. Students face <u>must</u> be clean shaven. Examples of styles that are prohibited are: Shaved lines in hair/scalp Shaved lines or patterns in eyebrows Shaved cuts less than a number 3. High or flat tops (even a hint of this style), longer hair on top of crown to the side of the head. Coloured Hair Plaits

	<p>Long fringes covering most of the eyes. Long hair styles. Gel or Cream additions. No facial hair such as moustaches, beards or sideburns. Faces should be clean shaven.</p> <p>Girls: All girls' hair should be very simple in style and natural in colour. Shoulder length hair must be tied back for health and safety reasons. Plain school green or black hair bands or ribbons only. Subtle hair extensions should be braided into natural hair, should not be longer than shoulder length and should be of the same colour as natural hair.</p> <p>Examples of styles that are prohibited are: Decorative or elaborate hair accessories/clips. No highlights, tinted or colours added to their natural hair colour. Bleached hair. Patterned, circular or diagonal patterned plaits to the hair. Small subtle buns only, no backcombed styles. Hair that covers eyes. Gel or Cream additions. Bulky hairstyles</p> <p>No excuses will be accepted such as it was a barber/hairdresser decision. It is clear that the customer asks for the style they want. Students will be sanctioned if they ignore these regulations.</p>
Make up and nails:	No make-up or nail varnish may be worn to school. Nail extensions are not permitted. Students will be asked to remove any nail varnish if worn to the school. Continuous breach of this rule will result in serious sanctions. False tan is not permitted under any circumstances.
PE/Sports kit:	
*Outdoor Zip Top	Plain black with gold trimming and Bishop Thomas Grant School logo
*Outdoor track bottoms	Plain black with gold trimming and Bishop Thomas Grant School logo
*Polo shirt	Black with house colours on the sleeve and collar, with crest
Socks x 2	Plain black ankle socks and plain football knee high socks
*Shorts (Boys)	Plain black "Sprint" range.
*Shorts (Girls)	Cycle shorts, plain black "Sprint" shorts or black netball skirt may be worn.
Footwear x 2	Suitable non studded sports trainers and suitable studded boots
Sports Bag	Black Sports Holdall with Bishop Thomas Grant School logo
*Rugby shirt (Boys)	Black with house colours on the sleeve and collar
*Valuables Bag	Small plain black bag to hold all valuables. No valuables will be taken by staff if they are not placed in a personally identified schools valuables bag. If valuables are not handed in at the start of the lesson then the school will take no responsibility for loss or damage.
*Drawstring Bag	Plain black drawstring bag
*Mouthguards	Boys only
<p>Items will be confiscated if they do not follow our School Uniform Code. If students are not in full uniform they will be sent home to change immediately. Parents are expected to support the school in this matter.</p> <p>* One inch I.D. label with bottle green background and yellow letters, to be attached on the outside of all garments and large sports bag, and on the inside of draw string and valuables bag (compulsory)</p>	