



## **Toynbee School Uniform – please see photographs which follow.**

- Plain white shirt (short sleeve in the summer if preferred)
- School tie – clip-on (available from the school)
- Black blazer (plain) - school badge to be purchased separately either from the school or the supplier
- Black Cardigan/v neck jumper (plain acrylic/cotton/wool – no design or logo)
- Black shoes (leather/vinyl) – no canvas pumps, trainers or boots (photos supplied on the school website)
- Suitable coat – no hoodies

### **Girls uniform**

- Black school pleated skirt or trousers (not leggings, jeans or jeggings – not tight material for skirts or trousers)
- Black or grey tights, woollen tights or ankle socks

### **Boys uniform**

- Black school trousers (not jeans or tight material)
- Black or grey socks

### **Where to obtain the uniform**

Uniform is available from Skoolkit.

### **Shirts:**

Shirts can be bought at a retail outlet of your choice (eg. Marks and Spencer, John Lewis, Asda and Tesco or alternatively from Skoolkit.

### **Ties:**

You will be able to buy the school tie from the school. Stock will be available in school during term time. Year 7-8 wear a red and grey striped tie and Years 9/10/11 wear a black and grey striped tie. Prefects and pupil leadership team will have a different colour and design.

### **Blazers:**

Blazers are to be plain black and can either be purchased at Skoolkit or at a retail outlet (eg. Marks and Spencer, John Lewis, Asda and Tesco). Jumpers and Cardigans are to be worn in addition to a blazer and coats should be worn over blazers.

### **Badges:**

If the blazer does not have the Toynbee embroidered badge, badges can be purchased in school. They will need to be hand sewn onto the blazer positioned at the left breast pocket.

### **Skirts:**

Pleated black girls skirts are available from Skoolkit or at a retail outlet (eg. Marks and Spencer, John Lewis, Asda and Tesco).

**No** other style of skirts should be worn and skirts should be knee level or no more than 2 inches above the knee.

### **Trousers:**

Trousers should be black and plain and are available from Skoolkit or at a retail outlet (eg. Marks and Spencer, John Lewis, Asda and Tesco).

**No** leggings, jeans, jeggings or tight material should be worn.

### **Jumpers/Cardigans:**

Black v-neck jumpers and cardigans are available from Skoolkit or at a retail outlet (eg. Marks and Spencer, John Lewis,, Asda and Tesco).

Shirts must be tucked in at all times and school blazers are to be worn throughout the year. **If classrooms or the weather conditions are exceptionally hot, the School Leadership team will notify pupils of any uniform 'allowances.'**

**Make-up is discouraged, and jewellery, false nails and coloured nail polish are not permitted in school. Girls and boys with pierced ears should, for reasons of safety, wear stud earrings, and only one in each ear. No visible body or facial piercings are allowed, this includes spikes and expanders. This is not an exclusive list.**

### **Extreme hairstyles must be avoided:**

- No extreme haircuts
- No cuts shorter than a grade 2
- No coloured hair, eg. natural colour only
- No tramlines, razor cuts, beading or non-natural coloured braiding

**Trainers should not be worn as normal footwear. Hoodies and coats or garments with slogans are not allowed. There should be no variation of this uniform and coats should not be worn in school.**

**This is not an exclusive list – final judgements will always rest with the Senior Leadership Team and the Guidance Managers of the school.**

A towel for use after taking a shower, and changes of underwear and socks, are essential. All games and PE kit should be taken home after use for washing. Pupils should be reminded to bring it to school on the appropriate days and should not wear their day clothes for PE. A gum-shield is recommended for hockey (boys and girls) and rugby (boys) but is not compulsory. In Year 11 both boys and girls are allowed to wear plain black tracksuit bottoms or dance trousers for their PE lesson, if they wish.

### **Girls' PE Wear:**

- Toynbee ZR20 polo shirt from the school's supplier or plain black T-shirt
- Toynbee R150 Reversible Rugby shirt from the school's supplier, or a plain black sweatshirt (no hoods)
- Black shorts
- Black or white trainers (no plimsolls)
- Long red socks or short plain white sports socks (depending on the activity)
- Football boots (metal studs are not allowed on the synthetic pitch) and shin guards

### **Boys' PE Wear:**

- Toynbee ZR20 polo shirt from the school's supplier or plain black T-shirt
- Toynbee R150 Reversible Rugby shirt with red band from the school's supplier, or a plain black sweatshirt (no hoods)
- Black shorts
- Black or white trainers (no plimsolls)
- Long red socks or short plain white sports socks (depending on the activity)
- Football boots (metal studs are not allowed on the synthetic pitch) and shin guards
- (Boxer shorts must not be worn during PE lessons; tighter fitting underpants should be worn)

Examples for your information

Boys shoe styles - acceptable



Girls shoe styles - acceptable



Shoes that are NOT acceptable



Acceptable skirts



Unacceptable Skirts



Acceptable boy's trousers



Unacceptable boy's trouser



Acceptable girl's trousers



Unacceptable girl's trousers



(Final decisions about uniform acceptability rest within the school)