

School Uniform

School uniform can be purchased from the school shop. Parents of new pupils wishing to buy school uniform from the school shop should telephone the Senior School Reception (01883 343028) to make an appointment. Additional items can be purchased via Wisepay on the School Website.

All items of uniform, sports clothing and equipment should be clearly marked with the pupil's name.

Parents purchasing items from the school shop can pay using cash or debit/credit card – the cost of uniform cannot be added to the school bill. Pupils or parents can purchase ad hoc items during the school day which may be charged to the school bill; if you do not want your child to make use of this facility please inform the Finance Department.

In term time the School Shop is open:

- Monday 12.00pm 4.15pm
- Tuesday 10.00am 2.30pm
- Wednesday 8.15am 2.30pm
- Friday 10.00am 2.30pm

Special opening hours are offered in the summer holidays. The shop opens on the first Saturday after each of the school holidays, 10.00am – 12.00pm. For the most up to date details please visit: http://www.caterhamschool.co.uk/about/school-shop/

Nearly New Uniform Shop

The Parents' Association run a nearly new uniform shop, which is located near the Beech Hanger boarding house. Dates for nearly new sales are published in the calendar and advertised by the PA.

Uniform for boarders

Boarding pupils will need to purchase uniform as per the lists over-page. Additional items, specifically for boarders, are listed in the boarding handbook along with other useful information.



First to Fifth Year Uniform

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Compulsory

- School blazer
- Grey knee length six-panel skirt or black trousers
- White ¾ length or long sleeve revere collar blouse and school house badge (house colour) or white long sleeved shirt with school tie (house colour)
- Black school rucksack (compulsory for First to Fourth Years)
- Black tights or black socks
- Flat, black, polishable leather shoes

Optional

- Black V-neck jumper with trim
- Smart black outdoor coat
- Plain black scarf
- Black gloves
- Black school hat/black hijab/black turban

Extras

- Calculator
- Art Crayons (water based)
- Combination padlock (30mm)
- Water bottle
- Inexpensive, in-ear headphones

Whilst wearing school uniform pupils are expected to present a smart and purposeful appearance. This includes being clean shaven (unless for religious reasons), with hair kept off the face and tied back if below the collar. A maximum of one pair of stud earrings can be worn.



Sports Kit: First to Fifth Year

Items in **bold type** should be Caterham School kit, purchased from the school shop

- Black Serious Stuff shorts (Serious Stuff skort optional extra)
- Black Serious Stuff polar fleece
- Black Serious Stuff tracksuit bottoms
- White house top (with house colour stripes)
- Sports bag
- Boot bag
- **Swimsuit** (cutaway or legged style and shorts are available in the school shop. Other items may be worn in addition to the swimsuit if desired e.g. swim t-shirt)
- School swim hat
- Swimming bag
- Sports Trainers
- Mouthguard (custom fitting arranged by school in Sept or moldable available from shop)
- Water bottle
- Studded boots
- Black baselayer top (optional)
- Black baselayer leggings (option)

In addition, needed for girls' sports

- Black Serious Stuff Games top
- · White and yellow ankle socks or hockey socks
- Lacrosse Stick
- Lacrosse Goggles
- Lacrosse Stick Bag (optional)
- Tennis racket (optional)

In addition, needed for boys' sports

- Reversible Serious Stuff games top
- Black rugby shorts
- · Black and yellow rugby/hockey socks
- Short white sports socks
- Hockey stick
- Shin pads
- Tennis racket (optional)

If your child is selected for a team then they may require additional kit later in the year as advised by their coach and listed below.

- Swimming rash vest
- Athletics **-vest**, black lycra shorts
- Cricket yellow cap, white top, white trousers, white jumper, helmet, bat, box



Sixth Form Dress Code

Our Sixth Form pupils are role models and ambassadors for the wider school community and it is important that they look smart and purposeful around the school site, and also when travelling to and from school. Developing a capacity for independent thinking and self-confidence is an integral part of our Sixth Form culture - it is key that this is fostered whilst ensuring Sixth Form pupils not only support, but also embody, the ethos of the school.

Whilst aiming to allow a consistent level of choice to all pupils, our dress code for Sixth Form pupils has three main themes:

- Pupils should wear a formal matching suit with either a sleeved and collared blouse or shirt and tie
 - O Suit skirts and dresses must be worn 'nearer the knee than not'
 - o No lycra/bodycon
 - O Smart jumpers are permitted these should be of a single colour, without logo/motif, and a collar/tie should still be visible
- Shoes should be flat and polishable
- Hairstyles should be neat and tidy and faces should be clean-shaven (unless for religious or medical reasons). One single stud per ear is permitted. If worn, hijabs or turbans should be plain black.

The way in which uniform is worn is as important as the uniform itself. Unless specific relaxations are in force, Sixth Form pupils should be dressed in full, neat uniform at all times and outdoor coats should not be worn in main school or lessons.

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- Black Serious Stuff polar fleece
- Black Serious Stuff tracksuit bottoms
- White house top (house colour stripes)
- Sports bag
- Mouthguard (custom fitting can be arranged by school in September)
- Sports trainers
- Short white sports socks
- Water bottle
- Black baselayer top (optional)
- Black baselayer leggings (optional)



If your child is selected for a team then they may require additional kit later in the year, as advised by their coach and listed below.

- Netball netball dress, white and yellow ankle socks
- Lacrosse black and gold Serious Stuff games top, white and yellow ankle socks, stick, goggles, mouthguard, studded boots
- Rugby reversible Serious Stuff games top, black rugby shorts, black and yellow socks, mouthguard, studded boots
- Hockey reversible Serious Stuff games top, black and yellow socks, shin pads, stick, mouthguard
- Cricket yellow cap, white Serious Stuff cricket shirt, cricket whites, cricket jumper, appropriate protective equipment and cricket bat
- Swimming swimsuit (knee length or regular cut), yellow swim hat, rash vest
- Athletics vest, black lycra shorts or black Serious Stuff hockey shorts
- Tennis tennis racket, tennis top



Additional items for Boarders

Please provide enough uniform to allow for clean shirts each day, allowing for laundering and returning (up to 10 shirts/ blouses per pupil). In addition to their school uniform boarders will require the following additional casual clothing and household items:

- Casual clothing for evenings and weekends including some smart casual clothing for more formal occasions.
- Underwear, including plenty of socks
- At least two sets of nightwear
- Four large towels which a loop in the middle of the long side for hanging up and be named in one corner
- A pair of slippers or shoes for indoor wear
- Hair brush and toiletries
- Weekend bag or holdall, and toilet bag
- Large named laundry washing nets for underwear (x 3)
- Laundry bag/folding basket for dirty clothes (optional)

Please note, all items including footwear should be clearly marked so they can be returned after washing. Extra name tags for use with any new clothes that are purchased are extremely handy.

If you wish to purchase your own clothing labels in advance then please note that the label should read:

First Name Surname

Returning laundry to the correct pupil is easier if the following rules are followed:

- Shirts, T-shirts, blouses, dresses and jumpers should be named at the back of the neck
- Shorts, pants, skirts, jeans, trousers should be named at the waistband
- Socks should be named
- Sheets should be named along the centre of the long side

All boarders' clothing is washed by automatic washing machine so clothes requiring hand washing, or which cannot be tumble dried are not recommended for school. If they are brought to school, then they will be sent out for dry cleaning and charges made on the pupil's account.

Bedding

Pupils do not need to bring their own bedding as they will be given a full bedding pack consisting of a pillow, duvet, two duvet covers, two pillow cases and two base sheets. The cost will be added to the termly bill. Boarders are able to bring their own bedding if they wish to.