



Ruislip High School

Uniform Booklet

School Uniform

Dear Parents/Guardians

Ruislip High School (RHS) has a strong reputation for students taking pride in their uniform and this is due to the partnership between school and home. At Ruislip High School the way in which students wear their school uniform reflects the importance which is placed on attention to detail and pride in the school. The smart appearance of our students is regularly commented on by parents of prospective students and members of the local community. The school takes care to ensure that all students and their parents/guardians are aware of our clear and explicit uniform policy when signing the Home-School Agreement.

Yours sincerely



Mrs J Stoodley
Pastoral Director



Uniform with skirt



Uniform with trousers



Prefect blazer and tie



PE kit with optional
jacket

Uniform Suppliers

Adams Schoolwear
55 Victoria Road
Ruislip HA4 9BH
01895 674 155

Angels Uniforms
317 Rayners Lane
Pinner HA5 5EH
0208 866 9972

Uniform Specifications

Item	Clarification	Specification
Blazer		
Royal blue with a school badge on the pocket.	This is compulsory. The school blazer must be worn at all times unless given permission by a teacher. Prefect blazers will have a coloured trim around the collar.	Ziggi - royal blue
Skirt		
Grey with one pleat	One skirt is permitted and must be purchased from one of the school's suppliers. It is important to ensure that the skirt is knee-length. Students will be asked to replace skirts which no longer comply with the length requirements. Students who need to wear floor length skirts for religious reasons can purchase these through our approved uniform suppliers. <i>It is important that parents do not purchase any other types of school skirt as these are not allowed.</i>	Banner - Thornton, grey one pleat, lengths allowed 20" 22" and 24"
Trousers		
Grey	The trousers must fit to the waist and be purchased from one of the school's suppliers. Trousers should not fit tightly on any part of the leg, including the ankles. The style is straight, with no visible zips, decorative studs or buckles. A plain simple belt may be worn (designer belts are not permitted).	David Luke - DL965, DL970, DL959, DL943 and DL971 only.
Jumpers		
Grey with school logo	Only jumpers with the RHS logo are allowed. Jumpers are never permitted to be worn independently of the blazer. The school jumper is the only item that can be worn on top of the school shirt and tie. A jumper is optional.	Rawlinson - P50 grey
Shirt		
Sky-blue	Collars must be designed to accommodate a tie and must have a top button which fastens. Tailored shirts are not allowed. Shirts should be long enough to be tucked in. Blouse style shirts with rounded collars are not allowed.	Only sky-blue shirts will be allowed. If parents are unsure they should check with one of the school's suppliers regarding the specific shade of blue.
Tie		
School tie with coloured stripes representing the students' year group.	The tie must cover the fastened top button on the shirt.	Year 7 students who start in September 2024 will have a gold tie.
Shoes		
Shoes should be of plain black leather or leather-type, with plain black soles and black laces. Black suede, fabric or canvas type shoes or boots are not permitted. No trainer-style shoe can be worn, this includes Nike, Converse, Vans, Kickers and Adidas-style leather shoes that resemble trainers.		

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Socks and tights

Socks should be plain black or white; tights should be plain black or flesh coloured. No logos, patterns, bows or frills. Socks should be worn to, or below the knee. Socks and tights are not permitted to be worn together.

Piercings

One, small round stud in the bottom of each earlobe is permitted. These must be either plain silver or gold.

Jewellery

No rings, bracelets or necklaces are permitted. However, where there is a religious requirement, as opposed to tradition, certain articles may be worn.

Hair

Hair must be tidy and conventional. No extreme haircuts are allowed; close cuts must be no less than a 'grade 2' in length. If in doubt as to whether a hairstyle will fall into the extreme category, parents should contact the school in advance for advice. The school reserves the right to make the final decision as to whether a hairstyle is compatible with our requirements. Examples include closely shaved heads, patterns and shaved partings. In addition, lines must not be cut into eyebrows. Students will be asked to remove excessive hair gel.

Unnatural hair colours are not permitted. In particular, parents should be aware that some shades are vibrant in sunshine, eg. purple or blue/black, and that some of the red shades will not comply with our uniform requirements.

Hair accessories must be plain and functional; bows are not allowed.

Badges

Students are only permitted to wear school badges. No other badges are allowed.

Make-up

Make-up, including coloured-in eyebrows, tinted moisturiser, fake tan or concealer are not allowed. Permanent make-up such as, tinted/false eyelashes and tinted eyebrows are also not allowed and this is strictly enforced. Students wearing make-up are handed a facial wipe on entry to the school, and are not allowed to enter the school until the make-up is removed. A yellow card is given on each occasion make-up has to be removed. Students who reapply make-up during the day will receive a further sanction. Students who need to use medicated concealer must provide medical evidence.

Nails

Excessively long nails are not allowed for reasons of health and safety. In addition, false nails of any description are not allowed for the same reasons. The school will not accept notes relating to false nails which state, for example, that they have been applied for a weekend event such as a wedding. Nail varnish is not allowed.

Hoodies

Hoodies are not allowed to be worn in, or on the way to, school and will be confiscated on sight.

PE Kit

PE kit must be worn during PE lessons, even if students are excused from taking part in sporting activities. Our approved school outfitters will advise parents of the appropriate kit on request.

Uniform Specifications

PE Kit

- Rugby top/sweatshirt (sky-blue, navy panels with green piping) with school logo
- 'Polo' shirt (sky-blue, navy panels with green piping) with school logo
- Shorts (navy with a sky-blue stripe and green piping) with school logo on left leg
- Black skins (only to be worn underneath shorts) optional
- Football boots
- Trainers (not plimsolls, 'Converse' or 'Vans')
- Hairband if needed (long hair)
- Gum shield (compulsory for rugby)
- Shin pads
- PE Jacket (optional)

No tracksuit bottoms

Mobile Phones and Electronic Devices

These are brought in at each student's own risk and must be turned off at all times while students are at school. Phones will be confiscated if seen or heard.

Smart Watches

Smart watches are banned at Ruislip High School. All classrooms should have a working clock and if this is not the case then students are advised to inform the member of staff. In terms of returning the smart watch to a student, the school will follow the same procedure as mobile phones. As with mobile phones students can have the watches but if staff 'see it' or 'hear it' then they will 'take it'.

Nearly new/part worn uniform sales

We are delighted that the 'Friends of Ruislip High School' host a nearly new uniform sale at all parents' evenings throughout the academic year. In addition, they will be hosting a sale prior to the Year 6 - 7 transition evening.

Sanctions

Students entering school in incorrectly-worn uniform or wearing make-up are given a yellow card on each occasion, which will add to behaviour points to their school record and may result in loss of social time. Detentions will be given in accordance with the yellow card system. The sanctions will escalate for students who persistently ignore the school uniform rules.

Students wearing extra piercings, permanent makeup, non-compliant earrings or with inappropriate haircuts will lose social times until the issue can be rectified as the school has always made uniform requirements very clear. Parental support in this matter is appreciated.

If there is a reason why a particular item, such as school shoes, cannot be worn for a short period, parents should supply a note which states a specific date by which the issue will be resolved.

School staff ask parents to support the school by ensuring that their child complies with the uniform requirements. It is upsetting for students to be kept out of circulation and/or for parents/guardians to have to purchase replacement items of uniform unnecessarily.

Parents/guardians can email any questions or requests for further information to office@ruisliphigh.org.uk