

## Student appearance, dress and uniforms policy

#### Policy statement

Uniforms are not just about appearance, they are about identity, and this is first and foremost the school's identity. Queen's Qatar considers school uniforms a benefit for all students, as they facilitate a neat and tidy appearance, and create the conditions that allow all students to be treated equably.

### General appearance guidelines

- Unforms should be contemporary and clean in design and fit.
- Uniforms should stand out from the crowd of other local schools.
- Items can be sustainably sourced where it is sensible to do so.
- All items of uniform should be clearly marked with the student's name.
- The school encourages students to keep themselves clean and tidy.
- Religious dress such as headscarves and leggings is integrated into the school's uniform. The school identity takes precedence over, but accommodates, student identities.
- In general jewellery should not be worn.
- A wristwatch may be worn.
- No shaved or sculpted hair. Long hair must be tied back or up.
- No tattoos or body piercings, other than ear piercings. Girls may wear one pair of small stud earrings, one at the bottom of each earlobe.

#### Boys' school uniform

- School shirt.
- School shorts for Primary and/or trousers for Primary and Secondary. Shorts must be below the knee
- Underwear and undershirts/vests must be worn.
- School jumper.
- Sweatshirt, track top or sports outerwear, branded.

#### Girls' school uniform

- School dress for FS1/2, plus cardigan, below the knee
- School blouse, with accompanying school skirt/trousers for primary and secondary. Skirts must be below the knee or full length.
- Underwear must be worn.
- School cardiaan
- Sweatshirt, track top or sports outerwear, branded.



# P.E. and Swimming kit

- School PE shirt
- School PE shorts/track suit bottoms
- Suitable sports training shoes
- School tracksuit tops (in colder locations)
- Swimming shorts (boys)
- One-piece swimming costume (girls) plus knee length leggings.
- Towel
- Swimming cap (long hair)
- Goggles (optional)