



<b>Policy Title:</b>	Uniform
<b>Function:</b>	For information and guidance
<b>Status:</b>	Approved
<b>Audience:</b>	Students, Parents/Carers, Councillors, Principal, Teachers, Support Staff, Local Authority
<b>Ownership / Implementation:</b>	The Principal and the Academy Council have overall responsibility for ensuring that this policy is implemented.
<b>Issued for:</b>	Board Approved
<b>Implementation Date:</b>	July 2009
<b>Review period:</b>	Bi-annually
<b>Next Review:</b>	October 2017



**1. Introduction**

**1.1 The Uniform**

All students will be expected to adhere to the uniform policy for the Academy.

The uniform for years 7 to 11 will consist of the following items:

<b>Boys</b>	<b>Girls</b>
<p>Compulsory</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Black blazer with BMA embroidered logo</li><li>• Coloured Pin fixed to the lapel of the blazer – House colour</li><li>• White long sleeved shirt</li><li>• Navy tie with BMA embroidered logo</li><li>• Black trousers</li><li>• Dark coloured socks</li><li>• Black shoes</li></ul>	<p>Compulsory</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Black blazer with BMA embroidered logo</li><li>• Coloured Pin fixed to the lapel of the blazer – House colour</li><li>• White long sleeved shirt</li><li>• Navy tie with BMA embroidered logo</li><li>• Black trousers or black knee length skirt</li><li>• Socks or plain black tights</li><li>• Black shoes</li></ul>
<p>Optional</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Plain navy v-neck sweater</li></ul>	<p>Optional</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Plain navy v-neck sweater</li><li>• Navy head scarf</li></ul>

**1.2 Seasonal Variations**

As the temperatures increase, pupils will be allowed to remove their blazers and jumpers and just wear their shirt and tie in order to remain comfortable.

In the event that the weather is exceptionally hot, the Principal may choose to relax the uniform and allow pupils not to wear a tie. Such a decision will be communicated to students and staff in advance of the uniform change being implemented.



### 1.3 Sports Wear

The sports kit for years 7 to 11 will consist of:

Boys	Girls
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Unisex PE polo shirt with embroidered logo</li><li>• Rugby shirt</li><li>• Navy shorts/Navy track pants</li><li>• Navy sports socks</li><li>• Trainers / Football / Rugby boots</li><li>• Shin pads</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Unisex PE polo shirt with embroidered logo</li><li>• Sweatshirt with embroidered logo</li><li>• Navy shorts/Navy track pants</li><li>• Navy sports socks</li><li>• Trainers</li></ul>
Years 10 & 11 Only – Unisex sports hoody (optional)	

*Note: Trainers must have non-marking soles.*

When representing the Cabot Learning Federation students will be expected to wear the federation sports uniform; this will be provided for each occasion.

### 1.4 Key Stages 3 & 4 – Post 16

Students in Cabot Learning Federation Post 16 may choose their own attire but should ensure that their dress is appropriate for education within an Academy environment.

### 1.5 Jewellery

Students should not wear jewellery to school other than small stud earrings and a watch; this must be removed for PE lessons. Jewellery to piercings to other parts of the face and body must not be worn whilst at school.

Where a student is required for religious reasons to wear additional items of jewellery, parents/carers must send a letter to the Academy to confirm this. Reasonable allowances will be made providing the health and safety of the student or their peers is not compromised.

## 2. Monitoring, Evaluation and Review

.2.1 The Academy Council will review this policy at least every two years and assess its implementation and effectiveness. The policy will be promoted and implemented throughout the Academy.