

Dress Code

St. Crispin's Sixth Form operates a business dress code, designed to prepare students for professional environments and instill a sense of pride and belonging. All students are expected to dress appropriately, including on dress down Friday. The Sixth Form Dress Code is designed to be smart, affordable and inclusive.

What to Wear: Wardrobe Suggestions



What to Wear: Monday to Thursday

✓ Yes	✗ No
✓ Collared shirt or polo shirt	✗ Jeans
✓ Blouse with sleeves, collar or both	✗ Vest, crop or cut-out tops
✓ Fine knit jumper or cardigan	✗ Jumpsuits or playsuits
✓ Blazer	✗ Hoodies
✓ Smart trousers, skirt or dress (modest length)	✗ Facial piercings and visible tattoos
✓ Tailored or chino shorts (modest length)	✗ Large logos or offensive images
✓ Sixth Form Lanyard + ID to be worn at all times	✗ Sportswear, loungewear or leggings
✓ Smart shoes, boots, trainers or sandals appropriate to the workplace	Reasonable adjustments: Adjustments to the Dress Code will be made, in discussion with the Head of Sixth Form, on an individual basis (e.g. for medical, cultural or religious reasons)
✓ Hair colour, jewellery, make-up and nail polish appropriate to the workplace	

What to Wear: Dress Down Fridays

- Jeans, joggers, leggings and hoodies are permitted.
- The same code as above applies regarding hair, nails, make-up, jewellery and not having large logos or offensive images on clothes.
- All other standards of conduct and presentation remain in place including wearing a Sixth Form ID and lanyard.

Creating a Capsule Wardrobe For Sixth Form

A capsule wardrobe is a compact, streamlined collection of quality pieces that can be worn often and interchangeably. Examples are shown on the previous page. The benefits are clear – it saves money, space and time, and contributes to a more sustainable lifestyle. Building a capsule wardrobe has a range of practical and personal benefits:

Benefits	How to Build One
✓ Everything goes with everything – less stress in the morning	■ Buy classic pieces that won't go out of fashion quickly
✓ Fewer, better-quality pieces save money over time	■ Shop sales and compare prices to find the best deals
✓ Rotate outfits by season to keep things fresh	■ Swap clothes with friends to extend your wardrobe for free
✓ Live sustainably by buying and wasting less	■ Take photos of outfit combinations to help you plan mornings
✓ Improved organisation and more mental focus	■ Pick a colour palette and stick to it