



# Junior School Uniform and Equipment

## Ordering School Uniform

The leading online company School Blazer is the supplier of the Gordonstoun uniform. Items are of high quality, warm and comfortable and comply with high ethical standards. The supplier uses an intelligent sizing system to make it easy to find the right fit for your child and your order is delivered within three working days. School Blazer will supply all garments with name tags already sewn on for a minimal charge. We recommend you use the School Blazer name tag service to prevent uniform being lost.

A full list of uniform requirements can be found in the Uniform List.

In addition, please note the following:

- Shoes - the approved style for pupils is a flat-soled black shoe or ankle boot. Shoes with heels or wedges are not suitable and supportive, robust shoes are the most practical for walking around the campus and on School trips.
- Slippers in the shape of huge paws or novelty styles are great fun but dangerous in emergency situations. Conventional slippers only should be brought to School please.
- Jewellery should not be worn at all except with the special discretion of the Head of the Junior School. Pupils with pierced ears may wear studs.
- Casual clothes should be practical and smart. No garment should bear a logo which is considered as unacceptable. Please ensure that all items of clothing coming into school are named.
- All pupils should come to School every term with their hair cut, undyed and in a neat and tidy condition. Long hair should be tied back. Hair bands/scrunchie should be in tartan, navy blue or black.
- Tattoos of any kind are not permitted.

## School Bag

The school bag from School Blazer should contain the following:

Pencil case  
Pencils  
Blue pen  
Ruler (30cm)  
Rubber  
Glue Stick  
Safe Scissors  
Pencil Sharpener  
Wired Earplug Headphones  
Highlighter  
Colouring Pencils



### Year 5+

Geometry Set (protractor, compass)

Red pen

### Year 7+

Scientific Calculator

## **Prep and Study Planners**

Years 7 and 8 have homework, or 'Prep' timetabled for Monday to Thursday evenings. This should last around 45 minutes and is essential for reinforcing classwork. Year 6 are also expected to complete some Prep exercises and this will be organised with the relevant teachers once their routine has become established. Younger children are encouraged to read their school reading book at home on a daily basis. All children have a Study Planner in which they write their Prep. In addition, the Study Planner records their flight points (used for a reward system) and we would encourage you to share this with your child. The Study Planner is an important document and if it is defaced or lost it will need to be replaced. A small charge will be incurred for a replacement Study Planner.

## **Personal Laptop**

Pupils in Year 7 and Year 8 are expected to bring a personal laptop to school and this should be insured and brought to school in an appropriate cover. Laptops are used to complement and enhance learning in the school and must be used appropriately and in adherence to the School's IT policy at all times. The current recommendations for laptop specifications can be found in the ICT link.

