



The Royal School

Wolverhampton

Uniform Policy Appendix: Shirt Sleeve Order

At The Royal School we take great pride in our uniform. Our uniform promotes a sense of belonging, equality and community and helps students represent themselves and the school positively.

During periods of particularly warm weather, the school may introduce **Shirt Sleeve Order**. This is a temporary adjustment to our normal uniform expectations which allows students and staff to remain comfortable while maintaining the high standards of appearance expected at The Royal School.

What does a Shirt Sleeve Order mean?

- Blazers and school jackets do not need to be worn.
- Shirts, ties and other elements of the normal uniform should continue to be worn unless otherwise communicated.
- Students wearing PE kit may remove their quarter-zip top or hoodie.
- PE shorts or skorts may be worn without tracksuit trousers.
- Students choosing to wear PE leggings must continue to wear tracksuit trousers over them. Leggings should not be worn on their own.

All other uniform expectations remain unchanged.

General Hot Weather Guidance

- Bring a refillable water bottle to school.
- Drink regularly throughout the day.
- Apply sun cream before arriving at school.
- Bring clearly named sun cream for personal use during the day where appropriate, particularly during outdoor activities.

Staff will continue to make sensible adjustments to outdoor activities and use shaded areas where possible during periods of exceptionally warm weather.

The school may introduce, amend or withdraw a Shirt Sleeve Order in response to weather conditions and operational circumstances and will inform parents via email systems to communicate these arrangements.