



**Richard Barnes  
Academy**



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## Richard Barnes Academy School Uniform Policy

We believe good standards of dress and personal presentation promote a positive attitude to work and behaviour and identify learners to local residents and future employers as members of an efficient organisation. The co-operation of all parents and carers is expected to ensure that learners are in correct uniform at all times.

**Please note: the Academy makes the final decision as to what is or is not acceptable in all aspects of a learner's appearance.**

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<b>Academy Jumper</b>	Academy jumper with RBA logo, sleeves rolled down.	No other jumper permitted
<b>White Shirt</b>	Formal plain white with stiff collar (short or long sleeved). Always tucked in with only the top button allowed to be undone.  White school polo shirt.	
<b>Black trousers, black trouser-style shorts, or black skirt</b>	Plain, formal, loose-fitting school style trousers. Full length down to shoes.  Black trouser-style shorts to the knees.  Knee length formal skirt.	<b>No skin-tight/stretchy/slim-fit trousers; no jeans. No trousers above the ankle or any form of cropped/turned up trousers.</b> No modifications of trousers should be made.  <b>No other shorts permitted.</b>  <b>No other skirts permitted.</b>
<b>Winter coat</b>	Academy jumper must be worn underneath. Coats only to be worn outside the Academy building.	No hooded tops, jackets, or sweatshirts to be worn over jumpers or in the Academy building.
<b>Shoes</b>	Plain black trainers or sensible shoes.	No boots or sandals are permitted.
<b>Jewellery / Accessories</b>	One watch, one small pair of stud earrings in earlobe only. Discreet, natural makeup. <b>No false/acrylic nails or nails with bright designs/colours.</b>	No other visible jewellery is permitted.
<b>Hair</b>	Hair accessories should be functional and discreet.	Extreme hairstyles are not permitted. No hats or bandanas allowed. No logos, tramlines, or 'shaved designs.'
<b>Earphones / Mobile phones</b>	<b>No earphones/mobile phones.</b> These should be handed into school staff when learners arrive at school in the morning.	



<b>Face coverings</b>	Plain coloured / patterned. <b>Face coverings must be worn in all classrooms/communal areas.</b>	No writing or inappropriate images.
<b>Additional information</b>	<b>Students have the option of wearing a plain black kameez, hijab, or turban. PATKA – Plain BLACK only.</b>	No patterns or decorations permitted.

RBA uniform can be purchased through Kit Man UK: [Richard Barnes Academy Archives - KitmanUK](#)

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