

Al-Futtaim Education Foundation

FS1 – Year 6 **STUDENT UNIFORM POLICY** AND EXPECTATIONS 2024-2025

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Why do we wear a school uniform?

We are all proud to be a part of the DIS community and our uniform allows us to celebrate this. Our uniform reflects the high standards that we set for ourselves on a daily basis and through this it supports positive attitudes to our peers and our learning.

Developing an understanding of how to dress in a smart and professional manner at a young age helps to create good habits for when pupils leave education and enter the world of work. Uniform also protects children from social pressures, for example, to dress in a particular way which adheres to current fashion trends. It is for these reasons that we insist not only on having a school uniform, but that it is adhered to at all times. We appreciate your support in helping our students be the best that they can possibly be.

All uniform including school shoes can be purchased through our uniform supplier threads.



FS1 to Year 2

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Year 3 to Year 6



- School shirt/polo can be worn with white (not visible) undergarment. If wearing the school jumper, the • white DIS shirt/polo must be worn underneath.
- Plain black leather shoes with no heels or coloured markings (no trainers)
- Socks must be black with trousers or white with skirts. .
- Black or white shaylas. •
- No nail polish or artificial nails. •
- Watches and small ear studs allowed. .
- Presentable hair, off the face. No bright and unnatural hair colours permitted. •
- Blue/Black/Dark Green hair ties and accessories only (no bright colour clips, bows etc.)
- No lines shaven into hair.
- Only school uniform jumpers are to be worn. Tour or sports hoodies are not acceptable.

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Acceptable Shoes

- Shoes must be plain black with no coloured markings, contrasting colours, flashes or branding •
- Trainers will only be permitted for Physical Education or sporting events .
- Girls shoes should be flat. No heels

Unacceptable Shoes

- No trainers, pumps, plimsolls or sports trainer type shoes •
- No branded trainers such as Nike, Puma, Sketchers, Adidas, Vans, Converse and Ralph Lauren .
- Boots are not allowed. Only shoes below the ankle •
- If you are unsure on what shoe to purchase please speak with the appropriate Senior Leadership Team ٠ member for further guidance



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PE Uniform

DIS will be continuing to ask students to attend school in their PE kits (team kits not permitted for lessons) on days where they have PE timetabled. This is to ensure we are doing everything we can to maximise the students' activity time.

Additionally, in a continued attempt to improve the consistency, standards and health and safety at DIS, students will not be permitted to wear their green school jumpers during PE lessons from the start of the new academic year. Due to the nature of the subject, students should never be cold within the lesson, however, we do understand that some students may wish to cover their arms during PE time.

To help with this, the school's uniform supplier offers a PE Unisex Tracksuit. Alternatively, students may wear a long sleeve black or white sports undershirt.



Swimming Costumes

Students are required to wear plain black swimming costumes/shorts. You can purchase DIS branded swim wear from our supplier, Threads. Alternatively, you can purchase a plain black non branded costume/shorts from an independent supplier.



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House T Shirts and Hats

Throughout the year there will be a range of House Sports competitions. Students will be required to wear their respective House Sports shirt for this. This is again supplied by Threads.



Uniform Expectations:

Students are always expected to dress according to the DIS Uniform Policy and to be presentable.

- 1. All students must comply with the dress code as outlined in this policy unless they are given individual permission by their Year Group Lead.
- 2. If a student does not adhere to the Uniform Policy, a verbal reminder by their class or PE teacher in the first instance will be given.
- 3. If further non-compliance continues, this will be recorded on iSAMS and contact home made.
- 4. Any further non-compliance to the DIS Uniform Policy may result in non-re-enrolment for the following academic year.

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