

DRESS CODE

At Frensham Heights we do not have a school uniform, but we do want every member of the student body to dress in an appropriate, clean and inoffensive manner. As you grow up you learn more and more about your self-image, about developing self-respect and then beyond that you learn how to show respect to others or to the school itself. One of the ways to show your respect is to dress appropriately following the code outlined below.

Frensham students are required to dress:

SIMPLY

A simple style of dress which does not have offensive images, messages or language and is practical for your school day.

UNOSTENTATIOUSLY

We do not want or need a 'label' culture; it is inappropriate to wear clothes which show off.

CLEANLY

Clothing and hair should be clean, long hair should be tied back in some lessons and activities.

INOFFENSIVELY

Try wherever possible not to cause offence or embarrassment to any other member of the community. Tops should not be too high cut or revealing and skirts or shorts should not be too short!

To define a long list of items that are allowed or disallowed is a limitation and would need to be reviewed with every change of fashion. We would ask that you are mature, use common sense and remain aware of the impact your dress can have on others. If your teachers/tutor feel that your dress is inappropriate, then they may ask you to change your clothes. Persistent abuse of the dress code may lead to you being sent home.

There are times when the school asks you to dress more formally; at social events or when you represent the school in a team uniform. Please respect this request, it is appropriate for these two areas to require more uniformity and formality. For reasons of health and safety correct kit in PE and Dance is essential, as is appropriate footwear.