

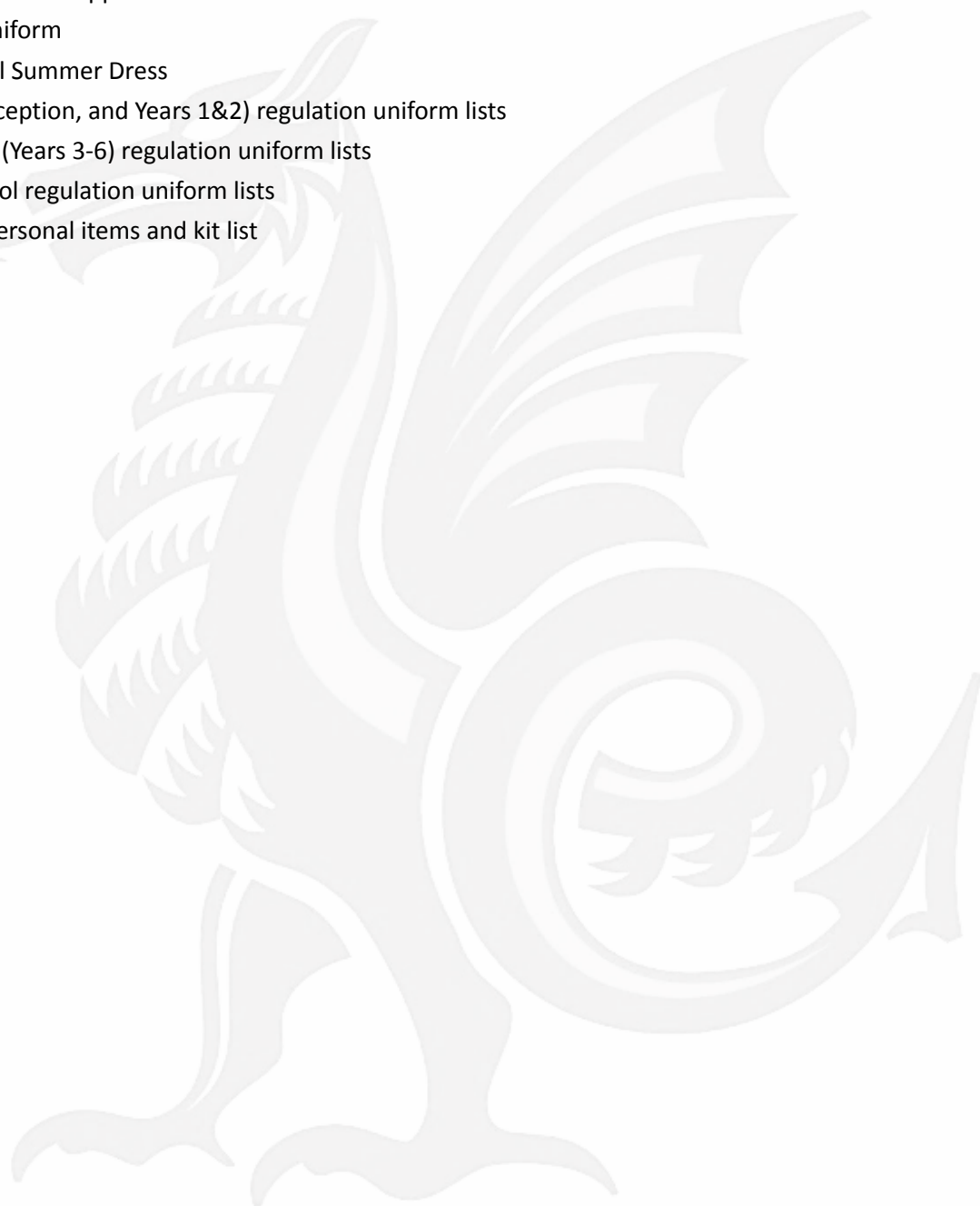


QUEEN'S
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School Uniform
and kit list

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1. Scope

- 1.1. This policy applies to the Prep and Senior schools.
- 1.2. Exceptions for genuine (e.g. religious reasons) will be permitted after approval from the Head of College.

2. School Shop

- 2.1. [School Colours](#) supplies Queen's College uniform. School Colours is a leading supplier of school uniform and sports kit.
- 2.2. Their website can be accessed at <https://www.schoolcoloursdirect.co.uk/>. Use the 'school finder' tab to go to Queen's College.
- 2.3. Its service includes:
 - 2.3.1. Internet-based ordering (available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week);
 - 2.3.2. A personalised fitting service, by appointment, at our in-school measuring event;
 - 2.3.3. Postage-free standard UK delivery service direct to your home or office;
 - 2.3.4. Postage-free returns label to return items for whatever reason.

3. Labelling of clothing

- 3.1. All clothing and equipment should be named on the inside of the garment.

4. Hairstyles, make-up, and nails

- 4.1. Hair must be of a natural colour and hair that extends beyond shoulder level should be fully tied back, excepting Year 11 and Sixth Form; hair slides, bands and ribbons must be plain and in school colours. Hair extensions are not permitted.
- 4.2. Make-up, nail extensions, gel nails or nail varnish are not allowed, except at Sixth Form Level where pupils' make-up must be unobtrusive and also not interfere with work in practical subjects.

5. Jewellery

- 5.1. Bracelets, rings and other jewellery are not allowed. The only exceptions being:
 - 5.1.1. Earrings, small studs, or small and fine hoops, with only one in each ear, are permitted (the studs may only be small gold, silver or pearl round balls);
 - 5.1.2. One fine gauge chain/necklace may be worn; or
 - 5.1.3. At Sixth Form level, pupils may wear jewellery which is unobtrusive - the Head of Sixth Form will give guidance.
- 5.2. Jewellery should be removed for PE/games; new earrings must be taped until they can be removed.

6. School uniform and appearance

- 6.1. All items of uniform must conform to the regulation uniform lists: [Pre-Prep](#), Upper Prep; and [Senior](#). Reference to these lists should avoid the purchase of inappropriate items and so avoid unnecessary extra expense.
- 6.2. The dress and appearance of pupils must at all times reflect well on the individual and the school.
- 6.3. Full uniform or games kit must be worn until 5.30pm on weekdays; a mixture of informal clothes and uniform is never permitted.
- 6.4. Pupils are required to have a high standard of personal hygiene and be clean shaven.
- 6.5. School uniform should be worn neatly while attending school and in travelling to and from school unless an explicit exception has been made by a member of staff.
- 6.6. Damaged or soiled uniform should not be worn; such items should be cleaned, repaired, or replaced at the earliest opportunity
- 6.7. For Senior School pupils:
 - 6.7.1. Blazers must be worn when travelling to and from School and throughout the school day unless permission has been given to remove it, for example in a classroom. Blazers may be removed in day bases but replaced when leaving.
 - 6.7.2. Hoodies must not be worn with the school uniform.
 - 6.7.3. Jumpers may only be worn with a blazer over.
- 6.8. Shirts should always be 'tucked in' and worn with top buttons fastened.
- 6.9. Uniform must always be worn in detention.
- 6.10. Boarders may wear informal clothes in supper (but not hats or hoods) and on Saturday and Sunday, except for formal school engagements, fixtures, team teas etc.
- 6.11. The wearing of games kit in lessons and in the Dining Room is not permitted, save on specific occasions when clean kit may be worn with tracksuit bottoms or QC black performance leggings.
- 6.12. Hats, caps and other items of casual clothing may not be worn with uniform at any time, except in sunny weather when a black or white cap can be worn at break, lunch and during sport, or in winter when a school issue woolly hat may be worn.
- 6.13. Outer garments - raincoats, anoraks etc
 - 6.13.1. Prep - must be plain black or a school-branded coat with a hood.
 - 6.13.2. Senior - must be dark in colour and not leather or fur, with discreet logos only if any.

7. Sixth form uniform

- 7.1. At the Sixth Form level, the dress code required is executive style:
 - 7.1.1. Formal 'muted' suit with skirt, trousers or shift dress; or

- 7.1.2. An awarded colours blazer with skirt, trousers or shift dress:
- 7.1.3. skirts and trousers must be formal and neat, excessively flared or skin-tight trousers or skirts are not acceptable; and
- 7.1.4. skirt length must be no shorter than just above the knee
- 7.1.5. A formal classic shirt which may be:
 - 7.1.5.1. white, plain pastel-coloured or striped, with a Sixth Form or other authorised tie (sensibly tied); or
- 7.1.6. A plain business-like blouse/collarless top or plain-knit top.
 - 7.1.6.1. No crop tops, low necklines or strappy vest-tops
- 7.2. Blazer or smart formal jackets must be worn during the school day and when conducting school tours or on other formal occasions
- 7.3. Jackets may be removed in the Sixth Form Centre
- 7.4. A single colour, plain knit v-necked or quarter-zip (non-sports) jumper in a dark colour may be worn under a blazer/jacket
- 7.5. Shoes should be smart and must be black or brown, leather or leather effect

8. Senior School Summer Dress

- 8.1.1. In hot weather (forecast to be very warm for a sustained period), after announcement by the Head of Senior School, uniforms may be adjusted for 'summer dress'.
- 8.1.2. Summer dress is likely to include:
 - 8.1.2.1. removal of blazers/suit jackets during the school day only if jumpers are not worn;
 - 8.1.2.2. option of revere collar blouses, short-sleeved shirts, or shirt sleeves rolled; and
 - 8.1.2.3. removal of ties (if blazer is also removed or when wearing revere collar).
- 8.1.3. With the skirt uniform, white ankle socks may be worn instead of black tights.
- 8.1.4. Summer dress should remain 'smart', notably with shirts tucked in.
- 8.1.5. Blazers/jackets and ties should always be worn to and from school and should be at school every day so that we can revert, as required.
- 8.1.6. If the weather demands summer dress, there should be no additional items worn without blazers/jackets and ties, specifically:
 - 8.1.6.1. no jumpers/sweaters/cardigans;
 - 8.1.6.2. no coats; and
 - 8.1.6.3. no t-shirts or vests under shirts.

9. Pre-Prep (Reception, and Years 1&2) regulation uniform lists

9.1. Uniform

Items marked with an * must be purchased through the [School Shop](#)

Bold text means compulsory

Girls	Boys	Notes
Warm, waterproof jacket or raincoat	Warm, waterproof jacket or raincoat	Must be plain black or a school branded coat with a hood
QC reading bookbag*	QC reading bookbag*	
Sunhat (summer months)	Sunhat (summer months)	A plain sun hat must be in school in hot weather
Royal/gold check pinafore dress*	Grey shorts or grey long trousers	Long trousers are optional from the second half of the Autumn term to the end of the Spring Term
White short-sleeved blouse with revere collar	Gold polo shirt*	
Prep School cardigan* or jumper*	Prep School jumper*	
Black tights/black socks	Grey socks	Summer term alternative: white plain ankle socks
Black school shoes	Black school shoes	Velcro or buckle fastening shoes are preferable Boots are not permitted
A warm hat, scarf and gloves	A warm hat, scarf and gloves	Must be plain in colour and design

9.2. Outdoor Education Kit

All to be stored in a named, drawstring bag

All	Notes
Lightweight waterproof coat	
Lightweight pair of waterproof trousers	Not dungaree style
A pair of black jogging bottoms	
Black sweatshirt	
A pair of Wellington boots	
A warm hat, scarf and pair of gloves	For winter months only
Thick socks and additional layer	For winter months only
Sunhat	For summer months only

9.3. Sports kit list

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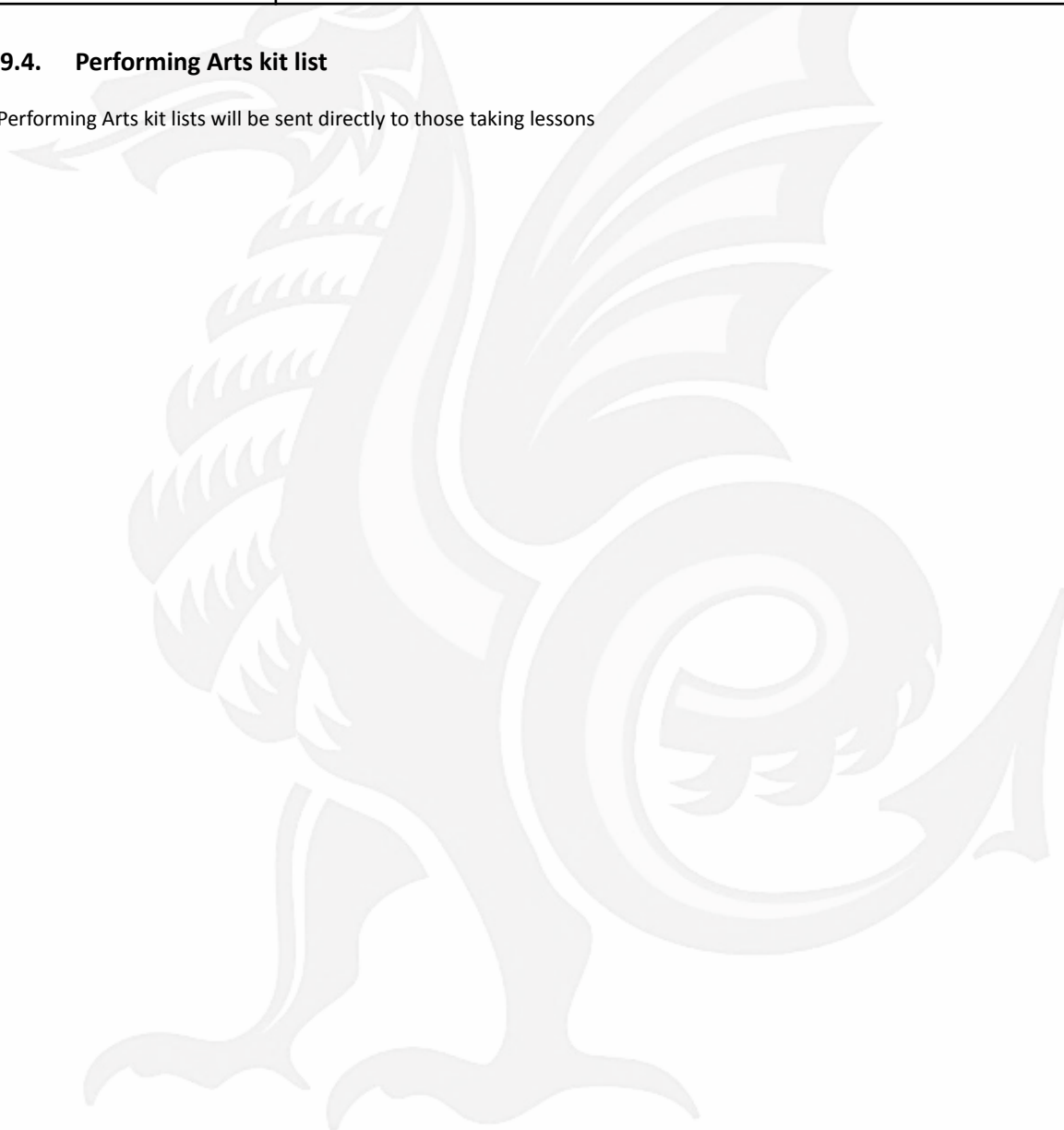
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All	Notes
1 pair of trainers – ideally Velcro fastening	
Black swimming trunks / costume	
Lightweight swimming goggles	
Black or Yellow swimming hat	
Small rucksack for swim kit	

Towel	
QC black 'jogging' bottoms*	
QC mid-layer quarter zip*	
QC white polo shirt*	
White sports socks (2 pairs)	
QC Holdall / kit bag *	
QC black games shorts *	
Gum shield	Year 2 Spring Term only
Shin pads	Year 2 Spring Term only

9.4. Performing Arts kit list

Ballet and Performing Arts kit lists will be sent directly to those taking lessons



10. Upper Prep (Years 3-6) regulation uniform lists

10.1. Uniform

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Skirt	Trouser	Notes
Warm and waterproof raincoat	Warm and waterproof raincoat	Must be plain black or a school branded coat with a hood
Rucksack or school bag	Rucksack or school bag	Must be plain and dark in colour
	Prep School tie*	
Prep School cardigan* or jumper*	Jumper*	
Prep School kilt*	Grey shorts or grey trousers	Long trousers optional second half of the Autumn term to end of Spring Term; Years 5 and 6 may wear trousers all year if they choose to do so.
White short-sleeved blouse with revere collar	White short-sleeved school shirts	
Black tights/black knee length socks (summer term: White plain ankle socks)	Grey socks	
Black low-heeled, polishable shoes	Black polishable shoes	Boots are not permitted
Plain sun hat	Plain sun hat	Summer months only
A warm hat, scarf and gloves	A warm hat, scarf and gloves	Winter months only

10.2. Sports Kit

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Girls	Boys	Notes
Running shoes	Running shoes	For use primarily outside
Trainers	Trainers	For use on the Astro/indoors
Black swimming costume	Black swimming trunks	
Lightweight swimming goggles	Lightweight swimming goggles	
Black or Yellow swimming hat	Black or Yellow swimming hat	
Waterproof bag for swim kit	Waterproof bag for swim kit	
Towel	Towel	
QC black tracksuit bottoms*	QC black tracksuit bottoms*	
QC mid-layer quarter zip*	QC mid-layer quarter zip*	
QC black and gold showerproof warm-up jacket*	QC black and gold showerproof warm-up jacket*	
QC black performance leggings*	QC black performance leggings*	
QC white polo shirt*	QC white polo shirt*	
White sports socks (2 pairs)	White sports socks (2 pairs)	
QC Holdall*	QC Holdall*	

QC games shirt *	QC games shirt*	Autumn and Spring Terms Only
QC black skort or shorts*	QC black games shorts (2 pairs) *	
QC black & gold games socks (2 pairs) *	QC black & gold games socks (2 pairs) *	Autumn and Spring Terms Only
	Rugby/football boots	
Hockey stick	Hockey stick	Named ineradicably
Gum shield	Gum shield	Compulsory for the Autumn term for girls; Autumn and Spring for boys
Shinpads	Shinpads	Compulsory for the Autumn term for girls; Autumn and Spring for boys
Black Baselayer top	Black Baselayer top	If thermals are to be worn, they must be black
Black Baselayer leggings	Black Baselayer leggings	
White baselayer	White baselayer	Optional - Summer Term only
QC cream cricket shirt *	QC cream cricket shirt *	Years 5 and 6: expected for A team players
QC black cricket trousers *	QC black cricket trousers *	Years 5 and 6: expected for A team players
QC cream cricket fleece*	QC cream cricket fleece*	Years 5 and 6: optional but advisable for A team players
Cricket boots or trainers	Cricket boots or trainers	Years 5 and 6: advisable for A team players
Tennis racquet	Tennis racquet	Named ineradicably
QC bench coat*	QC bench coat*	
QC black sports cap*	QC black sports cap*	
	Cricket box	Years 5 and 6: expected for boys' A team players

11. Senior School regulation uniform lists

11.1. Uniform

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Skirt	Trouser	Notes
Regulation skirt*	Regulation trousers*	pleated skirt for Years 7-11 and a pencil skirt option for Years 10-11
School blazer*	School blazer*	
Black v-neck pullover with gold piping*	Black v-neck pullover with gold piping*	optional for wearing under blazer
School tie*	School tie*	in the correct house colour: Barnicott - Blue; French - Purple; Ray - Red; and Woolmer - Green alternatively colours ties or other ties awarded by the Head.
White school shirt with formal 'classic collar'; or revere collar blouse (summer dress only alternative)	White school shirt with formal 'classic collar'	NB plain white or flesh coloured bras only
Black plain tights; white ankle socks (summer dress only alternative)	Grey or black plain socks	
Plain black polishable leather or patent leather shoes	Plain black polishable leather shoes	Flat shoes must have a rubber sole with low heels (lower than 1½ inches). No platforms, stilettos, trainers, 'skate' shoes or fashion pumps.
Jacket, anorak or coat	Jacket, anorak or coat	Must be dark in colour and not leather or fur, with discreet logos only if any.
Woolly hat	Woolly hat	Branded 'Odd balls' woolly hat or black or white caps (see 6.6)

11.2. Sports kit

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Girls	Boys	Notes
Trainers for indoor use	Trainers for indoor use	Light-coloured sole
Trainers for outdoor activities incl Astroturf	Trainers for outdoor activities incl Astroturf	
Black swimming costume	Black swimming trunks	
Lightweight swimming goggles	Lightweight swimming goggles	
Black or Yellow swimming hat	Black or Yellow swimming hat	
Small rucksack for swim kit	Small rucksack for swim kit	
Towel	Towel	
QC black tracksuit bottoms*	QC black tracksuit bottoms*	
QC mid-layer quarter zip*	QC mid-layer quarter zip*	
QC black and gold showerproof warm-up jacket*	QC black and gold showerproof warm-up jacket*	
QC black performance leggings*	QC black performance leggings*	
QC white polo shirt*	QC white polo shirt*	

White sports socks (2 pairs)	White sports socks (2 pairs)	
QC Holdall*	QC Holdall*	
QC games shirt *	QC games shirt*	Autumn and Spring Terms Only
QC black skort or shorts*	QC black games shorts (2 pairs) *	
QC black & gold games socks (2 pairs) *	QC black & gold games socks (2 pairs) *	Autumn and Spring Terms Only
	Rugby/football boots	
Hockey stick	Hockey stick	Named ineradicably
Gum shield	Gum shield	Compulsory for the Autumn term for girls; Autumn and Spring for boys
Shin pads	Shin pads	Compulsory for the Autumn term for girls; Autumn and Spring for boys
Black Baselayer top	Black Baselayer top	If thermals are to be worn, they must be black
Black Baselayer leggings	Black Baselayer leggings	
White baselayer	White baselayer	Optional - Summer Term only
QC cream cricket shirt *	QC cream cricket shirt *	Expected for A team players
QC black cricket trousers *	QC black cricket trousers *	Expected for A team players
QC cream cricket fleece*	QC cream cricket fleece*	Optional but advisable for A team players
Cricket boots or trainers	Cricket boots or trainers	Advisable for A team players
QC black sports cap*	QC black sports cap*	
	Cricket box	Expected for boys' hardball players
Tennis racquet	Tennis racquet	Named ineradicably
Bench coat*	Bench coat*	



12. Boarders' personal items and kit list

All houses	Notes
Maximum 2 suitcases per pupil	
Casual clothing for evenings and weekends	
Footwear for evenings and weekends	
6 Sets of underclothing	
2 Sets of pyjamas	
1 Pair slippers	
1 Dressing gown	
Rain Coat	
Waterproof trousers	
Outdoor shoes/walking boots	
Wellington Boots	
Formal clothing for theatre trips and dinners	
4 Towels (with loops)	
1 Duvet	Supplied by School, but many pupils bring their own
2 Duvet covers	Supplied by School, but many pupils bring their own
Toiletries	

