# King's Ely Prep Uniform

All pupils must be properly and neatly dressed and are expected to take pride in their personal appearance both in school uniform and when wearing casual dress. This is equally important when travelling to and from school.

Shirts must always be tucked in and skirts should not be too short. Pupils should always wear a jacket as part of their uniform, unless guided differently in summer months.

## **New Uniform**

The School's uniform is available from our online supplier Schoolblazer at www.schoolblazer.com.

Parents new to Schoolblazer will initially need to set up a new account by registering as a New Parent on the website's homepage. Once registered, you will be required to add your child's details; including all relevant measurements. Those already familiar with Schoolblazer will be able to add a new child to an existing account.

# Nearly New Uniform Shop

Our Nearly New Uniform Shop is next to the car park near the Sports Hall. This is run by parent volunteers and is open during term time on Fridays from 3.30pm to 4.55pm. Holiday opening times will be updated on social media and communicated to parents. You are also able to email the team using the following email address kingsnearlynewuniformshop@gmail.com.



# Uniform regulations (Years 3-8)

- All students must have a named non-breakable water bottle
- ii. Black polishable school shoes. No heel, no flashing lights and formal design
- iii. Exaggerated hairstyles are not allowed. Hair should not be coloured. Long hair should be tied away from the face. It should be tied back completely, if longer than shoulder length, for practical subjects.
- iv. Hair gels, wet-look products and hair dyes are not permitted

- v. The wearing of jewellery is not encouraged at King's Ely Prep. However, pupils with pierced ears are allowed to wear single plain studs which must be removed or taped over for Games at the pupil's own risk.
  - Please ensure all uniform and kit is securely named.
  - Any item with a \* is only available from Schoolblazer
  - Some items may be available at the King's Ely Nearly New Uniform Shop



## Core Uniform

#### **School Uniform**

- Navy crested blazer\*
- White long or short sleeved shirt or white long or short sleeved revere collared blouse
- · House/Chorister tie worn with shirt
- Charcoal grey trousers/shorts or kilt
- Summer dress (Optional for Years 3-6)\*
- Navy or Duck egg V neck jumper with regulation contrasting stripe at V (Optional)
- Navy knee-length socks or navy tights worn with kilt (winter)
- Dark Grey or black socks (worn with shorts or trousers)
- White socks worn with kilt or summer dress (summer)
- Navy crested coat (Years 3-6)
- Plain navy or black coat (Years 3-6). Mainly plain navy or black coat (Years 7-8)
- Navy crested beanie hat (Optional for Years 3-6)\*
- Navy fleece scarf (Optional for Years 3-6)
- Navy fleece gloves (Optional for Years 3-6)

### **Sports Kit**

- Mid-layer training top and training pants\*
- Soft shell jacket (Optional)
- School Hooded top (Optional)
- Navy/ Duck Egg fitness t-shirt\*
- Reversible games shirt\* (Field sports)
- Navy crested sports shorts\* or skort\*
- Navy base layer top (Optional all years)\*
- Navy base layer shorts (Optional all years)\*
- Full length navy fitness leggings\* (Optional)
- PE shorts (Optional all years)\*
- Navy and duck egg games socks\*
- Games bag\*
- School navy backpack (Years 3-6)\*
- Mainly navy or black school bag (Optional, only for Years 7-8).
- · Navy or white sun hat or cap
- Swimming bag (Years 3-6)\*
- Plain navy or black swimming trunks or one piece swimsuit
- Trainers (designed for sport not fashion trainers)
- Football /rugby boots for field sports.

All clothes and shoes should be clean and in good condition when pupils return to school.

### \* From Schoolblazer only

# Boarding requirements (Years 4 - 8)

- All items brought into school must be clearly named.
- All boarders will be expected to take their belongings home or to guardians at the end of each term (some items may be stored at Christmas and Easter).
- All boarders have access to a lockable wardrobe.
  Boarders need to provide their own padlocks for these.
- Electrical adapters are supplied by the School for international appliances.

# **Bedding**

Although the school does provide bedding, children may prefer to bring their own. Bedding fabrics should be of 'easy care' variety, preferably polyester/cotton.

This is also applicable for Flexi-Boarders.

# Laundry

House staff wash some items in the boarding house and the school laundry operates a collection and delivery service twice a week. All casual clothing must be colour fast and suitable for machine washing and capable of being tumble dried. Casual shirts should be of polyester/cotton for easy care. There is no laundry charge, but items which require dry cleaning will be charged to pupils' accounts.

## Additional items for Prep Boarders

#### **School Uniform**

- 1 pair charcoal grey trousers or shorts (2 in all)
  (3 pairs for Choristers) / 1 school kilt (2 in all)
- 5 white shirts / blouses (6 in all)
- 1 navy or duck egg V-neck jumper with regulation contrasting stripe (2 in all)
- 1 pair slip-on/Velcro fastening shoes suitable for Cathedral use (Choristers only)

### **Sports Kit**

- 1 pair navy crested shorts / skort (2 pairs in all)\*
- 1 reversible games shirt / 1 fitness t-shirt (2 in all)\*
- 1 pair games socks- duck egg and navy (2 pairs in all)\*

### **Boarding clothing**

- A suitable supply of underclothes/socks/tights (we suggest seven pairs of each)
- Pyjamas/night wear (at least 2 sets)
- · A warm dressing gown and slippers
- Coat hangers (at least 6 with a bar must be named)
- 3 bath towels (with centrally placed loops for hanging up)
- Hairbrush, comb, toilet requisites
- Wash bag and contents
- An overnight bag
- No more than three outfits of casual wear for afterschool and at weekends
- 1 lightweight waterproof coat
- 1 fleece/warm jumper

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### \*Available at Schoolblazer