

## DINWIDDIE HIGH SCHOOL-2025

### DRESS CODE FOR LEARNERS

EFFECTIVE DATE: Thursday, 2 January 2025

AS AMENDED ON: 25 July 2024

#### SCHOOL UNIFORM

NB: DRY-MAC IS NOT ALLOWED.

NB: BEANIES ARE NOT ALLOWED.

Our Uniform is our pride and represents us as a school, therefore; learners must wear it with pride and are not allowed to alter it. School uniform must be worn during the official school days and at all official functions. Whilst the learners are dressed in school uniform, in or outside school premises all school rules will apply. NOTE that fighting, drinking alcohol, smoking (any form of cigarette) and misbehaving on premises and outside the school premises dressed in school uniform will result in exclusion/expulsion/deregistered from the school. **NO ONE HAS THE RIGHT TO DISRESPECT OUR UNIFORM.**

#### BOYS SUMMER UNIFORM

1. Grey flannel long trousers with loops for a black belt, no frayed edge. (Black belt with a small buckle) No tight fit pants/trousers allowed/No skinny pants/trousers allowed.
2. Light blue short- sleeved shirt with school badge. (No writing on school shirt)
3. School tie must be **worn at all times (Compulsory)**. It must be pulled up neatly with the top button of the shirt fastened. (TIE WHEN KNOTTED MUST REST BETWEEN BELLY AND TOP OF TROUSER)
4. Grey socks or DHS School socks. (NO OTHER is allowed)
5. Black leather lace-up school shoes of conventional design with black laces.
6. V-neck school jersey with the school colours may be worn.
7. Pull over is compulsory.
8. Red pull over is compulsory for Grade 12s only.
9. A school blazer with a badge on the pocket and all the buttons intact. **(Compulsory)**

#### BOYS WINTER UNIFORM

1. Grey flannel long trousers with loops for a **black belt**, no frayed edge. **(Black belt with a small buckle)** No tight fit pants/trousers allowed/No skinny pants/trousers allowed.
2. Light blue long-sleeved shirt with/without the school badge on the pocket.
3. School tie must be worn at all times (Compulsory). It must be pulled up neatly with the top button of the shirt fastened.
4. Grey socks or DHS School socks. (NO OTHER)
5. Black leather lace-up school shoes of conventional design with black laces.
6. A school blazer with a badge on the pocket and all the buttons intact. **(Compulsory)**

7. Pull over and/or V-neck school jersey with the school colours may be worn.

### **HAIR AND JEWELLERY (BOYS)**

1. No colouring of hair allowed.
2. No pattern shavings on the head.
3. No lines eyebrows.
4. Dreadlocks or braiding are **not** allowed.
5. Boys must be clean shaven at all times.
6. No jewellery may be worn in piercings to school.
7. No jewellery other than a wrist watch or medical disc is allowed.
8. No wrist phone.
9. Hair should be neatly cut or short haircut.
10. No tongue or nose or eye rings/studs may be worn.
11. No tattoos are allowed.
12. No items may be used to keep piercings open.
13. No piercings are allowed.
14. Boys are **not** allowed to wear earrings in school uniform.

### **BOYS**

1. Short and clean nails.
2. No nail polish.

### **GIRLS SUMMER UNIFORM**

1. Light blue short-sleeved shirt with the school badge on the pocket.
2. Short blue socks. Socks may not be rolled down or pulled up.
3. Dark blue skirts (Open pleat not to be sewn and must be a knee length).
4. Black leather school shoes with strap across the foot or Black leather lace-up school shoes with black laces.
5. School tie must be worn at all times (compulsory). It must be pulled up neatly with the top button of the shirt fastened.
6. Pull over and/or V-neck school jersey with the school colours may be worn.
7. A school blazer with a badge on the pocket and all the buttons intact.  
(Compulsory)
8. Make up is not allowed, no pencil drawn eyebrows.

### **GIRLS WINTER UNIFORM**

1. Light blue long-sleeved shirt with/without the school badge on the pocket.
2. School tie must be worn at all times (compulsory). It must be pulled up neatly with the top button of the shirt fastened.
3. Black leather school shoes with strap across the foot or Black leather lace-up school shoes with black laces
4. Pull over and/or V-neck school jersey with the school colours may be worn.
5. A school blazer with a badge on the pocket and all the buttons intact is compulsory. **(Compulsory)**
6. School bobby socks.

7. Black tights.
8. Grey pants (Not Skinny or tight pants) must be worn with a school blazer.
9. MAKE UP IS NOT ALLOWED, NO PENCIL DRAWN EYEBROWS.

### **MATRIC GIRLS**

1. Matric –black court shoes.
2. Dark Blue pencil skirt and must be a knee length
3. Grey pants (Not Skinny or tight pants)

### **HAIR AND JEWELLERY (GIRLS)**

1. Hairpieces are allowed (Colours 2 and Colour 4), preferable colour of your natural hair.
2. No hair colouring.
3. No pattern shavings on the head.
4. Dreadlocks and braiding allowed (No fake dreadlocks).
5. No jewellery other than a wrist watch or medical disc is allowed.
6. No finger rings, bangles, bracelets, and chains allowed.
7. Girls-pierced earrings-small thin sleeper or plain stud. No stones.
8. No false eyelashes are allowed.
9. No lines on eyebrows.
10. No tongue or nose or eye rings/studs may be worn.
11. No tattoos are allowed.
12. No items may be used to keep piercings open.
13. Only school colours (navy or light blue/red/white) ribbons are allowed.
14. Hair styles: Straight up and/or Straight back.
15. Braids: width 1 cm and shoulder length.
16. No fringe, front lines and beads.
17. Long hair must be straightened and put into one or two ponytails.
18. Long hair must be tied to a shoulder length.
19. Piercings are not allowed

### **NAILS (GIRLS)**

1. Short and clean nails.
2. No nail polish.

### **SCHOOL CASE/BAG**

Learners must preferably use a waterproof back-pack

### **NO PLASTIC CASES**

**NB: ONCE MORE: DRY-MAC IS NOT ALLOWED.**


**NB: BEANIES ARE NOT ALLOWED. (Including the ones with the school logo)**

This document will be implemented on **Thursday, 2 January 2025** and will be revised annually unless if majority of parents through the SGB Chairperson request changes to the document.

It is the duty of the learner to make sure that he/she adheres to the Dress Code. It is the responsibility and duty of the parent/guardian to make sure that his/her child adheres to the Dress Code of the school as the parent(s) is the one who registered at Dinwiddie High.

SGB Policy & Planning Chairperson

Surname: KASHAYA

Signature: 

RCL Rep (Name and Surname): Katheho Vilakazi

Signature: 

The dress code can only be changed if majority of stakeholders (**Parents, RCL, SGB, Educators, including learners who have interest in changing the dress code**) in a special meeting to agree on changes implemented. Such a meeting will be called by the chairperson of the SGB in consultation with the school management. A learner who does not conform to our dress code will be dealt with in terms of the learners 'code of conduct (Which carries a maximum of one day suspension from attending a class/school and one term of suspension from all school's extra-mural activities). Dress Code is non-negotiable.

The SGB (Chairperson or his/her delegate) shall preside over the meeting and decision taken shall be communicated to all stakeholders of Dinwiddie High School.

I, (Learner)..... In Grade .....  
will wear my uniform with pride and conform to the uniform dress code of Dinwiddie High School every day.

I, (Parent/Guardian) .....  
Parent/Guardian of ..... in Grade .....  
will support the school by making sure that my child adheres to the School Dress Code at all times.

It is the duty and responsibility of the Parent(s)/Guardian(s) to check on the uniform of their children.

Parent/Guardian signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_