

Induction Information

UNIFORM INFORMATION

We firmly believe that a smart and distinctive college uniform helps to instil a pride and sense of loyalty to the college. In the long run it is both practical and economical. One of the many advantages of college uniform is that it is clear to all concerned that each one of our students belongs to **ONE** college community, Painsley Catholic College. Your co-operation in helping us to maintain a consistently high standard of uniform will be greatly appreciated.

Girls

- Years 7-9 red and white college striped blouse
- Years 10 & 11 white blouse with collar
- Clip-on college tie
- Black blazer including College badge
- Dark grey terylene skirts, Contemporary Trutex or Salisbury style—**KNEE length (20")** with logo embroidered below the waistband (NB: Jersey material is not acceptable).
- Steel grey Signature Classic Banner trouser.
- Black shoes—no heels or sling-backs
- Black ankle socks, black/natural tights
- PE Kit (see PE Kit page)

Boys

- White shirt
- Clip-on college tie
- Black blazer including College badge
- Dark grey trousers (not jeans, corduroy, canvas or fashion trousers)
- **Black Shoes** (not trainer style)
- Grey/Black socks (not white)
- PE Kit (see PE Kit page)
- **Optional**—Grey long sleeve **pullover**, V-neck (not cardigan)

Coats: Leather, denim, camouflage or service-type jackets are not suitable for college.

Parents are asked to provide anoraks, overcoats, kagouls or similar waterproof clothing to be worn **OVER** blazers.

No jewellery or make-up are permitted and long hair must be tied back. Please note that there should be no dyed hair or fashion hair cuts (lines and patterns, gel, shaved head etc). Boys' hair should be no shorter than a grade 3.

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PE INFORMATION & KIT

Physical Education is one of the foundation subjects in the National Curriculum and is a compulsory subject for all students. There has to be sound medical reasons for not doing PE and students should always have a written note from home where exemption is requested. If not participating for any reason students are expected to bring kit and **be involved** in the lesson in a coaching or officiating role. Any student excused on medical grounds for a lesson will study the theory of PE. We insist on the same high standard in PE kit as we do for college uniform.

Girls

- Navy & Red T-Shirt with college logo +
- Navy games skort with college logo +
- Red football socks
- Plain training shoes* (no pumps)
- Shin Pads
- Gum shield
- Navy Painsley Tracksuit with college logo + (optional)

Boys

- Navy & Red T-Shirt with college logo +
- PE shorts, navy (plain, no stripes) with college logo +
- Red football socks
- Plain training shoes* (no pumps)
- Shin Pads
- Gum shield
- Navy Painsley Tracksuit with college logo + (optional)

+ These items **must** carry the college badge and are available through the college suppliers
All PE uniform may be purchased from the National Schoolwear Centre, Sportsland and Something Special—for contact details, see uniform information.

* Not expensive fashion trainers or boots.

Boys and Girls **Optional** - Jackets (fleece reversible and waterproof). **These must have student initials embroidered on them.** *Note: these are NOT required but can be used in colder weather.*

Boys and Girls—Gum Shields (Painsley stock basic gum shields).

Girls—Navy Blue/Grey Leotard & Tights (Optional)**