



# Durham School

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## **Uniform and Dress Code**

Short stay pupils Year 7 to Year 11

At Durham School we welcome pupils who want to experience the Durham School education but only for a term or two terms. As a short stay pupil, we want to ensure that your time with us is hugely enjoyable, productive and that we make it as easy as possible for you to join us.

In the UK, school uniform is a very important part of school life and no more so than at Durham School. We have recently developed a new school uniform for the Durham Cathedral Schools Foundation and we expect all our pupils to wear this with pride and feel an integral member of our school community.

Short stay pupils can purchase the full range of uniform from our suppliers at the DCSF webshop at [Schoolblazer](#) and the Durham School Sports Uniform can be purchased from the DCSF webshop at [Grays Team Sports](#). However, we know for a short stay at Durham School, this will be very costly so we have looked at what items you need, which items you can loan from School and what you can bring from home. All items of clothing must be named.

### **A note for Boarders:**

Boarders will require a greater quantity of uniform to ensure they can participate in the school day and sports programme fully, wearing clean and fresh items. Boarders clothes are laundered via our weekly laundry service and various items can be washed in Houses in emergencies. All items of clothing must be named.

Delivery to Durham School must clearly state the name of the pupil, house and be sent to:  
Durham School, Quarryheads Lane, Durham, DH1 4SZ.

## Uniform List for Year 7 to 11

Item	Notes	Regulation	Recommended quantity.	
			Boarders	Short stay pupils
Jacket	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>DCSF Navy Tweed Jacket compulsory from <a href="#">Schoolblazer</a>.</li> </ul>	Compulsory	Jacket x 1	This can be loaned from School for £50. This covers dry cleaning at the end of the stay.
Trousers and / or kilt	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>These must be purchased from the <a href="#">Schoolblazer website</a>. Pupils may choose the fit and items they wish to wear.</li> <li>The Trousers and Kilt must be worn as shown on the website. The length of the trousers must reach the shoes and the kilt must not be rolled at the waist and must sit on the knee.</li> </ul>	Compulsory	3 x Bottom half garments (Trousers and/or Kilt)	You can bring navy trousers or a kilt style skirt with you from home.
Shirt *	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A white shirt with a stiff collar and top button to be worn with a tie.</li> <li>Either long or short sleeves are acceptable</li> <li>These are compulsory but can be purchased from any retailer including <a href="#">Schoolblazer</a>.</li> </ul>	From <a href="#">Schoolblazer</a> or elsewhere	5 – one per weekday	You can purchase white shirts from any retailer and bring these with you from home.
Tie	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The House Tie must be purchased from the <a href="#">Schoolblazer website</a>.</li> <li>All Durham School pupils wear a tie.</li> </ul>	Compulsory	1	This can be purchased from the School Reception for £11.60
Jumper	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>It is not compulsory to wear a jumper, however if one is worn this must be purchased from <a href="#">Schoolblazer</a>.</li> <li>Year 7 &amp; 8 wear the V Neck Jumper</li> <li>Year 9+ can continue to wear the V Neck Jumper but may also wear the ¼ Zip Jumper from <a href="#">Schoolblazer</a>.</li> </ul>	Optional but must be bought from <a href="#">Schoolblazer</a>	1	You can purchase the School Jumper from Schoolblazer or wear a V neck navy jumper.
Shoes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Black or navy</li> <li>No patent leather or suede</li> <li>No ankle boots or heels</li> </ul>	Compulsory Can be bought from anywhere	1 pair	1 pair

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Black trainers are not acceptable</li> </ul>			
Socks / tights	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Navy</li> </ul>	Compulsory From <a href="#">Schoolblazer</a> or elsewhere	5 pairs – one per weekday	Bring from home.
Coat	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>DCSF coat purchased from <a href="#">Grays Team Sports</a></li> <li>No branded, e.g. North Face jackets, fleeces, or sports jackets can be worn.</li> </ul>	Compulsory	1	A dark coloured coat is acceptable to wear.
School bag	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All pupils require a school bag or rucksack to carry their books, laptop, and belongings to lessons.</li> <li>This should be black or navy in colour.</li> <li>These can be purchased from the <a href="#">Grays Team Sports webshop</a> (Club Rucksack)</li> </ul>	Compulsory	1	Please bring a rucksack from home unless you wish to purchase the School one.
Sports Bag	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All pupils require a sports bag for sports kit to be purchased at <a href="#">Grays Teams Sports</a> (Club Holdall)</li> </ul>			
Sports Kit	<p>All pupils participate in the Games programme and need the correct school kit for this. Non-school items are not acceptable clothing for Games.</p> <p>All sports kit and the school coat must be purchased from <a href="#">Grays Team Sports</a></p> <p>All pupils must have the Sports Uniform:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Durham School Reversible House shirt – enter your House name in the webshop</li> <li>Navy Photon Tee</li> <li>Navy Leisure Shorts and / or Navy Synergie Leggings</li> <li>Navy Synergie Trousers</li> <li>Navy Bespoke ¼ Zip Top</li> </ul>	Compulsory	<p>Boarders need at least 1 House shirt and 3 Photon tees, 2 ¼ zip tops, 2 pairs of shorts or leggings and 2 pairs of Synergie trousers</p>	<p>Please purchase the following items:</p> <p>¼ zip top Navy photon Tee x 2</p> <p>You can bring navy shorts, navy tracksuit bottoms, navy leggings with you.</p> <p>If you wish to compete for School at rowing, hockey, rugby, netball, cricket you will need to bring with you the equipment you need eg.</p>



Other Sports	<p>Pupils may require sports specific clothing and footwear depending on which sports they may choose to specialise in.</p> <p><u>Rowing</u>: purchased via the DSBC website for lycras and base layers. Mr Bryant will provide details once you start rowing at school.</p> <p><u>Cricket</u>: Durham School cricket kit. You will be advised by Mr Fishwick what kit you need – kit must be purchased at the <a href="#">Grays Team Sports Webshop</a></p> <p>There are a range of other sports you can train and compete in but the basic sports kit is fine for these.</p>			
Extras	<p>Life at Durham School is very busy so it is advisable for all pupils to have in their locker:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A pair of trainers and socks in school at all times.</li> <li>• Towel and toiletries</li> <li>• Hair bobbles to tie up long hair</li> <li>• Spare water bottle</li> </ul>	Recommended		

What else you need to know:

Boarders need casual clothes for evening and weekends as well as nightwear, underwear and sliders, crocs or slippers to wear within the house. Pupils also need a pencil case with stationary for lessons. Files, books and papers will be provided.

Your Boarding House will provide a duvet, pillows, mattress protector, bed sheet and duvet cover and pillow cases. Please bring 2 bath towels with you. Boarders can decorate their bedrooms with photos and posters; it is good to personalise your bedroom area. You will also need to have a UK adaptor (must meet British Standards) to plug your electrical equipment in.