

SCHOOL UNIFORM 2025-2026

Our uniform is **Smart, Practical and Comfortable**

We believe that wearing uniform helps to create a sense of identity and community.

We expect pupils to wear their uniform with pride when at school, on journeys between home and school, and when representing the school on visits and fixtures.

Pupils who do not meet our expectations about uniform will be challenged and sanctioned accordingly.

The college makes the final decision as to what is or is not acceptable in all aspects of student's appearance.

Cambourne VC Uniform

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| Sweatshirts | Branded grey College sweatshirt (Black for Years 10 & 11) | No other sweatshirts, jacket or hooded top is permitted. |
| Polo Shirts | Branded College blue polo shirt. (Grey or purple for Prefects). | No other shirt is permitted. |
| Trousers | Plain black, formal, tailored, loose fitting, school trousers. These should sit on top of the shoe (see examples). | No skin-tight/stretchy/slim fit trousers, leggings or 'jeans' type trousers. |
| Skirts | Plain black school style skirt touching the knee or longer. <u>Note</u> : Skirts should be loose enough to remain at the knee (see examples). | No short, skin-tight, or stretchy skirts are allowed. |
| Shorts | Plain black knee length shorts of a formal style (see examples). | No sport shorts or other style or colour permitted |
| Socks / Tights | Plain black, grey, or white. | No other style or colour permitted |
| Shoes | Completely black leather or leather-style sensible shoes with a flat sole | No contrasting branding, trainers, sandals, pumps, canvas/fabric style shoes, high heels, or boots. |
| Jewellery | One watch, one pair of small stud earrings, one ring No facial piercings. | No other visible jewellery is permitted. All jewellery and piercings must be completely removed for PE/Dance. |
| Hairstyles | Hair colour should be natural. Hair accessories should be functional and discreet. | Extreme hair colours or hairstyles as judged by the College are not allowed. No hats or bandanas allowed. |
| Make Up / Nails | Natural-looking make-up may be worn. Nail varnish is permitted. | False/acrylic nails. Long nails are not allowed - nail length should not go past the fingertips. |
| Outside wear | On their journey into school and in outside social spaces, pupils are allowed to wear all items of outdoor clothing, including coats, jackets, hoodies, scarves, gloves, and hats. | No outside wear inside the building Outdoor wear should not have any inappropriate slogans or logos |
| Earphones / Mobile phones | Students are allowed to bring these to school and will switch these off and place in schoolbag upon arrival to school. | No earphones / mobile phones to be visible on school site. These will be confiscated by staff if seen. |

CAMBOURNE PE UNIFORM

Pupils are to come into school in their PE kit on the days that they have PE lessons and to change into their school uniform after lessons (unless pupils have PE on periods 5 and 6).

Compulsory PE items include a red T-shirt/ polo T-shirt and the red hooded jumper/fleece, as well as both indoor trainers and Astro-style trainers for football, rugby, and hockey on the 3G pitch.

Pupils who do not meet our expectations about PE kit will be challenged and sanctioned accordingly and asked to change into the correct PE kit.

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| T-Shirt | Branded Red Cam VC T-shirt or Polo shirt, or sports activator T-shirt. | No other t-shirts or polo shirts of any colour permitted. |
| Jumper | Branded Red Cam VC Hoodie or Fleece, or Blue Sports Leader Hoodie | No other sweatshirts, hoodies or zip hoodies of any colour permitted. |
| Shorts | Plain black sports shorts, to be at least mid-thigh in length | No skin-tight shorts, such as cycling shorts, short shorts or shorts of other style or other colour permitted |
| Skort | Plain black sport skort | No other colour skorts permitted |
| Trousers | Plain black tracksuit trousers or jogging bottoms | No other colour sport trousers or trousers or joggers with Logos are permitted |
| Leggings | Plain black sport leggings or black leggings with CAM VC logo down the leg | No other colour leggings or large logos are permitted. |
| Trainers | Indoor trainers | No school shoes or pumps such as Vans, Converse, Air Force 1s. |
| Astro Trainers * | Outdoor "Astro-style" studs on the 3G pitch. Astros are training shoes that have soles with a higher-than-normal raised moulded pattern, for use on artificial grass surfaces. Boots need to have either dimpled soles, plastic studs or moulded blades. | No other trainers should be used. Metal capped, or metal studs are not permitted for health and safety reasons and for maintenance of the artificial pitch surface. |
| Jewellery / Nails | All jewellery and piercings must be completely removed for PE/Dance. | Long nails are not allowed - nail length should not go past the fingertips. |
| Shin Pads | Full size shin pads must be worn under long black socks for both football and hockey | No shin guards that only cover a small portion of the shin |
| Gum Shields | Gum shields to be worn for both Rugby and hockey | |

*** Outdoor "Astro-style" studs:** These are training shoes that have soles with a higher-than-normal raised moulded pattern, for use on artificial grass surfaces. Boots need to have either dimpled soles, plastic studs or moulded blades; flat soled trainers, metal capped or metal studs are not permitted for health and safety reasons and for maintenance of the artificial pitch surface.

- **EXAMPLE** “astro-style” studs, under £20:
 - Decathlon – [CLICK HERE](#)
 - M&M Direct – [CLICK HERE](#)
 - Sports direct – [CLICK HERE](#)