

Post 16 Dress Code

Belfairs Academy is a working environment and therefore students must be dressed appropriately.

We operate a smart/casual dress code. The information below should be used as a guideline only and the final decision as to what is appropriate rests with the Post 16 staff and Senior Leadership Team. Students not dressed in line with the code will be sent home to change and expected to make up any lesson time lost.

Appropriate	Not appropriate
Clean, smart jeans or trousers	 Ripped/ frayed/ distressed jeans or trousers Tracksuit bottoms Sports leggings Jogging bottoms Light coloured/thin linen trousers
 Clean, smart shorts that come down at least to mid-thigh. This includes smart denim shorts and chino style shorts Skirt/dresses must come to at least fingertips Thick, black leggings worn with a top that comes down to at least midthigh 	 Swim shorts, sports shorts, jogging bottom material shorts, ripped/frayed/ distressed shorts Shorts that do not reach at least mid-thigh Leggings worn with a short top Cycling shorts
Clean, smart t-shirts/polo shirts/ button-up shirts/ jumpers	Ripped/frayed/distressed tops and offensive branding or slogans
 Clean, smart tops with wide straps that fit to jeans/ skirts or to mid-thigh if wearing leggings Top straps should cover the full shoulder 	 Vest/Spaghetti strap tops Vest/Racer back tops Vest/Tank tops Backless tops Crop tops Tops where underwear is visible (including bra straps) or have midriff showing Low cut tops
 Shoes/ trainers/ canvas-style shoes Sandals with support around the back and closed toes 	 Flip-flops, sliders or open backed sandals, crocs Open backed shoes Open toe shoes Uggs/Slippers

Additional information

- Post 16 ID badge must be worn at all times
- Outdoor coats and scarves should be removed in the building
- Beachwear is not appropriate at any time
- No hats or caps may be worn in the building
- Natural hair colour only
- Any piercings must be discrete
- Tattoos must not be visible