

Our Bathgate Academy dress code was agreed in consultation with pupils, parents, staff, our parent council and local business partners. There are a number of reasons for having a clearly defined dress code, our school community agreed on the following reasons:

- In a large school, for the safety of all, it is essential that all pupils are instantly recognisable as Bathgate Academy pupils.
- Wearing school uniform instils pride, a sense of belonging and projects an appropriate image to our local community and visitors to our school.
- Items of school uniform are significantly more affordable than branded items of clothing.
- School uniform removed the stigma attached to not wearing more expensive branded items and also reduces peer-pressure.

Parents/carers are asked to co-operate with the school in encouraging the wearing of the school uniform.

We will contact home for pupils who are not following the dress code to discuss supporting this in the future.

Uniform adaptations to support learners needs can be arranged. Please contact your child's House Leader to discuss.



## S1 - S6 UNIFORM

White or Black Shirt & Tie

Junior Tie (S1-S3) Senior Tie (S4-S6)

Black Trousers/Black Skirt/Black Jeans\*/ Black Leggings\*/Black Jeggings/ Black Dress Shorts

**Black Footwear** 

#### School Hoodie/School Zipper/ School Jumper Plain Black Hoodie\*/Zipper\*/Jumper\*/Cardigan\*

**Blazer is Optional** 

#### PLEASE NOTE:

should be visible

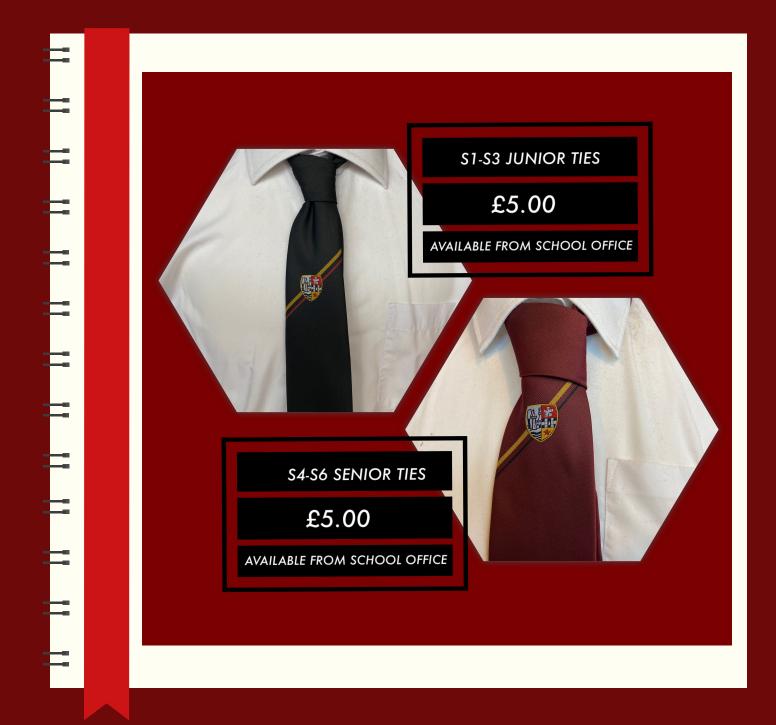
\*No logos or brands \*Leggings should be of a \*Jeans should not have holes/rips reasonable thickness and should not be faded.

\*Jogging bottoms and tracksuit bottoms are not acceptable school uniform.

Please get in touch if you need any support in accessing school uniform.

Clothing Grants are available at: https://www.westlothian.gov.uk/mealsandclothing

## Bathgate Academy SCHOOL TIES



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## SCHOOL HOODIES



Please note these items are acceptable to be worn with a shirt and tie and not as a replacement for a shirt and tie. The items above can be ordered via your ipay account or via the school office using the order form.

## Bathgate Academy SCHOOL ZOODIES



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## Bathgate Academy SCHOOLJUMPERS



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# BLAZERS



#### BLAZER EMBROIDERED WITH SCHOOL LOGO.

New Blazers should be purchased from Academy Uniform via their webshop: https://bit.ly/BABlazers

> £35.50 £37.50 .50

### Ordering



Form coming soon in the meantime please contact school office

call: 01506280900 email: wlbathgate-ac@westlothian.org.uk