



Cheadle Hulme High School: Sixth Form Business Dress for Our Workplace

Students are expected to wear business dress for our workplace at all times in school and on school trips. For some trips, e.g. Duke of Edinburgh expeditions, students will be permitted to wear non-business dress.

Financial support is available for those eligible for the 16-19 student bursary (for further details visit [Sixth Form - Financial Support - Cheadle Hulme High School \(chhs.org.uk\)](https://www.chhs.org.uk)).

The following **business dress** should be worn at all times:

- Skirt or tailored trousers (including tailored shorts)
 - Skirt length **should be closer to the knee than the hip.**
- Smart shirt or blouse or top
- Suitable formal footwear

The following business dress may be worn:

- Smart jacket
- Suit
- Smart dress
 - Dress length **should be closer to the knee than the hip**
- Smart jumpsuit
- Smart jumper or cardigan
- Waistcoat
- Tie

Outdoor coats may be worn when appropriate although **these should be removed inside school buildings.**

The following are not acceptable:

- Jeans/ denim/ leather clothing.
- Short stretch, 'bandeau' style skirts and 'bodycon' dresses
- Short/ crop tops, vest tops, strappy tops and bare shoulders
- Sweatshirts, fleeces and hoodies
- Leggings (or legging style trousers)
- Ripped tights/ stockings, trainers, casual shoes or other unsuitable footwear (e.g. flipflops)
- Shirts/ tops with slogans

Discreet **jewellery** is allowed, up to two pairs of earrings and one discreet nose stud.

Hair colour should be of a natural shade.

No visible **tattoos**.

Identity **lanyards** are considered to be part of business dress and students are expected to wear their identity badges when on school premises in line with the school safeguarding policy. Lost or damaged lanyards will need to be replaced at a cost of £1.

Students will be clear about the expectations of business dress and we expect that they will take responsibility for ensuring the Sixth Form's standards are maintained and that the Sixth Form is represented at its best to the rest of the school and the local community at all times.

Students who do not meet the standards will be sent home to amend their dress. Failure to do so may result in being denied access to lessons for the day. Further incidences will result in the student being asked to remain at home pending a meeting with parents/carers. A student will be denied access to a school trip if they are not in the correct business dress.

If students or parents/carers are in any doubt about suitable items, they should contact the Sixth Form before purchasing.