

Uniform for Students in Years 7-11

Torquay Girls' Grammar School believes that it is essential to instil in our students the importance of maintaining high standards of personal appearance. Accordingly, we require that all students adhere to the rules on uniform, including make-up, jewellery etc. Parents are asked to support us by ensuring that their children wear the correct items, and that these items are renewed as necessary. All the main uniform, including sportswear, can be purchased from Riviera Schooldays, 186 Union Street, where you can try on before you buy. Uniform can also be bought from their online shop at <http://www.rivieraschooldays.co.uk>

Any items of clothing should be clearly named.

Item	Description	Supplier
SKIRT	<p>Compulsory: S-Cut Navy Colchester Skirt which matches the Colchester Jacket, or Designer Pleated Skirt.</p> <p>All skirts must be worn so that they are a respectable length just above the knee. Skirts must not be rolled up at the waist band, to reduce the length.</p> <p>During the Summer Term, students may wear plain navy, tailored shorts (traditional style) at least mid-thigh length. Shorts should not have any logos, trim or branding on them.</p>	Riviera Schooldays/ Online retailers (Must be this skirt, stated)
TROUSERS	<p>Compulsory: For students who would like an alternative to the skirt, there are two options:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. S-Cut Trouser in navy which matches the S-Cut (Colchester) Jacket. 2. Trimley Trouser in navy 	Riviera Schooldays/ Online retailers (Must be one of the two, stated)
BLOUSE	<p>Compulsory: Trutex blue checked short-sleeve rever-collar blouse (pack of two).</p>	Riviera Schooldays/ Online retailers (Must be the Trutex blouse, stated)
JUMPER	<p>Compulsory: Navy-blue V-neck knitted jumper with school logo.</p> <p>Students can opt not to wear their jumpers (if they wish) during the summer term.</p>	Riviera Schooldays
JACKET	<p>Compulsory: Tailored navy-blue Colchester Jacket with school crest.</p> <p>Students are expected to wear their jackets during their journey to and from TGGs as well as when walking around school but can obviously take the jacket off in class if necessary. Students can also opt not to wear their jacket (if they wish) during the second half of the summer term only.</p>	Riviera Schooldays
FOOD TECH Years 7-9	<p>Compulsory: Apron. Recommended: White.</p>	Personal choice of supplier

PE KIT Main kit required	<p>Compulsory Preferred: White Haze Polo Top with crest logo. Navy Response Shorts or Navy Aptus Essentials Skort or Navy Aptus Training leggings. Or (instead of the above): Plain White Polo top. Non-branded. Plain Navy Shorts or Navy Skort or Navy Leggings. Non-branded. Aptus Female Full Zip Training Jacket with crest logo. This jacket can be bought later in the term if September is warm. Long navy sports socks for hockey. PE white socks (ankle/in trainer socks) & sports trainers (any colour), NOT leisure shoes, are also required.</p>	<p>Riviera Schooldays</p> <p>Personal choice of supplier</p> <p>Riviera Schooldays</p> <p>Riviera Schooldays/ Personal choice of Supplier</p>
PE KIT Years 7-8	<p>Compulsory: Mouth guard and shin pads.</p> <p>Compulsory: Mouth guards and shin pads if in teams or have opted into lessons.</p>	<p>Personal choice of supplier – Riviera Schooldays stock these. TGGGS PE Dept also stock mouth guards.</p>
PE KIT Years 9-11		
PE KIT Year 7-11	<p>Recommended:</p> <p>Aptus Performance Training Pants with crest logo.</p> <p>Thermal white base layer (winter).</p> <p>Hoody; ordered by the PE department. (Year 7 can buy in September when registered on ParentPay)</p> <p>No jewellery to be worn.</p>	<p>Riviera Schooldays</p> <p>Personal choice of Supplier</p> <p>Via our TGGGS ParentPay</p>
SHOES	<p>Flat, (heels must be below 5 centimetres) plain black, in a style suitable to wear with school uniform. Plain black leather (not suede) trainers or trainer style shoes with a black sole and with no colour in the branding are also acceptable.</p> <p>Please see our footwear images. Canvas and fabric footwear, sandals, open toes, sling backs, stilettos, kitten heels, or boots of any height are NOT acceptable.</p>	<p>Personal choice of supplier</p>
SOCKS/ TIGHTS	<p>Plain navy-blue ankle socks or black or navy trainer socks.</p> <p>No motifs.</p> <p>Plain beige, navy or black tights are acceptable throughout the year.</p>	<p>Personal choice of Supplier</p>
COAT	<p>Any plain, colour coat that is safe and warm is acceptable. No words, logos or trims.</p>	<p>Personal choice of Supplier</p>
SCARF	<p>Plain navy-blue or black scarf only.</p>	<p>Personal choice of Supplier</p>

HAIR & NAILS	<p>All hair accessories must be discreet or navy-blue. Fabric hair accessories must be plain navy-blue. Hair should be tidy, of a natural colour and avoid extremes of fashion in colour and style.</p> <p>Nail varnish should be clear – no coloured nail varnish is allowed. No artificial/acrylic nails are allowed.</p>
JEWELLERY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One discreet ring is allowed. • One pair of gold or silver stud earrings is allowed, to be worn as one stud in each lower earlobe. • No other body piercing is allowed. • One thin, discreet, small necklace allowed. Any pendants must also be small. • No tattoos. • No jewellery in PE classes.
MAKE-UP	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Discreet light foundation/cover up and black/brown mascara only. No other make-up is allowed. • Students will be asked to remove make-up which is not discreet by members of staff.

Please note: Other than outlined above, body piercing and extremes of hair colour, clothing or shoes are not appropriate. Students will be requested to rectify any of these issues immediately!

SUPPLIER DETAILS:

- 📍 Riviera Schooldays, 186 Union Street, Torquay, TQ2 5QP (Tel: 01803 293650) or order on their website <http://www.rivieraschooldays.co.uk>

Compliance

All students are expected to adhere to the above rules which will be enforced by all staff. Tutors will regularly visually check that their Tutee's uniform is correct. The following will happen should any student fail to comply without good reason (e.g. a health issue raised by their parent)

Stage 1: If appropriate, students will be asked immediately to remove (e.g. coloured nail varnish, piercings etc) replace (e.g. inappropriately coloured hair tie) or adjust (e.g. skirt length) the offending item.

Stage 2: If the above is not possible, the student will be asked to change the item overnight and present themselves in the correct uniform to a designated member of staff (usually their Tutor). If for any reason this is not possible a parent will be asked to contact the Head of Year at the school to explain why.

Stage 3: Students who repeatedly fail to meet the required standards will be seen by their Head of Year and parents will be contacted to decide the best way forward.