## **Cheadle Hulme High School: Sixth Form Dress Code**

Cheadle Hulme Sixth Form has a professional dress code. The expectations are the same as for staff at Cheadle Hulme High School and Sixth Form. Students are expected to dress professionally 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).

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

- Smart skirt, dress or trousers.
  - Skirts and dresses must be of an appropriate length for a professional work environment
- Smart shirt, polo shirt or top
- Suitable formal footwear

Students are also welcome to wear:

- Smart jacket
- Smart jumper or cardigan

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/ crop tops, vest tops, strappy tops and bare shoulders
- Hoodies
- Leggings/joggers or other casual style trousers
- Trainers, casual shoes or other unsuitable footwear (e.g. flipflops)
- Clothing with slogans or large logos

Discreet jewellery is allowed.

Hair colour should be of a natural shade.

No visible tattoos.

Identity **lanyards** are considered to be part of professional 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 these expectations 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 professional dress.

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