

Queen Mary's Grammar School Walsall

YEAR 12 BOYS STARTING SCHOOL IN SEPTEMBER 2017

School Uniform and Sportswear

We would advise parents not to buy sportswear until their son or daughter starts at the School in September as they may not know what sports they are doing.

UNIFORM

All School uniform should be bought from Clive Mark in Walsall. The address is 19 Park Place Shopping Centre, Park Street, Walsall, WS1 1NP. Telephone number 01922 622556. Clive Mark will have a limited amount of stock also in their Wylde Green (Sutton Coldfield) store. If you wish to buy from Wylde Green we would suggest you telephone ahead (0121 384 4186) to check if they have stock in your son's size.

Our uniform is in keeping with the School's traditions and expectations of pupils' appearance and behaviour. Details of our expectations for uniform, and our dress code requirements can be found in the School's behaviour policy, which is sent to parents and is also available on our website.

SPORTSWEAR

The School's sportswear can only be bought at the School's onsite Sports Store. Our Sportswear is in keeping with our high expectations of appearance, performance & behaviour of our pupils. You can only buy through the School (**not** directly from Samurai). The reason for this is to keep the cost down for you. We have negotiated good discounts with Samurai and are supported by parent volunteers who give their time freely to help sell it at School. The kit is high quality and built to stand the rigours of sport. While it is expensive, typically it would cost 50% to 85% more if sold through a retailer.

Due to the fact it is manufactured in China, the School will be placing orders on a regular basis where stocks run low. However you should be aware there is a 60-90 day delivery time so it's best to plan ahead.

ASSISTANCE WITH COSTS FOR UNIFORM AND SPORTSWEAR

We understand that starting a new school is a hugely rewarding experience but can be an expensive time for parents. If your son is eligible for free school meals we will provide assistance with the cost through the School's 16-19 Bursary Fund. You will need to purchase the items first and then your son can submit a claim for the cost to be reimbursed. If your son was not eligible for free school meals he may still be eligible for a 16-19 Bursary Fund award. Details will be given to him when he starts at school.

Further information can be found in the letter regarding Free School Meals and Pupil Premium.

If this is not the case, we may be able, in very limited cases, to contribute towards some of the cost. Please contact the School for details.

UNIFORM REQUIREMENTS AND PRICING – Year 12 Boys

UNIFORM: School uniform is being sold by Clive Mark.

The approximate prices (which include VAT where applicable, but are subject to change) are:

Item	Requirements	Size	Price
School blazer with badge	QMGS Boys Evolution Blazer <i>Must be bought from Clive Mark</i>	To size 30 Size 32-36 Size 38 and above	£56.50 £59.25 £62.65
School tie	QMGS Sixth Form crested tie (green) <i>Must be bought from Clive Mark</i>	One size	£7.49
Trousers – grey	Trutex flat front trousers <i>Must be bought from Clive Mark</i>	To size 28 Size 29-34 Size 36+	£16.50 £19.50 £19.95
Pullover – Navy - badged	QMGS badged pullover <i>Must be bought from Clive Mark</i>	To size Small Medium and above	£16.65 £19.99
School Scarf	Optional <i>Can only be bought from School</i>	One size	£5.00
Shirt – white / pastel colours	Plain white or pastel colours, from Clive Mark or any other outlet		
Socks – plain medium grey	Must be plain grey, from Clive Mark or any other outlet		
Coat - black	Optional. Must be plain black, single colour no stripes or logos and of sufficient length to cover the blazer		
Shoes – black or brown	Conventional style shoes, including suede or nubuck. Boots and pumps are not permitted.		

SPORTSWEAR: Sports kit must be purchased from the School Sport Shop (unless stated).

All prices are subject to change, although we try not to do so!

Item	Requirements all items below from School Shop unless stated	Size	Price
Hockey Only required if in Senior Hockey squads	QMGS/Samurai Hockey Senior Squad shirts (badged)	All sizes	£33.00
	Senior Squad Hockey Shorts	All sizes	£14.00
Rugby Only required if in Senior Rugby squads	QMGS/Samurai Rugby Senior Squad shirts (badged)	All sizes	£35.00
	QMGS/Samurai Rugby shorts	Up to LB (waist 28) XS & above (waist 30+)	£13.00 £15.00
	Socks, red with QMGS logo		£7.00
Games generally Note: must be worn to school fixtures with the relevant other kit	QMGS/Samurai Storm jacket (tracksuit top badged)	Up to LB chest size 36 XS & above (chest 38+)	£27.00 £34.00
	QMGS/Samurai track pants	Up to LB (waist 28) XS & above (waist 30+)	£22.00 £27.00
	PE (if participating in school sport activities). Footwear must have non marking soles	QMGS/Samurai house shirts in house colours (badged)	Up to LB chest size 36 XS & above (chest 38+)
	QMGS/Samurai PE shorts	Up to LB (waist 28) XS & above (waist 30+)	£11.00 £13.00
Swimming (if participating)	Plain black swimming trunks (may be purchased from school or any other outlet)		From £8.50
Cricket Note: white socks, cricket boots/white plimsolls/white trainers	Fleece top (badged) – Samurai		TBA
	Shirt (badged) – Samurai		TBA
	Trousers – Samurai		TBA
	Cap (optional badged) – Samurai		£12.00

PLEASE ENSURE ALL ITEMS OF CLOTHING ARE LABELLED WITH YOUR SON'S NAME