

UNIFORM POLICY

At Darul Ulum College, all students must wear the College uniform properly. There are two designated uniforms: the Daily Uniform and the Sports Uniform.

Students are expected to maintain a neat and tidy appearance, ensuring that their uniforms are clean, in good condition, and appropriately fitted.

Category	Foundation - Year 4	Year 5 - Year 12
Boys' Daily Uniform	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Tunic Shirt (Jalabiya) ▪ Elastic Waist Pants / Pleated Trouser ▪ Sports Zip Jacket (Winter) ▪ White Cap ▪ White Socks ▪ Black School Shoes / Black Runners ▪ School Beanie (Optional in Winter, DUCV brand only) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Tunic Shirt (Jalabiya) ▪ Elastic Waist Pants / Pleated Trouser ▪ Jumper (Optional) ▪ Blazer ▪ White Cap ▪ White Socks ▪ Black School Shoes / Black Runners ▪ School Beanie (Optional in Winter, DUCV brand only)
Girls' Daily Uniform	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Tunic with Pleated Skirt (mid-calf) ▪ Long Sleeve White Polo ▪ Sports Zip Jacket (Winter) ▪ Junior Hijab ▪ White Socks ▪ Black School Shoes / Black Runners ▪ Foundation & Year 1: Leggings. Year 2-4: Elastic Waist Pants 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Tunic with Pleated Skirt (ankle) ▪ Long Sleeve White Shirt ▪ Elastic Waist Pants ▪ Jumper (optional) ▪ Blazer ▪ Senior Hijab ▪ White Under-scarf Cap ▪ Long White Socks ▪ Black School Shoes / Black Runners

Sports Uniform	Boys & Girls: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Long Sleeve Sports Polo ▪ Track Pants ▪ Black Runners ▪ Boys: White Cap / Girls: Junior Hijab 	Boys & Girls: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Long Sleeve Sports Polo ▪ Track Pants ▪ Boys: White Cap / Girls: Senior Hijab
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Elaborations to the Policy

1. Daily Uniform:

- Students must wear the complete Daily Uniform every day, except during PE classes.
- Black school shoes or black runners must be worn daily. The footwear must be a shoe by definition, not a slip-on, sandal, or similar style.
- The shoes must be predominantly black in colour. A minor stripe or accent of a different colour is acceptable, but the overall appearance should be primarily black. Anything more than a stripe or what is equivalent to a stripe is not acceptable.
- The blazer is mandatory for Years 5-12 students and may be removed after morning assembly.
- The jumper is not a replacement for the blazer; rather, it is an optional item that students may wear along with the blazer on colder days.

2. PE and Sports:

- Students must wear the complete Sports Uniform for PE classes and sporting events.
- Black runners are required for PE classes.
- Foundation – Year 4 students may come to school wearing their Sports Uniform on scheduled PE days.
- Year 5 & 6 girls may wear their Sports Uniform under their tunic on PE days.
- Year 5 & 6 boys may come to school wearing their Sports Uniform on scheduled PE days.
- Years 7-12 students must arrive at school with their Daily Uniform, change into their Sports Uniform for the PE period, and then return to their Daily Uniform after PE.
- Girls: Long Sleeve Sports Polo must be loose, and the length must reach the knee.

3. Hijab (Year 5 Girls and Above):

- Girls are required to wear a properly fitted, non-transparent hijab in a style designated by the school.
- The hijab should be securely pinned and fully cover the hair, neck, ears, and chest areas.

4. Haircuts (Boys)

- Hair must not exceed 4cm in length from the earlobe, should be of a single length and style, maintain a natural colour, and be kept clean and well-combed.
- Hair must also be kept at a length that allows the uniform cap to fit comfortably and securely without obstruction.
- Older students are strongly encouraged to grow their beards while ensuring they remain neat and clean.

5. Cosmetics and Jewellery

- The use of make-up is not allowed for students at school or during any school-related activities, including camp, excursions or incursions.
- Students are prohibited from wearing nail polish or nail extensions.
- All forms of jewellery, including earrings, nose piercings, and all types of necklaces, bracelets, and rings, are not permitted.

6. Additional Items:

- Black or navy gloves, and neck scarves are permitted on cold days.
- The complete Daily Uniform is required for all formal College events, including during Year 12 examination.

7. Sourcing

- All uniform items must be from the College's designated provider (PSW), except the elastic waist navy blue school pants, secondary girls' hijab, bags, shoes, and socks.
- Tracksuits, jeans, and traditional pants are not approved as a substitute to school pants.

8. Clothing during Camp

- During school camps, students are exempt from wearing their regular uniform. However, all clothing worn must be modest and compliant with Islamic teachings.
- For girls, this includes the following minimum expectation: loose-fitting, ankle-length trousers or skirts, long-sleeved tops that cover the hips, and a hijab as per the requirements outlined in this policy. Jewellery and all forms of cosmetics are not permitted.
- Boys can either wear the traditional Islamic clothing or wear loose trousers and shirts / tops that are of a modest nature.
- Clothing with inappropriate graphics or text are not permitted.

Uniform Follow-Up Procedure

1. The Uniform Officer identifies students not wearing the complete and approved school uniform.
2. Each incident is documented in the Pastoral Care section on Schoolbox.
3. The three offences listed below are cumulative and accounted for on a termly basis.
4. The Uniform Officer will maintain a record of identified students to monitor the number of breaches per student, per term.

First Offence:

- Parents receive an automated pastoral care notification.
- A letter addressing the issue can also be sent home with the student.

Second Offence:

- Parents receive another automated pastoral care notification and a follow-up letter.
- Within 24 hours, the Uniform Officer calls the parent to discuss the matter.

Third Offence:

- The issue is escalated to the level coordinator for suspension processing (Years 3-12). The suspension will occur on a different date, which will be determined through consultation with the parents. The actual suspension is non-negotiable.
- Suspensions do not apply to Foundations - Year 2 students.
- For Foundations to Year 2 students, parents are called to discuss the issue. Unresolved cases can eventually be referred to the principal/deputy principal.

Important Notes:

- Students may remain at school with a Uniform Pass after each offence.
- Failure to display the pass results in a consequence as per the Behaviour Management Policy [Level1: Failure to follow reasonable instructions.]
- Uniform-related suspensions are standalone and not categorised as Level 3 offences.
- If a uniform item is available from the school, such as a cap or the like, the student will be allowed to purchase it on the same day without facing penalties for that breach.
- The Head of School has the authority to prohibit a student from attending class if their uniform/attire is deemed totally unacceptable. In such cases, the student will wait at the reception for parent/carer pickup.

Date of Review	Next Review
Term 4, 2024	Term 3, 2026
Principal's Endorsement: <i>A. Ceballos</i>	