



# High Tunstall College of Science

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MLS/SPR  
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Dear Parent/Carer

We are writing to provide you with further information about our College uniform and key dates.

**Hardgear (PE Kit Supplier) - [www.hardgear.co.uk/hightunstall/](http://www.hardgear.co.uk/hightunstall/)**

Students are required to have all 3 items of PE kit ready for September 2023, the compulsory kit is listed below and the items are on the Hardgear website to purchase.

BOYS	GIRLS
High Tunstall Fortis Tee/Drop Sleeve Shirt	High Tunstall Fortis Tee/ Drop Sleeve Shirt
High Tunstall HZ Sweat	High Tunstall HZ Sweat
High Tunstall Skinny Pants <b>(Optional)</b>	High Tunstall Leggings
High Tunstall Shorts	High Tunstall Skort <b>(Optional)</b>

If you order your PE Kit before **Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2023** you receive your items during the transition days on Monday 17<sup>th</sup> July 2023 to Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> July 2023. However, if you order your PE Kit by **Friday 21<sup>st</sup> July 2023** your items will be delivered during the Summer Holiday School days on Monday 21<sup>st</sup> August 2023 to Friday 25<sup>th</sup> August 2023. In preparation for September we will have a fortnightly delivery and a weekly collection for all returned items; if you would like to return any items to Hardgear please liaise with Hardgear and bring them to reception. Hardgear also have the option to deliver to your home address within 7-10 working days.

Please can we ask that Parent/Carers only order the PE Kit from the link above and from the 'Year 7 September 2023' page.

**Michael Sehgal & Sons (Blazer Supplier) - [www.michaelsehgal.co.uk](http://www.michaelsehgal.co.uk)**

If you order your blazer by **Monday 31<sup>st</sup> July 2023** we will guarantee delivery for September 2023. Michael Sehgal will deliver to your home address within 5-10 working days. Michael Sehgal are taking fitting appointments in store, please visit their website or scan the QR code below if you would like to book an appointment. Michael Sehgal are offering a free delivery to home option for all orders over £40.00, placed by Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> May 2023.



Students will require Astroturf trainers or Moulded Boots for activities on the 3G pitch. As such, if you wish to purchase a single footwear item suitable for all PE lesson surfaces, the Astroturf trainer is the ideal choice. More information regarding footwear can be found on our website. Please see the overleaf for further guidance, our 3G is a rubber crumb design. Students require Navy Blue Swimming Costumes/Shorts. Please note that all information relating to our College uniform and PE kit can be found on our website: <http://www.htcs.org.uk/parents/uniform/>.

We have blue jumpers available to purchase directly from the College for £16. We have sizes ranging from 11-12yrs – XXL Adults. If you want to purchase a jumper please contact the College.

Hands Up Hartlepool will be offering a service providing an extensive range of high quality, recycled uniform. Please keep an eye on [Hartlepool.gov.uk/school-uniform](http://Hartlepool.gov.uk/school-uniform) for more information.

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If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact the College on 01429 261446 or via email [htadmin@hightunstall.hartlepool.sch.uk](mailto:htadmin@hightunstall.hartlepool.sch.uk).

Yours faithfully

*S Prestedge*

Mrs S Prestedge  
Operations Manager

**PERMITTED FOOTWEAR:**



**Artificial Ground (AG)**  
RECOMMENDED

Specifically designed for extra abrasion, these boots usually feature more numerous and densely concentrated studs that vary in height and may be hollowed out.



**Firm Ground (FG)**  
RECOMMENDED

Sole plates feature moulded studs which are evenly dispersed across the foot to offer enhanced traction and comfort.



**Hard Ground (HG)**  
RECOMMENDED

Sole plates utilise a harder Thermoplastic polyurethanes compound for enhanced durability and typically feature multiple slightly shorter, evenly dispersed studs for optimal pressure distribution.



**Turf Trainer (TF)**  
ONLY WHEN DRY

Otherwise known as Astro's, they feature a solid rubber outsole with numerous, small multidirectional lugs spread across the sole, which offer limited grip in wet conditions.

**FORBIDDEN FOOTWEAR:**



**Soft Ground (SG)**  
TEAR THE SURFACE

Sole features removable, replaceable screw-in studs and typically come in a six-stud configuration, with four at the forefoot and two at the heel.



**Soft Ground Pro (SGP)**  
TEAR THE SURFACE

Also known as Hybrid or Mixed Stud, the sole plate comprises of a combination of conical screw-in studs and moulded studs, which are most commonly bladed.



**Blades**  
CAN CAUSE INJURY

Sole plates feature multiple straight slightly shorter, evenly dispersed studs that can restrict movement and turning which could cause injury.



**Flat Sole (Indoor)**  
NO GRIP & FLATTEN SURFACE

Sole made up of non-marking materials such as moulded gum rubber and feature pivot points, flex grooves and herringbone patterns.



**TigerTurf™**

Appropriate Footwear  
for a TigerTurf 3G Pitch

Use plastic-studded footwear only  
(no metal studs)



Do not use blades, dimpled or flat soled shoes



Footwear should always be clean and in good condition

[www.tigerturf.com](http://www.tigerturf.com)

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FOOTWEAR SURFACE GUIDE					
5-a-side	3G (RUBBER CRUMB)	2G (SAND BASED)	INDOORS	GRASS (HARD)	GRASS (SOFT)
'AG' BOOTS					
'TURF' SHOES					
INDOOR SHOES					
MOULDED / HARD GROUND					
SOFT GROUND / BLADES					