

Uniform

Students at First Act Arts are taught a wide range of performance techniques and skills. Some of these are more physical than others. The following uniform standards will be required for all students attending all lessons at First Act Drama Tuition. Students who are persistently not complying with the uniform regulations may be refused access to classes until the appropriate uniform is worn.

First Act Branded T-shirts

Upon joining First Act, we will direct parents towards purchasing their first top for First Act classes. This top is the minimum branded uniform expectation for all students: no other non-First Act tops should be worn in classes. Other styles of tops, including vest tops, and a full range of additional optional uniform items are available by visiting our online uniform shop, found on our website.

Black Pants

These can be leggings, jogging pants, or shorts, providing they are at least knee length. Jeans, hot pants, dresses, and skirts are not suitable for classes. First act jogging pants and shorts are available for purchase.

Footwear

Suitable footwear can include sports trainers, jazz trainers or pumps. Sandals, heels, and boots are not acceptable, and are a health and safety risk to the students.

Caps and Hats

Drama is an expressive art and facial expressions can play a huge part in this. It can be difficult for tutors to assess a student when they are unable to see their faces. For this reason, hats and caps should not be worn during classes. Hoods must also remain down while in the First Act studios.

Non-First Act Hoodies and Coats

In colder weather, students will be warmed up and the studios have heating. We have found that hoodies and coats being worn over the top of First Act uniform has been a cause for lower uniform standards in some students. Warmer jumpers, hoodies and jackets with the First Act branding can be purchased online.

If students or parents do not own a First Act branded hoody, any clothing going over the top of First Act T-shirts must be completely black with no logo or branding.

Hair

For health and safety reasons, any hair longer than shoulder length will need to be tied up before classes begin. Hair bobbles are available at the studio should any student forget.

Jewellery/Watches/Bracelets

When classes are more physical, there is a risk of catching jewellery and watches on partners and students within the group pieces. Any personal property will need to be left in the cloakroom area of Studio One and is left at students' own risk. Envelopes are available for smaller items such as earrings which can then be kept in the mobile phone boxes until the end of class. First Act will not be held responsible for any personal items lost at the studio. Jewellery worn for religious or cultural reasons are acceptable.

Addition Items of Uniform

T shirts, vest tops and a wide range of joggers, hoodies, jackets, and shorts are available by following the uniform link on our website.

Failure to Comply

We ask that all modesty is kept and that outfits that may be perceived as inappropriate are not worn. Students not following the uniform practises will face sanctions in line with our 'Behaviour Protocol Policy'.