

Submissions from individuals via email

As a GP and uncle to several nieces, I would like to state the obvious. Girls should have the right to wear trousers to school if they wish to. I cannot believe it has actually got to the stage where a public consultation is needed on this but appreciate that is not your doing.

It is absolutely shocking to me that we even have to discuss this in 2026. [REDACTED]

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Please do everything in your power to allow the young women in our country to choose what they want to wear.

I wish to express my views in favour of all students to be allowed to choose to wear trousers or not.

I cannot see any reasonable argument for compulsory wearing of skirts for women or girls in any settings including education. The fact that this can even be debated baffles me.

The girls should be allowed to wear trousers and free sanitary for periods.

Time to put women first with dignity and respect.

This is an issue of safety, inclusion and equality. Girls must be allowed to wear trousers to school. It is shocking to me that this sexism has been allowed to continue so long.