



Wednesday 23rd October 2024

Re: Uniform Policy

Dear families,



I am writing to confirm a small change to our uniform policy which will take effect from Monday 4th November, the first day back after half term.

We have had a big focus on student uniform throughout September and October and students are now presenting themselves professionally and ready for a day of work every morning. We will continue to maintain our focus into the Autumn and to help improve the professional appearance of our students they will no longer be allowed to wear white socks as part of their school day uniform. I know that this is only a small change but it will have positive impact on how students present as a group and continue our drive to improve school standards.

Socks: Plain black or grey socks or black or natural tights (orange or white PE socks may only be worn during PE lessons).	
Not allowed:	Allowed:
	

As well as this change, I would also like to remind you that whilst students are allowed to wear tights and are expected to wear a school jumper and coat in this colder weather. They will not be allowed to wear leggings or non-school jumpers. These items are banned from school and if a student is found to be wearing them during the school day they will be confiscated.

Finally, a reminder that jewellery must be kept to a minimum and should not exceed a watch and one simple metal stud in each ear. No other jewellery or body piercing is allowed, and it will also need to be removed before coming into school.

Tailored Trousers or shorts: These can be skinny or wide fit. No denim or denim look fabrics, metal rivets etc. No leggings or jogging bottoms.	
Skirt: Reasonable length – no shorter than mid-thigh. No legging/stretchy fabric. Flared or pencil skirts are allowed.	
Not allowed:	Allowed:
	

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Coats & Jackets: Hooded fleece jackets (hoodie) are not allowed to be worn and coats must not have large writing on them. No denim jackets.

Not allowed:



Allowed:



We hugely appreciate your support in sending your child into school wearing their full uniform. Please make sure they do not bring leggings or non-school jumpers into school. This avoids them being challenged and ensures a positive start which feeds into the rest of their school day.

Thank you very much.

Yours sincerely

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