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Dear Parent/Carer

Re: Uniform expectations for September 2016

I am writing to share with you some information regarding appropriate uniform including footwear prior to the summer holidays (guidance photographs below). The overwhelming majority of our students meet all our uniform expectations and I am grateful to all parents who support us in this way. You will understand that we want to ensure this continues.

As many of you will be concluding the purchasing of uniform items over the next few weeks it is important to note that certain items are inappropriate for our school uniform policy:

- trousers should not be tight around the ankles (this especially applies to girls)
- skirts need to be of an appropriate length (towards the knee)
- Jeans and chinos are not acceptable
- Black trainers are not appropriate footwear

We also ask that students avoid getting nose studs over the summer holidays and throughout the term. Where these are purchased, students will either have to wear a plaster to cover this in school or obtain a clear retainer to wear throughout the day.

Students not in correct uniform on our first day back in September will be isolated.

The pastoral team will be enforcing this on return in September and we therefore felt it important to share with you our expectations of uniform.

Regarding preparing students for the start of term and good behaviours for learning, can I ask that you ensure your son/daughter has a suitable school bag. This should include a pencil case with pen, pencil, ruler, rubber and calculator as a minimum. These items are considered basic and essential in any secondary school and must be part of the return to school preparation.

I have also shared with you information regarding the optional purchase of new house badges from the Finance office for £3.00. Please see edition 94 (24 June) of the Root for this information.

Yours sincerely

Mr S King
Senior Leadership Team





YES

Traditional black shoes with black soles, black laces (if lace ups) and all black stitching.



NO

Trainers and canvas shoes are not permitted. Open toed shoes are not acceptable due to potential dangers in Technology or Science.





Trousers: Trousers must be black and tailored. They must be straight leg, with a centre crease.

YES



NO

They should not be flared, bootlegged, skinny-fit, lycra or denim. Tight fitting jeans, very tight fitting trousers and leggings are not acceptable.





Skirts:

YES

Black skirts should be formal in style and in length towards the knee.



NO

Tight fitting skirts are not acceptable.





BELTS:

Belts, if worn, should be plain.

YES



NO –no studs or patterns



Additional guidance:

- 1) Earphones must not be worn in school
- 2) Hoodies are not allowed in school
- 3) Earrings must be small studs and discreet
- 4) Hair colour must be natural with no extreme hair styles and no 'tramlines' or patterns shaved into the hair