



Dear Parent/Carer

Update to Uniform Policy Years 7 - 13

Students are enjoying the warmer weather and we have, as always at this time of year, suspended the requirement to wear a blazer at all times. However, some Year 7 - 11 girls continue to persistently roll their skirts up, some to a quite ridiculous degree. Please be advised that from immediately after half-term, any student found with a rolled up skirt will be issued with an immediate C3 45 minute after school detention. Given the many warnings and reminders issued during this year, no second chance will be offered at that point.

A minority of the Sixth Form continue to adopt a worryingly lax attitude to wearing their ID badges and lanyards, again despite many reminders as to why it is important. These ID badges form an essential part of our safeguarding procedures, enabling us to immediately visually establish that every young adult on site is a member of our community. From immediately after half-term, if a Sixth Form student is seen not wearing their lanyard at any point in the school day, in lessons or out of lessons, staff will inform senior Sixth Form staff and the student's home study privilege will be removed, effective from the following day. This privilege will not be re-issued until such time as the next home study review takes place; this happens on a monthly basis.

The school has an incredibly high standard of uniform and remains determined to ensure that this is consistently the case across the board. I thank you in advance for your ongoing support of both our uniform and safeguarding expectations.

Yours faithfully

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Principal