



13th October 2023

**RE: Uniform standards**

Dear Parents and Carers,

We have noticed that uniform standards are dropping across the school. Please may I take this opportunity to remind you that children should be in full uniform at all times. We are nearing half term and there are no excuses for lack of uniform or the correct footwear in the final week of the half term.

Your children should be in plain black shoes (not trainers or trainer style shoes) black socks/tights, plain (no motifs) black trousers/shorts/skirts, white shirt, black v-neck jumper (optional), blazer and striped tie. Please see images below for clarification.



One pair of studs may be worn in the ears. These should be removed for PE. We are having an increasing number of hoops being worn to school.

Children should not be wearing nail varnish.

Longer hair should be tied back so it is off your child's face when learning. Hair ties/slides should be one colour/discreet and not overly decorative. Hairstyles should not be extreme and have no lines/patterns cut into them. Hair should be a natural colour.

From next week, if your child is not wearing the correct uniform, a slip will be passed to you to ensure that you source the correct uniform and the expectation will be that this is done by the next day. If you have any issues with uniform, please do let us know as the PTA has a stock of good second hand items.



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Thank you for your ongoing support in helping our children to look smart. It gives them a huge sense of belonging. They can take pride in their appearance, be ready for their learning as well as supporting them in following school rules and meeting expectations. For our older children, it also prepares them well for their next stage of learning at secondary school.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Alex Waddington  
Principal