



23 June 2025

## Important Uniform Update

Dear Parents & Families,

First, a big thank you to everyone, and well done to our students for handling the hot weather so well last week.

Having seen today's weather and reviewed the forecast for the next few days it now appears that temperatures have returned to more typical seasonal conditions. Because of this, we're returning to our standard uniform policy starting Tuesday 24 June.

### Uniform Expectations

Students are expected to:

- Wear their blazers into school every day. Jumpers are optional and should be removed first.
- Ensure shirts are tucked in and ties are worn at all times.
- Knee-length shorts or pleated skirts are allowed. We'll ask students to adjust skirts to an appropriate length if needed.
- Wear black socks.
- Wear formal black shoes in line with our school policy.

If a student arrives dressed incorrectly, we'll direct them to the uniform hub to find a suitable solution. Please be aware that we may contact you for your support in resolving these issues.

From the end Period 3 onwards, we will relax aspects of the dress code to help students during the warmer parts of the day. During these times, students can remove their blazers and will not be expected to wear them for the rest of the day.

### Staying Comfortable & Hydrated

We also recommend the following over the next few weeks:

- Send your child with a full water bottle every day to help them stay hydrated.

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- Consider having them bring a sensible hat to protect them from the sun during breaks.
- Please ensure your child applies sunscreen if they'll be outside for extended periods, like during PE lessons
- Short-sleeve shirts can be a cooler choice.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

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Mr P Balkwill  
Headteacher