



SKEGNESS ACADEMY

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Dear Parents/Carers

I am writing to you to thank you for the support you are showing your children and the Academy as we settle back into a more normal way of working. The vast majority of students have returned with a positive mindset, looking impeccable in their uniforms and living up to our values. However, there are a few things we need your support with to get right across the whole academy.

- 1. Uniform.** Your child should be wearing full school uniform. This means a blazer, shirt, tie, skirt/trousers and plain black footwear or the full SKA academy PE kit. Any students not wearing the correct uniform are challenged by tutors in the morning and we will be ringing you to resolve the issue before they return to lessons. We are aware that there are some students in years 9-11 who are wearing their PE kit 3 or 4 days a week due to their options and timetable. If your child needs to wear their PE kit on multiple days and you are having difficulty washing it in between, please contact us as we may be able to help.
- 2. Nails.** I am sorry to say that a few students have not been following the new rules about short, neutral gel or acrylic nails. Due to safety concerns, I am now imposing a total ban on artificial nails. From Monday 27 September, students are not allowed to wear long, fake nails at school. Please support us with this and arrange for them to be removed over the weekend.
- 3. Hair colour.** I wrote to you in July about unnatural hair colours and that blue, purple or similar bright unnatural colours were not permitted as per our uniform policy. Some students have started to dye their hair with extreme colours. Again, I ask for your support to resolve this over the weekend. From Monday 27 September, we will be contacting you if your child arrives with an extreme hair colour. Until it is resolved, they will be in isolation.

Thank you for your support with this

Yours sincerely

Mrs K Albelda
Principal

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