



25 March 2025

Dear Parents and Carers

I am writing to request your support in upholding our high standards and expectations regarding uniform, personal presentation, mobile phones and prohibited items. Specifically, please can I ask for your support with the following:

#### **Uniform**

- Students must wear their full school uniform at all times. This includes plain, low-heeled black leather or leather-type shoes that can be polished and black non-branded socks.
- The school jumper with the logo is optional and should be worn under the blazer, not instead of it.
- Students may wear a plain jacket or coat, as long as it fits over their blazers and is not used as a replacement. Hoodies and tracksuit/sports jackets are not allowed.

#### **Personal Presentation**

- Students may wear a simple watch (no smartwatches) and up to one pair of small ear studs (one per earlobe). No other jewellery is allowed.
- Hair should be neat and tidy. Extreme hairstyles, such as very short hair, shaves, emblems or lines, unnatural hair colours or drastic differences in length, are not allowed.
- Eyebrows should not be shaved or marked.

#### **Mobile Phones**

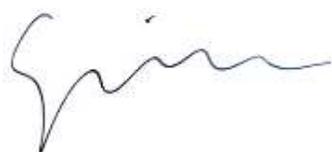
- The use of mobile phones, music systems and other electronic devices is not allowed during the school day for any reason. Starting after the Easter holidays, this rule will also apply to the breakfast club, which runs from 8:00 to 8:30am.
- The Academy has a 'Never used, seen or heard' policy.

#### **Prohibited Items**

- Chewing gum, high-energy and high-sugar-content drinks, aerosols and any type of smoking equipment are not allowed on school premises.

I would appreciate it if all parents and carers could support the Academy by ensuring that their child follows the expectations outlined above.

Yours sincerely



Mr C Gissendorf  
**Principal**

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