



West Park

'A caring school where we put pupils and their achievement first'

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Dear Parent/Carer

As the end of term is approaching we know that parents and carers will already be thinking about replacing uniform for next year and possibly taking advantage of some of the pre-holiday discounts that uniform shops offer.

With this in mind, we would like to remind you of our uniform expectations. Our uniform is very simple and accessible and can be sourced from a number of different providers. Due to this please be aware of the expectations outlined below, so that all pupils are in full and correct uniform for September.

Boys – Years 7, 8 and 9	Girls - Years 7, 8 and 9
Black School Trousers White short-sleeved polo shirt Black sweatshirt Black non-canvas shoes	Black School Trousers <i>Style - Trimley LA1404/Greenwich LA1310/ Trutex GTN or similar</i> Black School Skirt <i>Style – Davenport 913585A/Charleston LA1401/Trutex Blue Max or similar</i> White short-sleeved polo shirt Black sweatshirt - Black non-canvas shoes
Boys – Year 10 and 11	Girls Year 10 and 11
Black School Trousers Black or white short-sleeved polo shirt Black V-neck sweater or sweatshirt Black non-canvas shoes	Black School Trousers <i>Style - Trimley LA1404/Greenwich LA1310/Trutex GTN or similar</i> School Skirt <i>Style - Davenport 913585A/Charleston LA1401/Trutex Blue Max or similar</i> Black or white short-sleeved polo shirt Black V-neck sweater or sweatshirt Black non-canvas shoes
Coats – Plain without excessive pattern or branding, no hoodies (with or without zips), no denim, and no gilets/body warmers.	

Could we also remind you that the following are **not allowed** as part of school uniform:

- Leggings/jersey style trousers/chinos or jeans.
- Cropped trousers - trousers must be full length to the ankle and not be rolled up.
- Tube/pencil skirts – skirts must be pleated.

If you are unsure as to whether something you are intending to purchase for uniform conforms with our policy then please get in touch before buying it. It is also worth noting that shops will advertise anything black as school uniform, this does not mean that it conforms with our policy so please check carefully before you purchase.

Below is the remainder of our uniform policy with useful information regarding jewellery, make-up, hair and nails.

We take a very strong line on the following:

- Jewellery, nose studs, eyebrow bars/rings and tongue studs **MUST NOT** be worn.
- A pair of modest sized ear studs are acceptable (one stud per ear). Body piercing is **NOT** allowed on the grounds of health and safety. **All piercings need removing for PE lessons. Any piercings will need to be timed so that they can be removed by pupils during term time.**
- Excessive or badly applied make-up **MUST NOT** be worn.
- Nail varnish, acrylic or false nails **MUST NOT** be worn.
- No extreme hairstyles in colour, cut or arrangement.
- Hair should be 1 colour only, if pupils dye their hair it must be with a natural hair colour.
- No eyelash extensions and eyebrow alterations.
- No jeans, combat trousers or tracksuit bottoms
- Black 'jean style' skinny trousers, black skinny trousers or black leggings are **NOT** acceptable as school uniform.
- Skirts must be tailored, pleated or match the style – *Davenport 913585A/Charleston LA1401/Trutex Blue Max or similar*. Tube skirts or jersey material are **NOT** allowed.

Thank you in advance for your support.

Yours sincerely



David Sanderson
Deputy Head