

13th February 2026

Dear parents and carers,

We are at the mid-way point of the year, therefore I take this opportunity to draw your attention to some important reminders regarding uniform expectations for when we return on 23rd February.

The following points summarise key information from our Behaviour Policy which can be accessed on our website or here [SRS Behaviour policy](#)

We make our uniform expectations simple and transparent from the outset so that all students within the school community can start each school day correctly dressed and aligned with the school's expectations.

School Uniform (Y7-Y11):

Blazers - Students are expected to wear their blazer when in school at all times. In hot weather, students can wear just their polo shirts as long as they visibly carry their blazer. In cold weather, students must wear blazers underneath their jackets/coats. Blazers are not to be placed in school bags – it must be visible at all times

Trousers and Skirts - must be made of plain black material and of classic cut. **Trousers must be worn on the waist.** Skinny trousers or tight-fitting skirts are not permitted. Culottes, leggings, jeans or jogging bottoms are not permitted. **Skirts must be at least knee length.** Repeated breaches of the uniform rules regarding skirt lengths will result in students having to wear trousers to school.

Shoes - should be **black, made of leather or leather-like material, and formal in design.** Shoes should not be sports branded, canvas material, mesh material or come above the ankle. "Kickers" are acceptable, any form of trainer or trainer like shoes are not permitted. Students in incorrect footwear will be provided with plimsolls for the day, which they must wear. If a medical professional recommends to the school in writing that a student cannot follow this policy to due to an ongoing medical issue, then the school will work with parents to find a suitable alternative.

Headwear - Religious headwear such as hijabs, turbans and skullcaps are permitted. Woollen hats and scarves/snoods are permitted outdoors but not indoors. Students are not permitted to wear caps, durags, bandana, balaclavas, bonnets or any other headwear.

Jewellery - Small studded earrings and one small nose stud are permitted. During PE lessons, they must be taken out or taped over if still during the healing period. No other piercings are permitted. **No other jewellery is permitted including rings, bangles etc.** Necklaces must not be visible. Students are permitted to wear a watch, but smartwatches (for example, iWatch) are not permitted.

Make up, nails and tattoos - Make up is not allowed*. Nails must be kept short. Painted nails are permitted, but they must be short, **acrylics are not permitted.** Students will be issued a detention if they have long acrylics nails and must ensure they are removed.

***false eyelashes are not permitted – please ensure any false eyelashes are removed before the return to school after the holiday.**

Headphones - Headphones are not allowed to be worn in school (unless directed by a teacher). If a student is seen wearing headphones they will be confiscated, following the same procedure we use for any inappropriate items.

Mobile phones – as set out in our [Mobile Device Strategy](#), mobile phones must be switched off at all times whilst on the school site. This includes before and after school. If a phone is seen or heard on site, then it will be confiscated and held securely at the Front Office. The student can collect it after school finishes on the next working day.

Thank you for your continued support in maintaining the high standards of our school.

Please remember we have new and pre-loved uniform available in the school uniform shop. Uniform shop opening times are:

Monday 2.30 pm – 4.00pm

Thursday 2.30pm - 4.30 pm

Friday 2.30 pm – 4.00 pm

Equally, if you have any uniform your child has outgrown, please bring into school as all donations are greatly appreciated.

Wishing you and your family a good half-term break. We look forward to welcoming students back on Monday 23rd February 2026.

Yours sincerely,



Clare Cross
Principal