



Friday 19th July 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

As we look ahead to the summer holidays, I wanted to clarify a few points around expectations for school uniform. We understand that many people use the summer break to purchase new items and make sure uniform is all in place for September, therefore please make sure these rules are clearly followed when you are looking to update your uniform. Students who are not following these expectations in September will be expected to correct their uniform immediately.

Shoes:

- All students should wear plain, black, polishable school shoes. Please note leather-type trainers are not permitted.

Blazer:

- Every student, in all year groups, should have a school blazer.
- All students are expected to wear their blazers when walking around school and as they enter each lesson. Blazers should be worn at all times and every day.
- On a very small number of occasions, students may be permitted to not wear their blazers due to hot temperatures, but they should always remember to bring their blazer in to school.

Coats:

- Please make sure all school coats are plain and dark in colour.

Skirts:

- All students who choose to wear a skirt should wear a knee length black, pleated skirt (Year 9 and above should wear the Cox Green school skirt). Lycra or any other type of skirt is not permitted.

Trousers:

- Trousers for any student who chooses to wear them should be tailored and plain black.
- Jogging bottoms, leggings (of any style, even flared) or skinny style trousers are not permitted.

PE Kit:

- All students should wear a branded Cox Green polo top.
- Students should only wear black shorts or sports shorts – no short cycling shorts.
- Black leggings are permitted for PE only – these should be sporting material i.e., Lycra.
- In the winter term, students are permitted to wear plain black tracksuit bottoms.

We are also delighted to share that following parent feedback, we will be adding tailored shorts to our summer uniform for students and more details for this will be shared in September.

As a school, we are very aware of the cost implications that come with replacing these items regularly, therefore if you need support or to access our large stocks of pre-loved uniform please do get in touch via enquiries@coxgreen.com

I would also like to take this opportunity to thank all of our students and parents for their ongoing support with our mobile phone policy. It has been fantastic to see a reduction in the number of phones needing to be confiscated over the past few weeks.

Have a wonderful summer and please do not hesitate to get in touch if you need any further guidance around the uniform policy and requirements.

Yours sincerely,
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