



From the Headteacher - Uniform Expectations Next Week

Dear Parents

With temperatures currently forecast to remain in the high 20s next week, we will continue with the current uniform expectations for the last few days of term.

From Monday 13 July to Friday 17 July (12.45pm finish time on Friday):

- **Pupils in Years 7 – 10** may continue to wear their branded PE kit (STRS blue shorts and white/blue t-shirt) with socks and trainers; the usual uniform of trousers and white shirt, without a tie and blazer, remains an option if they wish.
- **Students in Year 12** may continue to wear appropriate warm-weather clothing, for example, shorts and a T-shirt, with closed-back shoes for health and safety reasons around the school site. The usual uniform without ties and blazers also remains an option if they wish.

Pupils continue to be advised to bring a sun hat and sunscreen for use when outside the school buildings, and when travelling to and from school; they are also being reminded to stay hydrated throughout each day and to avoid prolonged time in direct sunshine during break and lunch times. Time spent outside at break and lunchtime is being closely monitored and reduced where needed, and we have been continuing to adapt school events where necessary.

Once again, I greatly appreciate the continued hard work and determination of pupils and staff this week, while working together to manage the effects of the hot weather as well as possible in school.

I hope you have an enjoyable weekend.

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