

KDS/JSS

14 March 2024



Dear Parents/Carers

### Uniform Reminders

Further to our letter of 11 December 2023, we have noticed that students in all year groups are starting to wear grey school jumpers as an alternative to the red. This change was due to be implemented from September 2024, however, we are willing to allow this change to commence with immediate effect.

However, we have noticed that not all the grey jumpers being worn are school jumpers. Please note that jumpers should be dark grey v-neck wool/wool-mix school jumpers or cardigans, logoed or plain (logoed available from Skoolkit; plain can be purchased from any school clothing retailer as long as the colour matches). The colour should be the same or close to the colour of the school trousers/skirt.

Please note that grey or black sweatshirts/hoodies or any other non school regulation jumper is not acceptable and students wearing anything that is against the school's uniform policy will have it confiscated. Items will be sent to reception for collection at the end of the school day.

Leggings are not an acceptable item of clothing for school for any reason.

Can we also remind you that jewellery is not acceptable, except for a watch and one pair of stud earrings, worn in the ears. If you are unclear about the school uniform policy, please visit our website where the full policy is available.

In addition we are seeing students with false nails that are far too long and unsafe for practical subjects. Please ensure that your child does not have these, as they will be asked to be removed.

Our policy is to isolate children who do not comply with our uniform policy.

Red jumpers will continue to be acceptable for the academic year 2024-25 and grey will be compulsory from September 2025 onwards.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

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