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Dear Parents/Carers

Warm Weather this Week & Next

As we have a forecast of another few days of warm weather, we want to ensure all of our pupils stay safe, comfortable, and focused on their learning. To help them to stay cool, we are implementing some temporary adjustments to our uniform policy, effective from tomorrow for the rest of this week and all of next week. We will be reverting to the same options as we did 2 weeks ago which are highlighted below. Thank you in advance for making sure that students wear one of the 2 options.

Uniform Adjustments

Students will have 2 options to make them feel more comfortable in the Academy during the hot weather.

Option 1, Modified Academy Uniform: Students will not be required to wear a blazer or jumper but will be required to wear their tie. To keep as cool as possible, pupils are advised to wear school trousers as a cooler option instead of their skirts and tights; however, those choosing to wear a skirt, must wear tights. School shoes must be worn with this option.

Option 2, Academy PE Kit: Students can wear their full Academy PE Kit for the remainder of this week and all of next week. The Academy PE Kit is as follows: Black logoed polo shirt, appropriate length plain black shorts and their PE trainers. Please note that students are not permitted to wear hot pants style shorts.

Staying Hydrated: Please ensure your child brings plenty of water to school every day.

Sun Protection: We strongly encourage pupils to apply sun protection cream before leaving for school in the morning. They may also bring a bottle with them to reapply during the day.

Thank you for your continued support in keeping our community safe and comfortable. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact your child's year team.

Yours sincerely,

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