



Dydd Mawrth Gorffennaf 15fed

Annwyl Rieni a gofalwyr,

Uniform (Secondary Phase)

Uniform is an important part of our school's identity. It reinforces who we are as a community and helps our pupils feel pride in their school. We recognise, in line with Welsh Government statutory guidance, that a school uniform:

- Supports positive behaviour;
- Ensures pupils dress appropriately for learning activity;
- Ensures clothing does not create health and safety issues in school;
- Removes peer pressure to dress in particular fashions;
- Supports and promotes the positive ethos of the school.

Please see below a reminder of our school uniform for all pupils in Years 7-11:

- Black blazer
- White long or short sleeved shirt or white blouse with collar
- King Henry VIII 3-19 School tie
- Bottle Green V-Neck School Jumper or sweatshirt or cardigan (optional)
- Smart black school skirt (knee length) or trousers or shorts
- Plain black socks or tights
- Plain black school shoes (leather or leather look)

Jogging bottoms, leggings, skinny trousers, football/Lycra shorts, Lycra/Jersey skirts, and white socks, are not part of our school's uniform.

Next academic year, pupils will continue to be given a lunchtime detention if they do not wear their school tie and blazer. Pupils without a school tie can buy one in school and your ParentPay account will be debited. We will always check with you first. Pupils will continue to be asked to borrow a school tie from school for a period of time, if they do not have one. Please note that if this is not returned by the agreed date, ParentPay will be debited. We will continue to remove hoodies and non-school jumpers from pupils, for them to collect at the end of the day, if they are worn to school. We ask pupils to remove white socks. These procedures are all currently operational and already in place.

We will continue to ask parents and carers to bring the correct uniform into school if their child arrives without wearing trousers or a black skirt (i.e. if they are wearing jogging bottoms, leggings, skinny trousers, or football/lycra shorts), and if they are not wearing plain black shoes. We will supervise pupils until parents and carers arrive.

A reminder that from September (start of Autumn term) we will also ask parents and carers to bring in suitable trousers or skirt, if pupils are wearing a lycra or jersey skirt.

Our school uniform is available from our [uniform supplier](#). However, blazers, jumpers, and PE T-shirts do not need to be purchased branded. Iron and sew on badges for the blazers and jumpers are available from the school.



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Information regarding financial assistance for uniform can be found on our website [here](#). The Welsh Government also offers financial support in a grant of up to £200 in the form of the 'School Essentials Grant'; just search: 'Get help with school costs' on your preferred search engine. Furthermore, we have a stock of pre-loved uniform onsite that we are able to give to anyone that needs it. Your child can access pre-loved uniform in school or parents and carers can contact Wellbeing Leaders to enquire about this uniform.

Thank you for your positivity and support.

Yours sincerely / Yn gywir,

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