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Dear Families

Teddington School Uniform

In the Teddington community, everything matters at all times.

We have high expectations of our students and the school uniform is a clear symbol of our school community. We set a clear expectation of how the uniform should be worn and feel this is an important part of our school's identity. It reinforces who we are, helping students to feel pride in the Teddington School community. The uniform also ensures students are not put under any pressure because of the type of clothes they wear and all are treated equally. Finally the uniform policy helps prepare students for life beyond school where many will have to dress smartly for work.

The majority of students wear the uniform appropriately and I would like to thank you as families for your continued support of the school and its policies. Sadly there are some who do not wear the uniform appropriately and this has a detrimental effect on school culture.

For the next two weeks there will be a focus on ensuring all students are appropriately dressed for school, paying particular attention to the following:

Footwear: all students should wear plain black leather shoes - no trainers, logos, canvas shoes or boots should be worn;

Skirts: the correct uniform skirt with teal piping should be worn. This must not be rolled up. Any student who is in persistent breach of this infringement will be made to wear school trousers.

Shirts: if wearing winter uniform the shirt should be tucked in.

Any student not wearing correct school uniform will initially be reminded and given the opportunity to change or amend their uniform. Further breaches throughout the school day will result in a detention after school. Persistent defiance will result in students' loss of social time, changing into spare school uniform, being sent home to change, Saturday detention, and/or families invited in to bring the correct uniform to school.





Consistency is critical to try and achieve for all of our students and we appreciate your support in discussing this with your child in order to avoid unnecessary confrontations with students not dressed in accordance with school uniform requirements.

Thank you for your continued support in this matter.

Yours faithfully

Ms S Thornley

Associate Assistant Headteacher