



Guilsborough Multi Academy Trust

9 June 2023

Dear Parents / Carers

Re: Summer Uniform Expectations

Prior to the half-term break we wrote to you regarding the uniform in September, the vast majority of which is unchanged. We are also looking at ways of reducing the costs for families by removing some of the branding we use on items of our uniform.

While we are speaking to many students about the standard of uniform they are wearing, and insisting that they wear the uniform as expected, we believe it is right to respond to the summer weather. The temperatures next week are due to rise and we are reacting to this by allowing students to leave their blazers at home from Monday 12 June. This is of course optional, and students may continue to wear their blazer if they wish; many chose to do so instead of carrying a coat with them as the mornings can still be cool. Please ensure that students still bring their buss passes into school with them if they keep them in their blazer pockets.

Being equipped for learning

One of the challenges some students will have, without their blazer, is how they carry their equipment. A number of our students are arriving without any equipment, or, in many cases, a single pen. As I have stated previously, this is causing delays in learning, as staff are required to make sure all students have equipment to work with. During the rest of the summer term we will be putting appropriate consequences in place for those who continue to arrive without the necessary equipment causing delay or disruption to lessons. All students should have a suitable school bag in which they can keep a pencil case containing their equipment. Being fully equipped is a basic expectation which will allow all students to engage with their learning.

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Yours sincerely

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