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Guilsborough Multi Academy Trust

Uniform - advanced notice

Dear Parents/Carers

We wanted to give you plenty of notice in preparation for purchasing school uniform items for next year.

Representatives from the student body have been consulted and are fully supportive of the proposed plans.

Nothing has drastically changed but as of September, we will be introducing pleated skirts as part of our uniform.

The skirt length should be on or below the knee and black in colour.

Pleated skirts will be the only style acceptable. Skirts which are lyrca, mini or tight will not be considered part of the school uniform.

Trousers are acceptable as part of the uniform policy for both girls and boys. They MUST be tailored trousers (e.g. not skin tight/skinny, jean or legging style). Black jeans are not acceptable.

We will be moving back to a whole school Guilsborough Academy tie, this will be the current blue stripe house tie. This is being introduced for the new year 7s and those who need to replace a lost tie. This will be in place for the academic year for whole school in 2024-2025. Following feedback from student voice we will be exploring the idea of the student leadership team wearing a different coloured tie in order to identify them. More will be shared next year.

We thank you in advance for your support.

CHALLENGE

Stockists can be found below for pleated skirts:

Girls School Skirts - Pleated, Skater & Pencil | George at ASDA - From £8 - £14 Black School Skirts | M&S (marksandspencer.com) - From £9 - £16 Buy 2 Pack Pleat Skirts (3-16yrs) from the Next UK online shop - £14 - £25 for pack of 2 Charleston Skirts Archives - Scallywagz Schoolwear £16.99-£19.99

Yours faithfully



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