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Thursday 20 July 2017

Dear Parent/Carer

Brooke Weston Academy Uniform Expectations

We felt it was timely to write to you as a reminder of the Academy's uniform policy as you will, no doubt, shortly be embarking on procuring uniform for your son/daughter for the next academic year. This should help you to avoid spending money on items of clothing which are **not** appropriate to be worn as part of our uniform.

Girls' uniform		Boys' uniform	
✓	White shirt (standard, not fitted), with top button done up, Academy tie	✓	White shirt (standard, not fitted), with top button done up, Academy tie
✓	Plain black skirt/trousers	✓	Plain black trousers
✓	Plain, black shoes (no adornments) and black socks/tights	✓	Plain, black shoes (no adornments) and black socks
✓	Academy jumper	✓	Academy jumper
Inappropriate uniform			
Footwear		✗	Canvas shoes or trainers
		✗	Open front shoes
		✗	Boots
Trousers		✗	Skinny/tight fit
		✗	Elastic/legging/lycra based
		✗	Cropped/showing shins or ankles
		✗	Turned up legs
		✗	Visible zips
		✗	Denim, rivets or studs
Skirts		✗	More than a student/credit card away from the knee
		✗	Tight fit or lycra based skirts
		✗	Embroidery, patterns or ridges
Socks		✗	White or coloured socks
		✗	Trainer socks
Hair		✗	Unnatural hair colours
		✗	Extreme haircuts/styles
Ear		✗	Hoops larger than 2 cm in diameter
		✗	Hanging earrings
		✗	All other types of ear piercings
Nose		✗	Hoops
		✗	Septum piercings

There have been times during this academic year when some students have fallen short of these expectations. If standards are not met the most likely outcome is for your son/daughter to be placed in isolation until the issue can be resolved, completing work set by their teachers. We will make an attempt to contact you in the case of uniform infringements as it might be possible for you to bring in alternative clothing that adheres to the Academy uniform outlined above.

We have tried to keep our expectations as straight-forward as possible to assist you in making the appropriate choices when purchasing new school uniform.

Thank you for your support in this matter.

Yours sincerely

Mr P Kirkbride
Associate Principal