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Dear Parent/Carer

Academy Uniform

We were very pleased in September to see our students arriving in smart uniform, all ready for the new school year. Unfortunately, standards have slipped and we are seeing a number of students without school shoes, ties or blazers.

We are also aware that some students' skirts are extremely short. Currently, the policy is that skirts should be knee length, but we recognise that this length can be hard to find. We are therefore prepared to agree that skirts can be above the knee, but by no more than 5cm.

To make our uniform more affordable, the only items which need to be purchased from our supplier, Karl Sports (karlsports.co.uk) are the tie and blazer. If your child wishes to wear another layer between their shirt and blazer, they may wear either a Montsaye-logoed jumper from our supplier or a plain grey V-necked jumper, but not a sweatshirt. (Please note that hoodies are not allowed in school and will be confiscated.)

We appreciate that finances are tight for many at the moment and will try to support parents where there is a difficulty in replacing uniform items. Please contact either your child's Form Tutor, Welfare Officer or Progress Leader if you would like some support with providing uniform.

If you have items of uniform in good condition which your child has outgrown, please consider donating them to the school so that they can be passed on to other students.

Please review your child's uniform before the end of this term and ask for assistance if needed. Please also review their stationery equipment, ensuring they have the following items as a basic requirement: black or blue pen; green pen; pencil; ruler; rubber, and a scientific calculator.

We expect all students to be in correct Montsaye uniform when the new term starts on January 3rd. Students not in correct uniform will be sanctioned and parents asked to attend a meeting in school to resolve the issue.

Yours faithfully,



Francesca George
Year 7



Jane Cooper
Year 8



Claire Petchey
Year 9



Jon Roberts
Year 10



Hannah Pickering (Progress Leaders)
Year 11