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Dear Parent/Carer,

We are pleased to announce that the new 3G astroturf at Montsaye has now officially been opened and is in use by both the school and community. In order to preserve and maintain the high quality surface for as long as possible, there are stipulations around what footwear is permitted to be used.

All moulded studs (irrespective of shape) and hybrid boots are permitted. Metal studs, blades, astro trainers, trainers and school shoes are not permitted on the astroturf.

Whilst you will be able to purchase suitable footwear at all good sports shops and online, here are two examples which are okay for use:

[adidas | Goletto Firm Ground Football Boots Juniors | Firm Ground Football Boots | SportsDirect.com](#)

[adidas | Copa Pure.4 Firm Ground Football Boots | Wht/Blk/Lemon | SportsDirect.com](#)

As of September, football boots meeting the specification above are to be made a part of the compulsory school PE kit, to allow all students to be able to access their PE lessons. Students will also have the option to wear their football boots over trainers when taking part in activities on the field. Every student will be expected to bring these football boots to their PE lessons when requested to do so by their teacher. Trainers will still be required for PE lessons that take place on the Netball and Tennis courts, in the sports hall, old gym and fitness suite.

Yours faithfully

Mr Wing
(Head of PE)