

16<sup>th</sup> July 2018

Dear Parent/Carer,

**Re: Uniform Guidance**

As we approach the summer holidays, I would like to remind you of our uniform policy for September 2018.

Attached to this letter is our current school uniform list, further guidance can also be found on our website. Please take time to read these before purchasing new items of uniform to ensure that they comply with our policy. It is worth noting that a number of high-street stores will have a 'Back To School' range, however, not all of the items in these ranges will comply with our guidelines. In particular, it is worth noting the school's rules prohibiting trainers. As you are aware jewellery, including piercings, is not permitted in Years 7 – 10.

If you have any queries regarding the school uniform, please contact your child's Head of Year in the first instance.

Yours faithfully,

**Mrs Kim Watson**  
**Assistant Headteacher**

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## **Uniform Expectation**

### **Years 7 – 11**

#### **Boys**

Blazer – Maroon, single breasted\*  
Black polyester/worsted trousers  
Black school short (summer term only) \*  
White collared school shirt  
Maroon and white school tie\*  
Black ‘V’ necked school sweater\*  
Black or grey socks  
Safe, comfortable, robust black leather or leather like shoes (foot fully enclosed)  
Maroon and white school scarf (optional)\*  
Black or maroon Stormstuff (or similar) waterproof, reversible coat\*

#### **Girls**

Blazer – Maroon, single breasted\*  
Black pleated or flat front, straight leg, ankle length trousers, polyester/wool or viscose, with or without belt  
Black school skirt (with The Arnewood School logo) 22” minimum or to knee length (*The school outfitters will only sell 20” skirts with a permission letter obtained from Mrs Watson*)  
Black school short (summer only)\*  
White collared school shirt or tailored school blouse  
Maroon and white school tie\*  
Black tights or white socks with skirts only  
Safe comfortable, robust black leather or leather like shoes (foot fully enclosed)  
Black ‘V’ neck school sweater\*  
Maroon and white school scarf (optional)\*  
Black or maroon Stormstuff (or similar) waterproof, reversible coat\*

#### **Physical Education – Boys/Girls as appropriate**

Boys and girls reversible maroon winter jersey for outdoor winter wear\*  
Boys and girls maroon polo shirt with school logo\* (boys and girls indoor wear and summer wear)  
Black shorts  
Sports leggings with white Arnewood logo – boys or girls – may be worn under school shorts for PE  
Plain black under armour (outdoor sports\*) - Optional  
Girls plain black Skort with Logo\* - Optional  
Black swimsuit/trunks/swimming shorts and towel  
Maroon socks (outdoor sports\*)  
White socks (indoor sports and summer activities)  
Trainers (discreet colours e.g. white/blue/black – no plimsolls)  
Football boots, shin pad and gum shield (Football/Hockey and Rugby)

A gum shield is strongly recommended for rugby and hockey players. Boys and girls playing football and hockey are strongly recommended to wear shin pads.

*\*Available from PMG Schoolwear, Station Road, New Milton.*