



Alsop High School

23rd May 2024

Dear Parents and Carers

Uniform Expectations -

I am writing to thank you for your support throughout this year for sending your child to school wearing full school uniform. Unfortunately, this year a small minority of students have chosen to break the rules by arriving to school wearing incorrect uniform, therefore, I would like to reiterate the school policy about school uniform. From the start of the Summer Term, Monday 3rd June 2024 students failing to wear any piece(s) of uniform will be expected to loan the missing item from the in-school uniform store until such time they have corrected their uniform. I would also draw your attention to the jewellery and hair section of the uniform booklet on our website. No jewellery, other than a watch should be worn and dyed hair must only be of a natural colour. I emphasise this point for any student who is having ear piercings to ensure that this is done at the beginning of the Summer break as they will have to be removed in September at the start of the new term.

I would also like to remind parents and carers that school footwear should be black polishable shoes. I would also like to advise parents to look at what shoes are acceptable as some shops sell trainers back to school shoes. These will not be accepted in September and students will be expected to change out of them when they arrive to school.

If parents/carers find it difficult to provide their child with uniform please contact myself, Mr Pilkington, and I will endeavour to resolve this situation. I am sure you will agree that uniform is an integral part of Alsop High School and also allows students to be safeguarded walking to and from school as they are easily identifiable as Alsop students and the public can alert school to any community issues.

If you have any blazers or jumpers which no longer fit your child and you would like to donate them to school I would be very grateful as I know some families have expressed a concern about having to provide school uniform for more than one child. I thank you in advance for supporting our community.

Once again, I would like to thank you for your continued support in this matter and urge you to call if you are having difficulties with uniform. I would draw your attention to the uniform booklet I have placed on the school website if you are uncertain of the school uniform/shoe requirements.

Have a pleasant and safe Half Term break.

Yours faithfully

Mr J Pilkington

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Senior Leader & Lead Safeguarding Officer