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Dear parents and carers,

School Uniform

I hope this letter finds you well.

I would like to take a moment to discuss an important aspect of our school community — our uniform policy. Recently, I have noticed that a number of children have not been wearing the correct uniform, and I believe it is essential for us to address this together.

Wearing school uniform helps foster a sense of community and pride amongst the children. It creates an environment where everyone feels included and equal. When some children choose not to follow the uniform rules, it can be disheartening for those who do adhere to them, as it sends mixed messages about the importance of our school policies. We must show our children that the rules apply to everyone, promoting fairness and respect within our school community.

After careful consideration, we have decided to update our footwear policy. From now on, plain black trainers will also be acceptable as part of the school uniform. However, it is crucial that these trainers are indeed plain black, as we want to maintain a uniform appearance.

I kindly ask for your support in reinforcing this policy at home. It is vital that we work together to ensure that all children understand the importance of adhering to these guidelines. Your involvement will help demonstrate to the children that rules are in place for everyone and must be respected.

Please refer to the website here:

<https://gardencityacademy.co.uk/parents/school-uniform>

Thank you for your cooperation and support in this matter. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to reach out.

Warm regards,

Mrs Samantha Ruck
Headteacher

