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Dear Parents

Uniform Update

We are delighted to have pupils back at the Academy safely, the atmosphere has been vibrant and the behaviour has been outstanding. Thank you for your full support it is very much appreciated.

The school gates are less busy now and the children have adjusted to their arrival times safely by being prompt. Please as adults remember the rule of six that is now in place from the government and maintain social distances of 2 metres at all times.

Whilst the children are in mufti currently, I need your help in ensuring what they are wearing is suitable, we ask that all pupils arrive to school sensibly dressed. This includes wearing trainers and comfortable clothes for sporting activities or preferably come in PE Kit on the days PE is timetabled.

<u>We will return to full school uniform on 2 November</u> when the children return after the October half term holidays. Expectations regarding jewellery, extreme haircuts and hair dye etc. do apply at all times, even now please.

Changing for PE will still not be possible after half term when we do return to full uniform so pupils will be asked to come in full PE kit on their PE days, not mufti.

Thank you for your continued support, I will be writing again in the near future to give you further information regarding arrangements should children or staff need to isolate due to track and trace measures.

Kind regards

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'Let your light shine before others' Matthew 5 v 16

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