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Dear Parent/Carer

RE: MHS School Uniform

As we approach the end of the first two weeks of the Autumn term, sadly it seems that the hot weather has left Pembrokeshire. With that in mind I am writing to inform you that from **Monday 25th September** we will expect all pupils to be in full winter uniform. I therefore wanted to take this opportunity to remind our whole school family about the importance of your son/ daughter returning on Monday 25th with the correct uniform. Full details of our school uniform and suppliers, as well as information on the PDG grant available from PCC, are listed on our school website: <https://milfordhavenschool.co.uk/uniform/>

As you will be aware we have added a fleece to our uniform policy. Please find below a picture of the new fleece item that is available from Ambition Sport using this link - [School Fleece](#)



We hope that the pupils will appreciate this additional item as we move into the colder months of the Autumn term, however this is an optional item and not mandatory for parents and carers to purchase. A polite reminder that **hoodies and non-school jumpers, as well as Crocs** are not to be worn in school, and that uniform jumpers must be worn as stated in our school prospectus and on our website. School coats should be waterproof as many learning opportunities take place outdoors. If your child is wearing a **nose piercing** then this should be replaced with a **plastic retainer**.

Milford Haven School is an inclusive environment that believes in having high expectations for uniform and appearance. School uniform is a simple and effective way in which we can display the school's identity and values within the community. All students are therefore expected to wear the correct uniform at all times. As a school we believe that uniform is important, looking smart contributes to a positive ethos and vitally wearing school uniform puts all our pupils on an equal footing. Some of the expectations identified in this letter are specifically related to issues of health and safety too, and as always the safety of your children is our utmost priority.



NOTES

Trousers - No flares, leggings, three quarter length trousers, denim jeans, corduroys, cotton twills, track-suits, lycra, or stretch trousers can be worn.

Skirts - Must be reasonable length, no slits.

Shoes - **must be all black**, flat or sensible, broad heel - (high heels, and platform soles and sandals are unsafe in school).

Outdoor garments - No denim or leather jackets, or coats bearing slogans. No caps or hats. No non uniform cardigans, jumpers or hooded tops.

Jewellery - Watch, one signet ring, one pair stud earrings only worn on the ear lobe. No earrings, studs on any other part of the ear, nose studs, eyebrow rings, tongue studs, lip rings, necklaces, bracelets, bangles, rings. No facial or body piercing of any kind. No tattoos.

Hair - All long hair to be tied back in areas where health & safety is a priority e.g Physical Education. No stripes, braids or additions of any kind. No shaven heads, no tramlines, no words, pictures or logos cut into hair styles. Natural hair colouring only - no colours such as pink, red, purple or 'badger' colouring.

To assist you in ensuring your child has the correct uniform our provider at Granby's stocks all the uniform items required except footwear. Granby's is located on Charles Street in Milford Haven, full address and contact telephone number is available online. In addition to our main supplier we also work closely with Milford Youth Matters to offer a more sustainable uniform option. You can purchase uniform items from the Pop Up Shop also located on Charles Street.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your support as we move towards the end of September. School uniform is essential in ensuring that pupils take pride in their appearance and allows the school to be represented smartly within the community. Regular checks of uniform are conducted by staff and further contact will be made home where necessary.

Yours faithfully

Mr R Berry
Deputy Headteacher