



## ST AUGUSTINE'S SCHOOL

Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> December 2025

Dear Parents/Carers,

At St Augustine's it is very important to us that we maintain our high standards at all times, demonstrating the 'SAS Best' and this includes uniform and appearance. We kindly ask for your continued support in ensuring that these expectations are met.

Please take this opportunity to familiarise yourself with some key expectations:

- Skirts must be worn in a professional manner, at knee length.
- Footwear should be smart black school shoes – black trainers are not permitted.

The only jewellery permitted is:

- One pair of studs in the lower lobe
- A discreet crucifix
- A watch

All other items of jewellery are not allowed, including translucent piercings. Piercings should not be covered by plasters or 'pimple patches'. Students should also refrain from wearing false eyelashes and/or acrylic nails.

As the weather turns wetter and colder, we also would advise all students to come to school with a waterproof coat. Hoodies are not permitted on school site as they are not waterproof and will therefore be ineffective in wet weather conditions.

Next week, all students will undergo a full uniform check. Should any issues arise, individual families will be contacted so that we can work together to rectify them promptly. Students who repeatedly do not meet our uniform expectations and receive multiple uniform logs on Arbor will be issued a sanction. We will also contact parents and carers to work together in addressing these concerns and ensuring standards are upheld. We will ensure families have reasonable time to correct any issues in the run-up to Christmas.

We believe that high standards in uniform and appearance help create a positive learning environment and prepare students for life beyond school. Thank you for your continued support in helping us uphold these values and ensure every student feels proud to be part of our school community.

We have a large amount of un-named 'lost property' that, if not claimed by Christmas, will be donated to the Rainbow Centre. If your child has lost a coat/jumper/trainers since September, please encourage them to visit the Lost Property store before Christmas to reclaim their items.

Regards

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