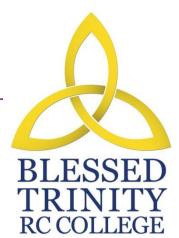


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31 August 2021

Dear Parent



I am writing to you today regarding our uniform expectations. The summer break is a time when many of you will purchase new items of school uniform ahead of the new academic year. Wearing uniform is very much part of what it means to be a pupil at Blessed Trinity. The uniform for pupils is simple and smart and gives pupils a sense of belonging to the school. We want our pupils to be able to focus fully on their education without the external pressures that come from following fashion, make-up and expensive designer brands, we also want to remove this pressure from our parents.

Shoes

If you are purchasing new shoes for your child, please ensure they are in keeping with our policy as outlined below: Shoes must be plain black only. No logos, stripes, high heels, canvas or boots of any type. Trainers are not acceptable footwear. If a pupil attends school with unacceptable footwear they will be expected to wear footwear provided by school until this can be rectified.

Hair styles

If your child has chosen a different hair style for the summer holidays, please ensure that it will be in keeping with our school rules upon our return to school:

Hair styles should be neat and tidy and of one natural hair colour. Hair should not be shorter than a 'number 2' without lines or fashionable designs. Hair should not be of an extreme length or style.

Jewellery and Makeup

I would like to remind you that items of jewellery or makeup, including nail varnish, false tan, false nails and false eyelashes are not allowed in school. Pupil's will not be allowed to attend lessons if the uniform offence is unable to be rectified with products supplied by school. If any item of jewellery is seen on a pupil, it will be confiscated and handed to reception and only returned to a parent.

Outdoor coats

Outdoor coats should be warm and waterproof preferably in navy blue, black, or a dark colour. The wearing of hoodies, fleeces, track suit tops or other fashion wear is not allowed. Coats should not be worn inside the building but may be worn outside at break and lunchtimes.

The full uniform policy can be found on our website at: www.btrcc.lancs.sch.uk
If you have any questions or concerns please contact me via email at rkeighley@btrcc.lancs.sch.uk

I would like to thank you in advance for your continued support in upholding our high standards of uniform.

Yours sincerely

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