

29th March 2022

Dear Parents,

I am writing with regard to the need for consultation with parents regarding our school uniform policy for the next academic year of 2022-23. The school is responding to guidance from the Department for Education (DfE) regarding the cost of school uniform as well as using this as an opportunity to update the uniform policy. Consequently, the school is proposing the following changes:

- Boys may wear one earring (which must be a small stud only) in each lower earlobe.
- Year 7 to 11 girls may wear charcoal grey trousers or the regulation navy-blue skirt from school suppliers as detailed in the current uniform policy.
- Years 7, 8 and 9 girls will wear white shirts with a triangle collar. From September 2022, all Year 7 girls will wear a white shirt but Year 8 and 9 girls can continue to wear a blue shirt as part of a phased changeover.
- School scarf can be a plain black or navy-blue scarf.

The school would like to consult with parents on these changes and therefore would welcome any comments or observations from parents with regard to this. The consultation period will last six weeks and will start today, Tuesday 29th March 2022, and will close on Monday 9th May 2022. During this time, parents are welcome to send an email to the following address with relevant comments or observations:

Y7to11uniform@tchs.org.uk

Any such comments or observations will be considered part of this consultation process. The school will then update all parents as to the results of the consultation from Monday 9th May onwards.

Kindest regards,

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