



CANNOCK CHASE HIGH SCHOOL

A C H I E V E M E N T F O R A L L

My Ref: IT/CAG

Your Ref:

Date:

18 July 2017

Dear Parents/Guardians

I would like to take this opportunity of thanking you all for your support during this academic year. There have been so many examples during the course of the year of our young people excelling and developing into outstanding young adults. During this final week there will be lots of events taking place that reward many of our students for the unique contribution they have made to our school.

We are sending this letter out with a copy of our Uniform and Equipment Policy for your records prior to your purchasing uniform for your child during the school holidays. So many visitors and parents this year have made specific reference to how smart our students look and the very high uniform standards we have as a school. We would ask that you refer to this Policy to ensure that your child returns in September appropriately dressed to avoid you having to replace inappropriate items.

We would like to draw to your attention the following:

- Girls' skirts must be plain black and worn no higher than knee level, with no splits. Tight fitting or lycra hugging skirts are not acceptable.
- Girls' trousers should be smart, tailored, plain black, full length and straight legged. Tight fitting trousers especially around the ankles, leggings or lycra based trousers are not acceptable.
- Students are not allowed any form of jewellery apart from one pair of earrings in the lower lobe only. Rings and bracelets are not acceptable.
- Girls in Key Stage 3 are not allowed to wear any makeup. In Key Stage 4 this must be foundation and light mascara only. Drawn on eye brows are not acceptable.
- Boys' hair should be a minimum grade 2 either all over or on the sides.
- We ask that all footwear is black and of a **formal traditional style**. Trainers, canvas pumps/leisure shoes and any form of footwear with a sports or fashion label are not acceptable. E.g. Converse/Vans/Nike/Adidas and Lacoste.

Please refer to the Uniform and Equipment Policy that has visual illustrations of acceptable and unacceptable school uniform.

A reminder that we officially break up for the summer holidays on Monday 24 July at 1pm. On this day it will be a non-uniform day as it is Activity Day.

Students return to school on Wednesday 6 September. As in previous years we will be operating a staggered start:

- Year 7 and Year 11 Prefects must report to Lower School Hall for 8.40am.
- Year 12 and 13 must report to Upper School Hall for 9.45am.
- Years 8, 9, 10 and 11 must arrive in school for 10.45am, ready to report to their form rooms for 11am.

We wish you all an enjoyable and relaxing summer break.

Yours sincerely

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