



Hinchbrook School

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Uniform Policy and Checks – Middle School

The majority of year 9,10 and11 are smartly dressed and we are grateful for your continued support in this and many other matters that enable us to focus on the more positive aspects of school life that contribute to your child's progress and well-being. However, we continue to be concerned that some of our students in Middle School are inappropriately dressed and so are not conforming to school policy.

We are keen to pursue consistency across the whole school and to minimise the time that we deal with acts of defiance that relate to dress. With this in mind we will be carrying out a uniform check of all students at some point next week and with the support of our Senior Leaders will appropriately sanction the small number of students that continue to refuse to comply. It is also a requirement of our exams team that all students only sit both internal and external exams in full uniform.

Please can you ensure that your child does come to school in full uniform which includes wearing a polo shirt and no coloured nail varnish or coloured hair. I have included a copy of the uniform list in order that you can check the details that we will be giving attention to. Please can you also ensure that your child has their planner in school on a daily basis. I would also like to remind you that there is a financial fund that may be accessed if necessary.

We remain fully aware that, at this age, it is the student's responsibility to dress themselves and get to school on time but realise that there is some direction still needed!

Yours faithfully,

Mrs Hodgson
Head of Middle School