



**Queen Katharine
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Re: VG/ch/Uniform Shoes Guide Ltr

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Dear Parent/Carer

I would like to take this opportunity to share some updates regarding our uniform policy ready for September 2021. Our students are continually praised for the way that they look and how they represent the Academy. Our uniform is important and sends a clear message to everyone demonstrating that our students have pride in their Academy and appearance. With the summer holidays fast approaching and the 'back to school' promotions already in the shops, it seems an ideal time to confirm again our uniform expectations and draw your attention to some changes.

The main update to our uniform policy is that from September 2021 shoes must now be plain black leather or leather styled. Please refer to the guidance sheet that is attached for further clarification, as canvas style shoes will no longer be permitted.

On their return in September students who do not have the correct footwear will be supplied footwear by the Academy to wear until appropriate footwear can be purchased.

The other update to the uniform policy is that also from September 2021 students will now be able to wear a small stud nose piecing, this will need to be removed for any sport/practical activities for Health and safety reasons.

If you are unsure about any aspect of our uniform policy, please view the attached updated uniform policy or contact your child's Progress Team who will be happy to discuss any queries you may have.

Thank you in anticipation for your support in this matter. Have a good summer holiday and we look forward to your child returning in September 2021.

Yours sincerely

Ms Giaquinto
Deputy Principal