

Dear Parent or Carer,

PE Kit Policy

With us arriving at the half way- point of the academic year, I would like to take this opportunity to remind you of our PE kit policy within the department.

As a department, we take pride in our ethos of opportunities and participation, ensuring all students gain a positive experience in our lessons. Our policy ensures students' receive these experiences, even if they are unable to participate fully. The policy, which all staff members apply, is as follows:

1. A full change of PE Kit must be brought to every lesson, even if your son or daughter is not able to participate. This will allow them to take an active role in the lesson. Please note this should only be on medical grounds.
2. If a student does not arrive with a full PE kit, they will be expected to borrow from the department. The department has ample supplies of spare kit, which is, always freshly laundered. Failure to follow these instructions will result in a C5 being issued.
3. If PE kit is borrowed more than once in a half term, a C4 detention will be issued every time after the initial occasion.

These are very simple guidelines and as an Academy, we feel that the skills of self- organisation are as important to an individual as accessing the lesson itself. Just to remind you correct PE kit consists of purple Academy polo top, purple/black Academy reversible games top, black Academy shorts, plain knee length socks, indoor trainers with non-marking soles. Academy black tracksuit bottoms or plain black tracksuit bottoms are also acceptable. These measures allow us to maintain high standards and enhance students' experiences further still. We appreciate your ongoing support in this matter.

If you require any further information about these changes, please do not hesitate to contact me on (01302) 722237 ext.281.

Yours Sincerely,

Mr S Speed
Head of Department and Associate Assistant Principal