



THE ECCLESBOURNE SCHOOL

'Learning Together For The Future'

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Sixth Form Uniform

We wrote to you back in February regarding uniform where we expressed that we wanted to highlight a few issues that we were having with uniform within the school. Some of those issues have improved and the great majority are smart and wear the Ecclesbourne uniform with pride.

We have shared with you our expectations of Sixth Form uniform:

"The dress code for sixth formers ensures that uniform is suitable for a working environment. As senior members of the school community they are encouraged to prepare for the workplace by wearing smart and professional workplace wear. At all times sixth form students should be conscious of their position as leading students in the school and local community; their dress and conduct should always reflect this. The importance of 6th formers as role models for students lower down the school must not be underestimated. It also serves in part to provide a respectful image for the school which benefits all who are associated with the establishment."

A full copy is still available on the website:

[sixthformuniform2022.pdf \(ecclesbourne.derbyshire.sch.uk\)](#)

Some students still do not have the required suit skirt as they have struggled to source them. I can therefore confirm that these can be purchased at our usual uniform suppliers and below I have included some links to skirts available online. Any skirts worn should be made from suit material matching the jacket and NOT be lycra or woven fabrics and be of a length suitable for professional environment. Trouser suits are also available at our suppliers.

[Buy Navy Blue Tailored Midi Pencil Skirt from the Next UK online shop](#)

[Essentials 23" Pencil Skirt, Navy - HOTELS & HOSPITALITY from Simon Jersey UK](#)

[Brook Taverner Concept Collection - Women's Sigma Straight Skirt | Workwear Express](#)

[Women's Suit Skirt in Navy | Hawes & Curtis \(hawesandcurtis.co.uk\)](#)

Footwear must be shoes and not black trainers or boots. Students should wear outdoor coats (black where possible) and NOT hoodies or sweatshirts.

We would also like to highlight that no facial piercings are allowed and if already pierced a colourless stud stopper is permitted.

We are writing today to inform you of the steps we are taking to ensure that all our students wear their uniform correctly.

During morning registration tutors will give a uniform point and a break time detention slip for anyone not wearing their uniform correctly.

If students do not attend this detention, they will receive a lunch time detention and failure to attend that will result in an after-school detention

Teaching staff will give a uniform point, and these will be dealt with by the school offices which will result in a sanction e.g., going on uniform report.

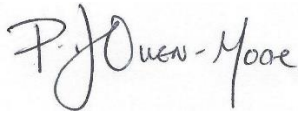
Students in all year groups will be informed this week via assemblies and tutors of this new action.

To allow parents and carers time to replace items of uniform to meet the dress code, we require all students to have the correct uniform within a week after parents/carers are informed.

Please do not hesitate to contact us or your child's Head of Year if you wish to discuss this matter or seek further clarification.

We thank you in anticipation for your support.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Petra Owen-Moore". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large 'P' and 'M'.

Petra Owen-Moore
Deputy Head
Head of Lower School

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Hannah Weller". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large 'H' and 'W'.

Hannah Weller
Assistant Head
Head of Sixth Form