

Senior Executive Principal: Mr T Johnson

Booth Lane South Weston Favell Northampton NN3 3EZ

> Tel: 01604 402121 Fax: 01604 400361

email: admin@westonfavellacademy.org

WestonFavelIGAT

9th November 2023

Dear Parent/Carer

I wanted to take the opportunity to write to you to remind you of our uniform standards and expectations. Pupils have always worn their uniform with pride at WFA however these high standards, for some pupils, have slipped recently and I would like to address this.

Our uniform policy remains the same and is available on our website for reference. Please ensure that your child arrives to school in the correct Weston Favell Academy uniform as listed below, all of which are compulsory:

- Black Weston Favell Academy blazer
- Black Weston Favell Academy V-neck jumper
- White short or long sleeve blouse or shirt
- Academy tie (year group specific)
- Black trousers or Weston Favell Academy Logo Skirt (worn no more than 5cm above the knee)
- Plain black sensible shoes with no designs or colours

Some of the specific issues we are witnessing are identified below:

Shirt and tie

Top buttons on shirts should be fastened and ties worn as a suitable length.

Belts and Trousers

Belts must be plain black and used to hold trousers up correctly. We are also seeing an increase in pupils wearing jogging bottoms or other trousers underneath their school trousers. This is not acceptable, and pupils will be asked to remove these.

Lost Property

We have a lot of lost property at Student Reception, including a large amount of uniform. This needs to be collected by **Friday 24**th **November**. After this, it will be cleaned and used as replacement uniform for anyone who needs it in school.

Jewellery

Please remember that whilst we have relaxed our policy on jewellery, there is still a health and safety aspect that needs to be considered. Pupils are permitted to wear:

- A wristwatch
- A nose stud (not hoop)
- One pair of studs per ear (no hoops)

Footwear

Our policy on footwear remains unchanged. Pupils should wear plain black shoes with no coloured flecks or logos.

If the uniform policy is not followed, pupils will be asked to correct this and a note added to ClassCharts. If a pupil gets two or more uniform notes on ClassCharts, they will be given an hour's detention after school. Any refusal to comply with our uniform policy will mean that the pupil will have to sit in IE until the uniform is corrected.

Please remember that if you need any support with uniform purchasing, you can apply to the school for support by emailing dhendle@westonfavellacademy.org. We also hold a large number of items in school so should your child arrive incorrectly dressed, or have forgotten any part of their uniform, we will lend them the correct uniform.

Yours sincerely

Todd Johnson

Senior Executive Principal