



WOLGARSTON HIGH SCHOOL

Staffordshire

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Parent Letter No 18 (Year 9,10 & 11 students)

Dear Parent / Carer

Winter Clothing, Uniform, Valuables

I write to highlight some key reminders for parents and students about winter clothing, school uniform and students personal valuables.

I wish to thank all our parents for their support in providing your sons/daughters with the correct uniform for school and in doing so helping us to maintain very high standards of dress at the beginning of the new school year. We have made an excellent start to the term including the progress that is being made in our classes. Our students have made excellent commitment to wearing their uniform correctly so ensuring that teachers can begin the learning of lessons quickly and without delay.

We have colder weather ahead and many of our students will be walking to school and also to bus pick up points. I wish to advise that these times are crucial to the body temperature of students for the remainder of the day. Please make sure that your son/daughter is equipped with a warm coat, scarves, hats and gloves for this crucial period of time. Students please make sure that you wear them.

Around the school during the cold weather students are expected to maintain uniform standards when in the buildings which are maintained at regulation temperature. However, last winter some families provided additional clothing for extra warmth and these items must be worn underneath the blouse or shirt and should be white V neck and not coloured. The additional items should not be visible when worn with our standard items of uniform and we would ask all parents to be aware of this when buying clothing for the winter. *Jumpers or cardigans which are black or coloured are not permitted in our buildings and classrooms.*

Finally, I wish to take this opportunity to remind all parents and students that they should not bring valuables to the school which are of significant sentimental or monetary value. Our school rules are clear that jewellery should not be worn and only non expensive mobile phones for use in contacting parents should be in school. Any valuables handed in to the PE Department for supervision during lessons should be worth no more than £10. We will not accept responsibility for supervising items which are worth more than this.

Thanking you in anticipation of your continued support.

Yours sincerely

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