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Dear Parents & Carers

At Warlingham school, we want all our students to feel safe, included and proud to belong to our school community. Wearing correct school uniform is a crucial part in achieving this for our students and so I would like to take this opportunity to offer some reminders around correct school uniform.

We have noticed several students not wearing the correct school skirt. The correct school skirt should be:

- Navy blue A Line skirt with inverted pleat; available from Hewitts) in 18/22 inch length.
- SKIRT LENGTHS MUST BE NO MORE THAN 15CM ABOVE THE KNEE. NO OTHER SKIRTS SHOULD BE WORN, INCLUDING TUBE-STYLE SKIRTS.



- Tailored school trousers in grey, charcoal, or black
- Leggings, tight fitted and ankle length trousers are not permitted

We have also noticed a few students who are still not wearing the correct footwear for school. The correct footwear for school should be:

- Plain black smart leather or leather-look shoes that are polishable.
- No logo (due the nature of the Kickers' logo, Kickers are permitted). Shoes must be flat no platforms, boots, sling-backs, open-toe shoes or canvas shoes are allowed.
- No high boots or boots above the ankle line.



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If a student has an issue with their uniform, please support them by writing a note in their planner for them to show the staff member greeting them on the gate in the morning.

To ensure consistency in the expectation for school uniform, any student who arrives at school in incorrect uniform and without a note, will be placed in isolation and parents contacted.

I do hope this clarifies the situation regarding uniform. Should you have any further queries regarding uniform, please contact your child's form tutor in the first instance.

Yours sincerely

Mr P Foster

Headteacher