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Dear Parent / Carer,

I write with a number of brief updates:

1. School Uniform Focus on Skirts

As a part of our ongoing focus on uniform standards, we will be having an emphasis this half term on the length and type of skirts pupils are wearing. We kindly ask that you ensure your child's skirt meets our school expectation (details below). Skirts will be checked as part of the usual uniform checks in form time on Wednesday and Thursday this week and further communication home will be sent if skirt length or type does not comply with our uniform expectation.

We will not be sanctioning this week for inappropriate skirt length or type in order to give you plenty of time and notice to purchase a new skirt if required. As you can understand, maintaining a consistent and appropriate uniform not only helps promote a sense of pride but also respect and focus within our school community. We thank you for your understanding and cooperation in this matter.

<p>SKIRT</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Plain black. • Must be a tailored skirt – it can be pleated or a straight pencil skirt. • The length of the skirt should be knee length (to the crease of the back of the knee). PLEASE BUY SLIGHTLY LONGER TO ALLOW FOR GROWTH • It should be no longer than mid-calf. • The waistband should not be rolled over. • The skirt should not be worn below the hips. • Split skirts or skirts in denim, corduroy, knitted wool, or stretch fabrics like Lycra, jersey or scuba material are not allowed. • Tight fitting tube skirts are not appropriate for school. <p>PLEASE SEE IMAGES BELOW FOR REFERENCE</p>

Headteacher: Mr Neil Jones



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2. Safeguarding Newsletter

Please find attached our monthly safeguarding newsletter, which includes useful information around social media and self-esteem as well as the signs of stress in young people and how to support your child to build resilience.

3. Year 11 Prom – Friday, 26th June

Year 11 Prom tickets are now on sale on ArborPay. The full price of the ticket is £35.00. Any pupils who have earned rewards for attending boosters and handing in booster cards, or for good attendance competitions, will see a discount on the price of their ticket. Parents/carers will need to sign consent forms for attendance at the Prom. Consent forms for the Prom will be handed out this week.

Yours sincerely

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Headteacher