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Dear Parents

Last summer I wrote to all parents to clarify the school's expectations in terms of uniform. As a result of these measures and the support from students and parents, the standard of uniform has significantly improved. There is, however, one aspect of the uniform that remains a concern: skirts. I understand that as a parent it can be extremely frustrating trying to balance the wishes of your child to be fashionable whilst trying to support the school. I have been asked several times, "Why don't you just sell a school skirt?"

As a result of this, from September 2019, all girls wishing to wear a skirt will only be able to wear an official school skirt. The school skirt will have our emblem at the bottom and will be half pleated. The skirt can be bought from Shah's uniform shop in Scunthorpe and will cost between £17.50 and £19.50 depending on size. The skirt is currently in stock at Shah's and students are able to wear the skirt during this current academic year. From September onwards this will be the only choice of skirt which can be worn at school.

I would like to remind all parents that Shah's will sell our complete school uniform. Below is a table of the uniform, the items in bold must be purchased from Shah's, other items can be bought from elsewhere.

BOYS	GIRLS
School Blazer: Must be worn by Years 7 to 10	
School Tie	
Jumper: Bottle Green V Neck (plain or with School colours). Optional for Y7-10 - to be worn under school blazer. Compulsory for Year 11 who only wear jumper with school badge.	
Shirt: Plain white	
Trousers: Classic straight leg – black.	School Skirt: Half pleated with emblem.
	Trousers: Classic straight leg – black
Shoes: Black (no trainers or canvas shoes)	
Socks: Black	Socks: Black ankle or knee length. Tights may be worn and must be black or skin tone.

Please note: skinny fit trousers **are not** acceptable for any students to wear.

By informing parents of this change now there is sufficient time for transition to the expected skirt. If you wish to discuss any aspect of this please feel free to contact me.

Yours sincerely



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