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Dear Families,

I am writing to you regarding uniform at Beckfoot Oakbank from September. This year, we have made positive progress regarding student behaviour and attitudes to learning within the school. We are now planning for September and want to ensure that our expectations around school uniform are as clear as our expectations of the students' behaviour.

So, in order to support students and families we are making the expectations around uniform much clearer so that everyone is aware of what is expected here at Beckfoot Oakbank.

The branded uniform (polo shirt, jumper and PE kit) is available from **Whittaker's Schoolwear** and **Top Trends** in Keighley. All other Uniform is available to purchase in supermarkets and other clothing shops both in person and online.

Polo Shirt	All students should wear a polo shirt in their year group colour with the school logo. Year 7: Blue, Year 8: Black, Year 9: Purple, Year 10: Red. Year 11: Green
Jumper or Cardigan	Students who wish to wear a jumper or cardigan must wear the official school jumper or cardigan with the school logo. Other jumpers, including PE hoodies are not acceptable to be worn in school
Trousers and skirts	Trousers should be plain black. Please see the examples below for what is and is not acceptable. Skinny fit trousers and leggings are not acceptable
Shoes	Any formal black leather shoe is acceptable. Slip-on or laced (laces must be black). The shoe must be wholly black – no coloured logos, stripes or designs. Suede, nubuck or canvas shoes are not allowed. Boots are also not allowed
Bag	All students must bring a school bag that is large enough to carry all of their equipment and is capable of holding an A4 folder. School bags are compulsory, and this is where any mobile phones or other technology should be stored (and turned off) throughout the day.
Physical appearance	Discreet make up only No false / acrylic nails One stud earring in each ear and a watch are acceptable jewellery No Facial piercings (a clear piece of Jewellery is acceptable). Hair should be natural in colour (no bright colours). No tramlines, cat scratches or other patterns shaved into the hair or eyebrows.
Badges	Only school issued badges are to be worn on your school uniform.

The images on the following pages show what is and what is not acceptable as uniform for students at Beckfoot Oakbank.

We look forward to working with you to support your children to enjoy, learn and succeed at Beckfoot Oakbank next year.

Yours faithfully

Graham Trueman



Deputy Headteacher

Shoe examples

		
 Formal plain black leather shoe with black laces and a black sole	 Formal black leather shoe with black laces and black sole.	 Formal black leather shoe with black laces and black sole.
		
 Plain black shoe with a black sole	 Plain black shoe with black sole and black laces	 Plain black shoe with black sole and black laces

		
 Trainers	 Canvas pumps	 Trainers
		
 Trainers with sports sole	 Trainers with sports sole	 Trainers with sports sole
		
 Canvas	 Canvas	 Yellow stitching and not black sole

Trousers

All trousers must be black and have pockets. Leggings and skinny trousers are not acceptable.

 <p>Adjustable Waist</p>	 <p>Adjustable Waist</p>	
 <p>ASDA Boys black regular leg school trousers from £7 for two pairs</p>	 <p>ASDA Boys black slim leg school trousers from £7 for two pairs</p>	 <p>Sainsburys longer leg trousers (age 10-16) from £9</p>
 <p>Adjustable waistband</p> <p>Slim leg</p> <p>AVAILABLE IN PLUS AND SLIM W</p>		
 <p>NEXT Black formal Slim leg trousers (3-17 yrs) £8-£16</p>	 <p>Next Trutex black senior boys classic school trouser £20-25</p>	 <p>Morrisons (only up to Age 13) 2 pack boys regular fit trousers £9</p>

	 <p>Adjustable Waist</p>	
 <p>ASDA Girls black straight leg trousers 2 pack from £6</p>	 <p>ASDA Girls black slim fit slim leg trousers 2 pack from £7</p>	 <p>ASDA senior girls High waist slim leg school trousers from £7</p>
		
 <p>Black Senior High waist school trousers (9-17 yrs) £13-£19</p>	 <p>Black Senior Tapered Trousers (9-17 yrs) £10 - £16</p>	

Non example trousers (all of these are sold as School trousers in supermarkets and shops) Leggings are not acceptable as school trousers

		
<p> Skinny trousers are not acceptable for boys or girls. Do not buy skinny fit trousers</p>	<p> Cargo pants are not acceptable</p>	<p> Skinny leg jean style trousers with patch pockets are not acceptable</p>
		
<p> Boys skinny fit form ASDA</p>	<p> Black Skinny stretch high waist from next</p>	<p> Plain pockets only, these have frills</p>

Skirts

		
 <p>ASDA black permanent pleats school skirt from £7 for two</p>	 <p>ASDA Black skater school skirt two pack. From £6</p>	 <p>ASDA Senior girls waist panel permanent pleats skirt from £6</p>
		
 <p>Senior girls black skater school skirt from £6</p>	 <p>Sainsburys black permanent pleat skirt from £6</p>	 <p>Sainsburys jersey skater skirt 2 pack from £10</p>

Skirt non examples (these are sold as school uniform in supermarkets however, they are not acceptable at Beckfoot Oakbank)



Tulip skirt from Sainsburys



Pencil Skirt from ASDA



Tube skirt from ASDA