



BJT/JAE

27 February 2026

Dear Parents and Carers

**Reminder: School Uniform Policy**

I hope this letter finds you well. As part of our commitment to maintaining high standards and a sense of pride in our school community, we would like to remind all families of our uniform policy.

Thank you to those who ensure their child attends school regularly in the correct uniform, it is greatly appreciated. However, recently, staff have noticed a small number of pupils wearing items that do not meet our requirements. The main issues include:

- Skirts that are shorter than the permitted length.
- Leggings worn instead of tights.
- Black Lycra, tight, or flared trousers being used as uniform trousers.
- White socks worn over tights.

Please be reminded that all pupils are expected to wear their uniform correctly at all times. Skirts should be an appropriate length, just above or below the knee; trousers should be standard tailored mid-grey school trousers; tights should be plain black; and socks, if worn, should be black and not over tights.

Wearing the correct uniform helps pupils feel part of our school community, reduces distractions, and ensures consistency and fairness for everyone. We ask for your support in ensuring your child arrives to school dressed appropriately every day.

If you are unsure about any aspect of the uniform policy, full details can be found on our school website: <https://portchester.hants.sch.uk/policies>

If you require further support with your child's uniform, please do contact your child's year team:

Year 7 – Mrs Kingston & Miss Hulme

Year 8 – Mrs Richards & Ms Vidova

Year 9 – Mr J Webb & Mrs Hickman

Year 10 – Mr Shaul & Miss Robertson

Year 11 – Mr James & Mrs Rose-White

If your child's uniform needs to be corrected, could I kindly ask that it is rectified or contact made to the year team by Friday 13 March 2026. Thank you for your continued support and cooperation.

Yours sincerely

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