



Darland High School

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Dear Parent / Carer

You may already be aware that the Welsh Assembly Government has updated its guidance on school uniform. In the new school year, we will be working with students to ensure our policies meet with these guidelines in terms of equalities guidance.

We would like to take this opportunity to remind Students, Parents and Carers the requirements of our school uniform.

<https://darland.wrexham.sch.uk/school-information/uniform/>

- **Bottle green blazer** with school crest
- **White school shirt** with long or short sleeves (no fitted shirts)
- **School tie** with crest
- **Green check school skirt**
- **Black school trousers** - *these should be 'Business Wear'.*
We do not allow cropped trousers, skin-tight trousers, 'cigarette' style trousers, ski-pants, leggings, jeans, chinos, viscose stretch-type trouser, and low-rise hipsters.
- **Plain black socks or black tights.** Socks should be plain black and full length, we do not allow trainer socks and there should be no gap in between trousers and shoes with ankles on show.
- **Plain black shoes** with sensible heels and no large logos

Please be mindful that just because uniform appears in the school wear range in shops it does not necessarily adhere to Darland uniform policy.

As we know pupils will always try to convince parents that 'all their friends are wearing them'. We are minded that buying new uniform can be expensive especially if you also have more than 1 child in education. We would not want parents to find themselves in the situation where they have to buy additional items because the purchased items do not comply with our uniform policy. ***In particular please ensure trousers and shoes comply with the wording above.***

Please check our website and the wording above carefully before buying items, and if in doubt please get in touch for clarification.

We wish you a good summer and look forward to welcoming students in September.

Yours sincerely

Mr P Agnew
Headteacher