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Dear Parents and Carers,

With only a handful of days left in this academic year, we are excited about the upcoming school year and the positive changes we are implementing. This term, all students have attended assemblies to explain the revamped rewards policy and updated uniform and conduct expectations effective from September. These updates are part of our transition to the In-Sync CELT behaviour policy, ensuring a successful and smooth transition for all students.

To help your child be fully prepared, we want to highlight some key uniform rules, both new and existing:

**Blazers:** Required for all year groups. Students must have blazers on at all times. Jumpers are optional, but cannot replace blazers.

**Jackets:** Outdoor jackets are encouraged, but hoodies and denim jackets are not allowed. Jackets must be removed before entering buildings.

**Ear Studs:** Only one pair of ear studs, no more than 5mm in size, either silver or gold. No hooped earrings or other jewellery, except for a non-smart watch.

**Socks:** Must be plain black, above the ankle, with no logos. Trainer socks are not allowed.

**PE Kit:** Shorts must be black and loose-fitting. Tight-fitting shorts are no longer permitted. Students must bring their PE kit even if they cannot participate. This ensures they do not have to go outside in the rain in their uniform.

**Shoes:** Must be formal, plain black, with no logos, made of leather or leather-like material. Boots are not permitted.

Additionally, please note that mobile phones must be turned off and stored in bags before students enter the school grounds and remain off and in their bag until off school grounds at the end of the day. Any mobile phones seen will be confiscated, with escalating sanctions applied.



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Bodmin College is committed to maintaining the highest standards because we want the best for your children. Your support in reinforcing these messages at home is crucial to avoid unnecessary conflicts and consequences. We are confident that our updated policies will help create a positive and rewarding environment for all students.

For detailed information, please refer to the Bodmin College Uniform Policy and In-Sync CELT Behaviour Policy. The policy does not stipulate the days of afterschool detentions, but we can clarify they will be held on a Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this please contact Mrs Armstrong (KS3) on [cg@bodmincollege.co.uk](mailto:cg@bodmincollege.co.uk) or Mr Helgesen (KS4) on [hl@bodmincollege.co.uk](mailto:hl@bodmincollege.co.uk)

Thank you for your cooperation and support. We look forward to a successful year ahead!

Yours Sincerely

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