

Dear Parent, Carer,

As we approach the end of the school year, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your engagement with our school community and for your support in maintaining our high expectations. It has been a pleasure to see so many students thrive this year and participate in the opportunities available.

Over the last few weeks, we have been working with staff and students to make some changes to our school systems ready for September and I would like to share these developments with you.

On our return in September all staff and students will be following the Fareham Academy Ready to Learn expectations. These expectations share a clear and consistent message about what we expect daily from everyone within the Academy. These expectations will be in students contact books and in classrooms.

Our Ready to Learn expectations, which we have created together are:

- Arrive to lesson on time with a positive attitude and desire to do well
- Be fully equipped for the lesson
- Treat everyone with dignity and respect through my actions and words
- Respect the teachers right to teach and the students right to learn
- Actively participate in the learning responding appropriately to feedback

Students who demonstrate these expectations will be rewarded via our new System Talaxy. You will be able to view these points at the end of the school day. We are always looking for new ways to celebrate our students' successes and praise them for their endeavours. As part of the new system, rewards milestones have been added to Talaxy and students who achieve this will receive certificates and prizes in assemblies. Recently the students have also been invited to design praise post cards that will be sent home as part of our rewards. The winning design will be revealed in assemblies in September. We will continue to review our rewards system to ensure our students receive praise more frequently throughout the year as requested in our Face2Face parental engagement group.

When students do not meet the Academy Ready to Learn expectations, they will be given the opportunity through our existing chance, warning and action practice to make the correct choice. If students are not able to make the correct choice, they will attend our Ready to Learn room until they are able to demonstrate they are able to achieve these expectations. Students who persistently fail to meet our expectations are at risk of being suspended from school. You will also be able to view the negative behaviour points on Talaxy at the end of the school day in order to discuss these with you child.

In addition to the new systems in place for September I would also like to remind you of our expectations for uniform and equipment. Please ensure that you take time over the summer to purchase the correct items to support your child's smooth return to school in September.

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### Uniform

We expect all student to meet our expectations for uniform daily. All students are expected to wear:

- Plain white shirt (long or short sleeve) and school tie
  - School black V-neck jumper with blue inlay (optional) - no other jumpers are permitted.
  - School black blazer
  - Black trousers – no cord, denim or leggings
  - Grey, black or white socks
  - Plain black entirely leather shoes are to be worn. Patent leather shoes are also permitted.
- No boots, dolly shoes, sports trainers or canvas shoes are allowed

Students are also only permitted to wear the following jewellery.

- A watch
- A single chain with religious symbol hidden from view
- Single studs in the ear lobe

Please note that no other jewellery will be allowed.

Our full uniform expectations are listed on the website should you have any questions. Students who do not arrive correctly dressed will be given an opportunity to make the necessary changes. Should students not address the concerns they will be placed in independent study until they're wearing the expected uniform.

### Equipment

All students are expected to attend school fully equipped every day to demonstrate they are ready to learn. Students are expected to bring

- School Bag
- Contact Book
- Pencil Case
- Black or Blue Pens
- Green Pen
- Ruler
- Pencils
- Rubber
- Protractor
- Compass
- Scientific Calculator (suggested model: Casio)

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If you require any support with school uniform or equipment, please contact your child's Head of Year.

We hope you have a restful, safe and enjoyable summer break and look forward to welcoming your child back to school on Tuesday 5th September.

Yours sincerely

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