



**KING EDWARD VI
HANDSWORTH WOOD
GIRLS' ACADEMY**

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Dear Parents /Carers,

I hope everyone is keeping safe and well during these unprecedented times.

Please see below details of the new revised uniform, which will come into effect from September 2020 for all Year 7 to 11 students.

All Students must wear the following:

- Academy blazer
- Long tailored trousers – no jeans, tight-fitting trousers or leggings
- Black pleated skirt which **must be knee length**
- Longer black skirts (to the ankles) are allowed for all
- Socks/tights - Black socks, ankle or knee length, or black tights. One or other must always be worn. Trainer socks are not permitted.
- Open white reverse blouse is compulsory for all
- A 'V' neck grey Academy jumper with Academy Logo and red stripe around neck and cuffs (optional)
- **Plain** black headscarf (optional). The headscarf must not have any adornments or fringes – only one must be worn.
- Students are allowed to wear a **dark** outdoor coat in addition to the above – not denim, leather or cord. Denim wear, sportswear, hoodies, baseball caps are **not allowed**

We have a new uniform and all students in 8-11 are encouraged to wear it, please see uniform leaflet on website.

The Academy uniform can be purchased at Gogna's School Wear. The store is located at **67/69 Rookery Road, Handsworth, Birmingham, B21 9QU. Contact number: 0121 523 5572. You can also purchase the uniform on the website: www.gognaschoolwear.co.uk**

Hair
Hair should be natural in colour. Students are free to braid or plait their hair and wear coloured accessories if they wish to and feel it represents their cultural or ethnic heritage.

Nails, Make Up
Nails should look natural. False nails are not allowed. Coloured nail polish is not allowed. Make-up if worn should be natural to the individual's skin tone and must be discreet. Fake eyelashes are **not allowed**.

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Jewellery

Students are not allowed to wear any jewellery to school other than one small stud earring in each ear and a nose stud. Each stud should measure no more than 0.5 cm and be of either plain gold or silver colour. Students are allowed to wear nose studs however nose rings are **not allowed**.

Shoes

Shoes should be black and made from leather or imitation leather and they must have no heel. Laces should be black. Trainers and canvas shoes are not acceptable.

(Boots only allowed during inclement weather, standard school shoes to be worn all year round)

If you are in any doubt as to the suitability of any aspect of school uniform please contact your daughter's Head of Year/Pastoral Manager for advice before purchasing.

If you wish to read through the revised Uniform and Appearance Policy it can be found on the Academy's website.

Yours Sincerely,

Mr S Devshi
Assistant Headteacher Behaviour, Attitudes & Attendance

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