

16th December 2022

Dear Parent/Carer,

As you are aware, Oasis Academy Isle of Sheppey continue its drive to raise standards for our students. High expectations of uniform set the tone for the pride in learning we expect from all students. Visitors to the academy have noticed and commented how smart many of the students appear however there are some students not adhering to these expectations.

We would like to you to address this in readiness for a good start on our return in January. This letter will hopefully assist in clarifying our expectations around uniform and equipment for all families.

Girls	Boys
Black blazer with Academy badge.	Black blazer with Academy badge.
White shirt with top button fastened	White shirt with top button fastened
Academy tie in year colours	Academy tie in year colours
Plain black skirt (Non-stretch material and appropriate length for school setting) or Plain black tailored trousers (non-stretch material, no jeans, leggings or jeggings)	Plain black tailored trousers (non-stretch material, no jeans)
Sensible black shoes or black style trainers. These must be leather/leather type uppers and be entirely black with minimal branding.	Sensible black shoes or black style trainers. These must be leather/leather type uppers and be entirely black with minimal branding.
Subtle make up only – students will be asked to remove if the amount is deemed too much/inappropriate.	
School bag , waterproof, large enough to hold your PE kite, iPad and pencil case and which can be securely fastened (no plastic drawstring bags)	
Students must have a proper outdoor coat – any hoodies seen onsite will be confiscated immediately. The same applies to caps	
No facial piercings	
No nail varnish or fake nails	
Academy Leadership and Year group teams reserve the right to use their own professional judgement when ruling on uniform	

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For further clarification of the afore mentioned, please see the Oasis Academy Isle of Sheppey website 'Uniform 'section.

The academy provides an iPad device for every student, and we do expect these to be brought to the academy every day, in its case. We are making the use of this technology in each lesson more and more frequently and so the need for this device to be brought in is important. Whilst we would prefer for it to be charged, please encourage your sons /daughters to bring it in regardless of the charge on it, we will look to facilitate this on site however please also bring their own charger is also important.

As well as this item a strong and sturdy ruck sack style school bag and a full pencil case is also expected to be brought each day.

Uniform and equipment will be checked at the start of the day on each site, consequences will be given for repeatedly forgetting this.

As a parent/carer, your assistance in enforcing the uniform and equipment policy would be gratefully received.

If there are any financial constraints to complying with the Academy Uniform policy, please do not hesitate to contact your child's year group team who will endeavour to assist or advise you.

With kind regards,

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