November 2018

Dear Parent/Carer

As you will be aware we introduced a blazer to the uniform in September 2018. This item is currently compulsory in Year 7 and optional in Years 8-11.

From next September we will be rolling out the blazer to other year groups. The item will be **compulsory** from September 2019 **for Years groups 7,8,9 and 10** and will be **optional for Year 11** in 2019-20 only.

**From September 2020 all pupils in years 7-11 will have a compulsory blazer.**

We suggest that the purchase of blazers take place across the academic year to enable all pupils to be ready for September 2019. Pupils in Year 10 this academic year, ***and who will be in Year 11 in September 2019,*** can opt to buy the blazer if they choose to do so. The cost of the blazer is £35.

The blazer can be purchased from our uniform supplier either online or by phone.

In order to guarantee delivery for the end of term parents must place their order with

W and S Sports by the end of the Easter holiday.

The supplier is:

**W and S Sports
WEBSITE:** [http://www.wssports.co.uk](http://www.wssports.co.uk/%22%20%5Ct%20%22_blank)
**EMAIL:** info@wssports.co.uk
**TEL**: 01844 690 200

W and S Sports will be at school from 2.30pm until 6pm on Tuesday 12 February 2019 for any parent or pupil wishing to try a blazer on. We also have a range of sizes in school that pupils can try on by arrangement with me.

From September 2019 years 7 and 8 will also be expected to be in the standard issue uniform skirt and trousers which must be purchased from the same supplier.

Yours sincerely

G Hare (Mrs)

**Deputy Headteacher**