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Dear Parent/Carer

School Uniform

As previously communicated, we are incredibly proud of our students and the pride that they show in the school; the vast majority come to school looking very smart, wearing the correct uniform ready for a day of learning.

We believe that wearing the correct uniform is an essential part of our students' education. It promotes a sense of belonging, as well as readiness, respect and responsibility, which are important values we strive to instil in our students.

Unfortunately, this term, a small number of students have pushed the boundaries by wearing inappropriate jewellery or arriving missing items of uniform. To be very clear, facial piercings of any type are not permitted in school and students will be asked to remove them. Please reflect on this if new piercings are being considered, as healing takes time and would need the summer break for skin to repair. Please could you also ensure that students have school shoes and a blazer. Students may wear a black V-neck jumper if they would like to but this in addition to and not a replacement for the school blazer.

GMS is proud to be working with our parents and carers, and as such we ask that you support us by ensuring that your son/daughter wears the full uniform to school. Should items of uniform be missing, please can these be acquired so that all our students go to the end of the academic year in a way that facilitates their learning.

To clarify the uniform expectations for the rest of this term and to prepare for the new academic year, please go to our <u>uniform page</u> on the website.

Thank you for your continued support.

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Yours faithfully

Neil Maguire Deputy Headteacher Great Marlow