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Dear Parents, Carers and Guardians

I am writing to clarify our expectations regarding PE kit. As you are aware, we have been asking students to wear their Academy PE kit on the days when PE appears on their timetable.

Below is a comprehensive list of the requirements:

BOYS

COMPULSORY: Lord Grey branded

- Black/emerald shorts (unisex)
- Black/emerald polo shirt (unisex) or capped sleeved polo shirt (slim fit)
- Black/emerald rugby shirt
- Black football socks

OPTIONAL:

- Cuatro fleece top (unisex)
- Black training trousers (unisex)
- Black base layer (unisex)

GIRLS

COMPULSORY: Lord Grey branded

- Cuatro fleece top (unisex)
- Black/emerald shorts (unisex) or Lord Grey black leggings (Year 7 and 8)
- Black/emerald capped sleeve polo shirt (slim fit) or black/emerald polo shirt (unisex)
- Black football socks

OPTIONAL:

- Black/emerald rugby shirt
- Black training trousers (unisex)
- Lord Grey black leggings
- Black/emerald shorts (unisex)
- Black base layer (unisex)

We fully appreciate that many of our Year 10-11 students will be wearing our older style PE kit, which includes the white polo shirt and navy hoodie. These are still acceptable to wear.



As this term progresses, it is likely that the weather will deteriorate. Therefore, we are happy for students to supplement their PE kit with further appropriate sportswear. These may include:

- **Black** tracksuit bottoms
- **Black** hoodie
- **Black** sweatshirt
- **Black** long sleeved t-shirt

Please note that the supplementary items of clothing **MUST BE BLACK**.

As of next week, students should **not be wearing cycling shorts**.

Can we remind you that **NO ZIPPED** hoodies/tracksuit tops or leggings are permitted, unless they are the Lord Grey branded leggings. It is expected that students will come prepared during bad weather and should bring more than one t-shirt for extra warmth.

When in class, students may be asked to remove their supplementary clothing by the subject teacher, particularly if the classroom becomes uncomfortably warm. Please support us by reiterating to your child that if they have been asked to remove their hoodie or sweatshirt, then they should do so without question. Students should not be wearing *just* a sweatshirt or hoodie, as they should be wearing their Lord Grey PE kit, with the hoodie/sweatshirt providing extra warmth.

I hope this adds further clarity to our uniform expectations. As always, thank you for your continued support in enabling Lord Grey Academy to operate safely in these challenging circumstances.

Yours sincerely

Jo Harris
Assistant Principal