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Dear Parent/Carer

I thank you very much for the support you have been giving the School whilst we put in place some positive changes. I know these are not always popular with everyone but I am genuinely grateful for your understanding in all these matters.

Could I please ask that you go over the following with your son or daughter next week as we intend to strictly enforce the policies that are in place.

- 1. Uniform (Year 7 to Year 11 only) it is written in the planner that the following are not acceptable items of clothing at any time in the school; sweatshirts, hooded sweatshirts, cardigans, tracksuit tops, hats and baseball caps.
- 2. Confiscation chewing gum, aerosols (of any description), cigarettes (including ecigarettes), tobacco, lighters, matches, alcohol, energy drinks and any other sugary drinks. Any of these items will be confiscated and destroyed.
- 3. Healthy eating we do have healthy school status and to this end could you please remind your son or daughter of the need to eat and drink well during the day. Eating unhealthy food on a regular basis, such as crisps, chocolates and sweets, leads to all sorts of other health and behavioural problems. Your support in discouraging these items on a daily basis is greatly appreciated.
- 4. Nuts we have several students with severe nut allergies and they could suffer badly if they come into the slightest of contact with nuts or nut products. Therefore, we would be grateful for your support in ensuring that no nuts or nut products are brought into school.

Obviously, you are aware that OFSTED visited us last week; it normally takes around a month for the report to be published and when we have it, I will write to you with my thoughts.

Yours sincerely

Mr K Prytherch

Executive Principal

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