



Carnforth High School

Dear Parent/ Person having parental responsibility,

I am writing to you to inform you of some important changes that are taking place after the Easter break.

Year 7 Year Leader

Ms Murtagh will be joining us after the Easter break in the role of Year Leader for Year 7. This will be a welcome addition to the pastoral team, and Ms Murtagh is looking forward to working with Year 7 as they continue their journey at Carnforth High School. Year 7 have met Ms Murtagh and we look forward to welcoming her into our school community.

Uniform

Over the Spring term there has been a decline in the standards of student uniform across year groups. In recent weeks the students have been reminded of the standards expected. We have held assemblies and delivered messages in form, as well as a uniform check on the entrance to school to remind students of the expectations. The majority of students have corrected minor issues, or are in the process of doing so.

The parental handbook contains our full uniform policy. Below are some reminders of the policy.

- Trainers and canvas pumps (converse style trainers) are not appropriate for school. Students should be wearing formal shoes.
- Facial piercings are not allowed in school.
- Hoodies are not allowed in school.
- Students should have a school jumper, even if they wish to take it off due to warm temperatures.
- Outdoor coats are not to be worn indoors

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- Jewellery – currently students are allowed to wear a necklace underneath their uniform (it should not be visible), one plain stud in each ear and one plain ring.
- Skirts must be black, pleated skirts.

Our school shop has replacement items for sale through the school website at:

<https://www.carnforthhighuniform.com/shop>

Equipment

After the Easter break students will be expected to have the correct equipment when they return. Students are required to have the following items for school; **black/blue pen, green pen, purple pen, pencil, ruler, whiteboard (pen and wiper), glue stick, scientific calculator and their plastic folder**. The school stationery shop has a number of these items available to order. We will also be opening the stationery shop again in school twice a week to enable students to top up their items. It would be helpful if students could check they have all the items in the list above before they return to school.

If you require support with providing students with the required equipment or uniform outlined in the parental handbook, please do not hesitate to contact your child's Year Leader.

We look forward to welcoming all students back to school after Easter and ensuring a smooth start to the final term of the academic year.

Yours sincerely,

Miss L Leck.