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Dear Parent/Carer

Standards and Expectations

As we approach the Easter holidays and following a period of grace as students have returned to school, this seems an appropriate time to revisit our standards and expectations as we move into the summer term and begin to return to some kind of normality.

'Give Me 5' is a simple and memorable way of summarising our high expectations. The poster below clearly displays our five expectations and I hope you will agree these are standards that our community would want from all young people both in and out of school.

Sackville School

Give Me 5



Sackville is a **Rights Respecting School**
Our school has high expectations, in that we:

-  Display a **POSITIVE ATTITUDE** and try our best
-  **RESPECT** the school, one another and use appropriate language
-  **BEHAVE RESPECTFULLY** and follow staff instructions
-  Follow the **UNIFORM CODE**
-  Are part of a **RESPECTFUL COMMUNITY** and support one another

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Together We Achieve



School Uniform

We fully appreciate that school uniform has been more difficult to purchase during the lockdown period and that many students have demonstrated their individuality with regards to haircuts and colour. I would appreciate that parents assist students in addressing issues regarding uniform and appearance over the Easter period so they can return to school ready to learn and following our uniform guidelines.



It is also worth noting that as the weather improves in the summer term students will no longer be permitted to wear coats / non-Sackville jumpers in classrooms.

Uniform guidelines are set out in the tables below and can be viewed on the school website by following this link, <https://sackville.w-sussex.sch.uk/wp-content/uploads//2015/04/uniform-website.pdf>

Girls

Navy pleated skirt	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Knee length or just above
Navy tailored trousers of a boot cut or straight leg variety	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No skin tight trousers • No leggings, jeggings, jeans or jean style trousers, wide flares, culottes or shorts • No belts with a visible buckle
Light blue blouse with revered collar	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Any garment worn underneath must not be seen at all
Navy V neck jumper with school logo	
White, black or navy socks OR flesh coloured/black tights	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No multi-coloured socks • No leggings instead of tights
Black, flat footwear	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No high heels, decorations or any other colour, boots of any kind or sandal style • Canvas shoes are permitted

Boys

Charcoal grey or black trousers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No light grey trousers • No excessively tight trousers • No jeans style trousers or jeans
Navy V neck jumper with school logo	
Blue shirt with collar	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The neck must be wide enough for the top button to be comfortably fastened • Any garment worn underneath must not be seen at all
Navy clip on tie with the school logo	
Black shoes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No different coloured decoration or logo or boots of any kind • Canvas shoes are permitted

In addition to the above it is also worth noting that:

- No jewellery is acceptable other than a wrist watch and a set of plain stud earrings. Any other piercings of any kind will be asked to be removed.
- Shirts must be worn tucked in.
- Nail varnish and acrylic nails are not permitted.
- Extreme haircuts and colours are not permitted. Grade 2 or below and tram lines of any description are not allowed. For girls hair colour must be natural and dip dyes are not acceptable.
- Make up by girls in year 9 or above must be discreet, particularly eye make-up.

At Sackville we believe that 'Together we Achieve' and parents can support the school in educating students in how best to behave in a respectful, responsible and appropriate way, ensuring all students uphold our high expectations.

As always, I thank you for supporting us to ensure that all Sackville students can be really proud of their appearance, behaviour and conduct. Should you have any questions about the uniform or our high expectations then please do not hesitate to contact me or your child's Year Leader.

Finally, I wish you all a very relaxing and pleasant Easter break.

Mr P Street
Deputy Head