

CHOSEN HILL SCHOOL & SIXTH FORM

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Registered Office

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Dear Parent/Carer

I am writing to you with some reminders relating to school expectations around the dress code.

The school has two upcoming events in July which involve non-school uniform. The first is Purple Hollie Day on Friday 4 July, raising money for the Hollie Gazzard Trust. The school has previously helped to raise money for this charity. We are asking for a minimum £1.00 donation via the School Gateway to help continue the great work the Trust does. The second is throughout Enrichment week.

Can we remind students, parents and carers that Purple Hollie Day and Enrichment week are school days, and we ask that students adhere to an acceptable dress code. This means:

- No revealing, low or cropped tops;
- No shorts or skirts above the mid thigh;
- No sliders, flips flops or crocs on health and safety grounds.

In addition, I would like to emphasise that normal school rules apply to makeup and jewellery e.g. no false nails, eye lashes and additional piercings apart from a single stud in each ear lobe. The school has had concerns in the past about Health & Safety particularly concerning false nails and jewellery during Enrichment week. Moreover, some students have received consequences the week after as a result of not following the dress code e.g. keeping false nails on.

During the non-uniform day and Enrichment week, students who choose not to comply with this guidance will be asked to borrow school uniform from the Hub and remove makeup and jewellery.

I would be grateful if you could share this letter with your child so that they are reminded of the school's expectations.

Yours faithfully

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