

14th December 2020

Dear Parent/Carer

UPDATE ON PE KIT - YR 9

It has been wonderful to welcome back our pupils to school physical education, over the last term we have completed a phased return to low intensity activities to aid with pupil physical fitness.

As part of our enhanced procedures in response to the COVID-19 pandemic update and latest government guidelines for schools, we have changed some of the arrangements for physical education (PE) from Tuesday 5th January (week 2).

The details are as follows:

- Children in **Year 9** should come to school in St John Bosco PE kit **under** their blazer on their PE days, even if they are injured, feel they can't fully participate practically.
 - Trainers
 - Black socks (spare pair in case socks get wet from being outside)
 - St John Bosco PE top
 - St John Bosco PE shorts
 - St John Bosco PE Fleece (*optional*)
 - Plain black leggings (*optional*)
 - **Plain black** sports sweatshirt/thin, plain black waterproof sports jacket (*optional*)
- PE lessons will continue to be outdoors as much as possible (rain won't stop us learning, unless it is torrential) or in the large sports hall to ensure good ventilation and adequate space.
- Blazers will be removed for the PE lesson and left in pupil classrooms.

Maintaining high standards of uniform is an important part of the St John Bosco Arts College aspirations, our school PE kit is an extension of our uniform and reflects our identity as a team, community and encourages students to take pride in themselves and their school. Students must **not** wear any item of clothing with large logos or any other colour than black.

Which day of the week does your child need to wear their PE kit to school?

Week 1		Week 2	
Monday	9O, 9B	Monday	
Tuesday		Tuesday	9B
Wednesday	9S	Wednesday	
Thursday	9O, 9C, 9T	Thursday	9C, 9T
Friday	9J	Friday	9J, 9S

Thank you for your ongoing support during these uncertain times. Should you have any further concerns or queries, please do not hesitate to contact us.

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