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**I will be going to secondary
school in September!**

A Social Story to help me.



I am starting secondary school in September...

School starts in September and I am excited to be in Year 7!

I am feeling nervous about meeting new people, but I know I will make new friends.

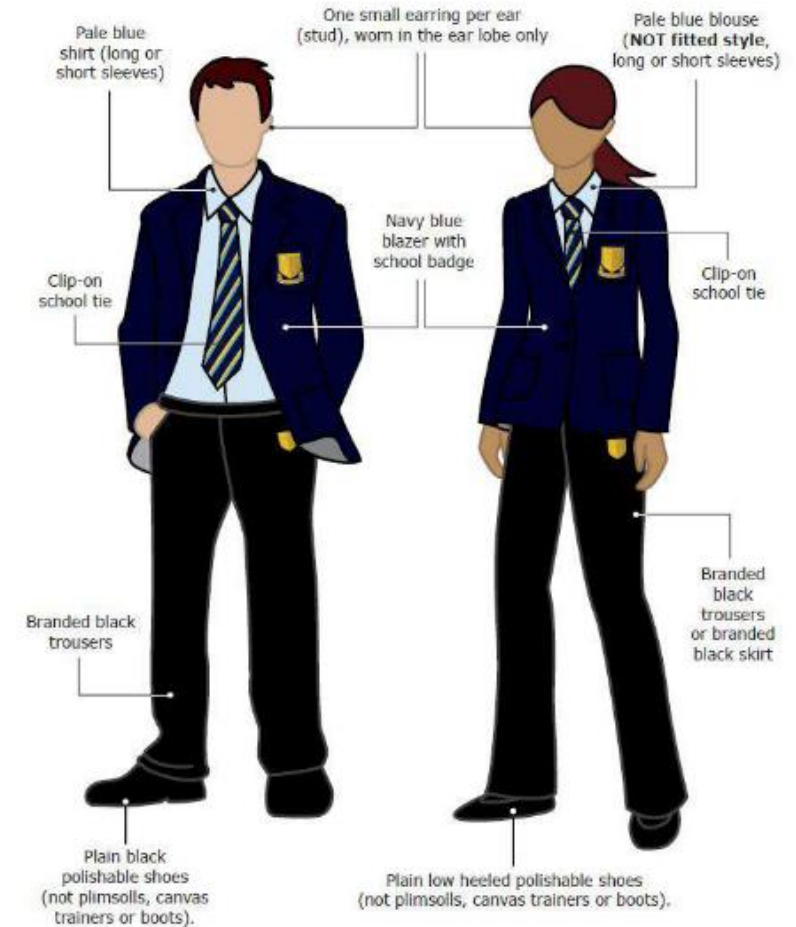
I am feeling anxious about my new school, but I am excited to be in all my new lessons.

When I have a question, I am not afraid to ask a member of staff.



My new school uniform!

- ✓ Academy blazer – Navy blue with academy badge, it can only be taken off in class **WITH a teacher's permission**.
- ✓ School shirt - Pale blue long or short-sleeved shirt, must be tucked in at all times.
- ✓ Clip-on academy tie - Must be worn over school shirt at all times.
- ✓ School skirt or trousers – Academy branded black skirt or trousers.
- ✓ Shoes – black, low-heeled, and polishable. **NO plimsolls, canvas trainers or boots.**



My typical school day...

There are 6 classroom periods every day that last 50 minutes each. We also have 20 minutes for break time, which is followed by form time with our tutor groups. Lunch time is 40 minutes.



Period 1	8:45 – 9:35
Period 2	9:36 – 10:26
Break	10:27 – 10:47
Tutor time	10:47 – 11:10
Period 3	11:11 – 12:01
Lunch (Period 4a)	12:02 – 12:42
Period 4b	12:43 – 13:33
Period 5	13:34 – 14:24
Period 6	14:25 – 15:10



! Always use the one-way system !

Break and lunch times



This is the Old All Weather Pitch,
where you will be for breaks and
lunches

In Year 7, you share break and lunch
times with Year 8 and Year 9

You can get your food from Archie's
or the food truck opposite to the Old
All Weather Pitch!



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Student reception

This is where you go to get help, for example:

- Accidents
- Statements
- Illnesses
- Spare uniform
- Lost and Found

And more...



You can find your Head of Year at student reception as well!

The one-way system



What is the one-way system?



Why do we have to use it?

This is the system that we use during school times when moving from classroom to classroom. We walk in a unison direction to our classrooms.

We use the one-way system to ensure that all students can move around the school smoothly and as quickly as possible.

Academy vision and values

*“Life in all its
fulness”*

Aspiration

Wisdom

Service

Compassionate

Humility

Respect



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