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Dear Parent / Carer

Earrings in school

Please be reminded that your child should not wear jewellery to school.

Earrings pose a considerable Health & Safety Risk and in the past serious accidents have been caused which are very distressing to both parent and child.

Please be advised that although covering earrings with plasters is a temporary measure used in the initial period when children have their ears pierced it is not intended as a permanent solution.

I would like to take the opportunity to remind you of the school uniform rules regarding the wearing of jewellery:

Jewellery

For reasons of health and safety the wearing of all jewellery is not permitted. Wristwatches are allowed. If your child wishes to have their ears pierced, we ask that you do this at the beginning of the summer break. This will provide sufficient time for 'healing'. If the 'healing process' has not taken place by the beginning of term, ears MUST be covered by plasters and then removed as soon as possible.

Nails & Make-Up

Please be reminded that, we do not accept the wearing of false eyelashes, makeup, or painted/ fake nails.

As with earrings there is the additional health & safety concern that nail extensions can be 'pulled' off during sports, P.E classes or during outside play. This would be very distressing to both parent and child.

School reserves the right to make the decision to ask students to remove nail varnish. Nail varnish, nail polish, shellac gel, acrylic nails, false nails, and French manicures etc. are not permitted.

As you are aware earrings, makeup, nail polish and nail extensions are not part of our school uniform policy and I would respectfully urge you to adhere to these guidelines to protect the safety of your child and others.

I would like to thank you for your continued support in keeping our children safe.

Yours sincerely
Mr A Rigby



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