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Principal: Mrs J. Diaz BSc (Hons) NPQH

Dear Parent or Carer

16th March 2017

NEW HOLCOMBE SCHOOL UNIFORM

Please see below our plans for the phasing in of the new Holcombe uniform.

Students in Year 7 (from September 2017)

- Grey Holcombe blazer with badge
- White shirt
- Holcombe tie
- Charcoal grey trousers
- Black or dark grey socks
- Black shoes
- Black v-neck pullover (optional)

PE:

- Holcombe PE top
- Holcombe PE shorts
- Holcombe rugby shirt
- Black socks

The new uniform will be compulsory for Year 7 students from 2017 and we are asking that **all students in Years 7 – 11 are wearing the new uniform by September 2019**

Between September 2017 and September 2019 we will be phasing in the uniform as follows:

Students in Years 10 and 11 (in Sep 2017)

- New Holcombe tie
- Year 10 white shirt; Year 11 grey shirt
- Black blazer with new Holcombe badge (this can either be a new blazer purchased from Simmonds or a sew-on badge available from the school)
- Black trousers
- 'old' PE kit

Students in Years 8 and 9 (from Sep 2017 until July 2019)

- Black blazer with new Holcombe badge, new tie and black trousers, **OR**
- New grey Holcombe blazer with new Holcombe tie and charcoal trousers
- White shirt

PE:

- 'old' Holcombe PE kit **OR** 'new' Holcombe PE kit

School ties

From September 2017, new Holcombe ties will be £5.95. The School wishes all students to be wearing the new tie from September 2017 so will be offering the tie for sale directly from the school or from Simmonds for £4 for a limited period until the end of August. It is hoped that this will enable all parents to be able to purchase a new tie. We will let you know when ties are in stock.

All of the new uniform will be available to purchase in school on the evening of Thursday June 29th between 15:30 and 19:00. There will be a 10% discount on the night.

Please telephone Simmonds customer services on 01892 837202 or go to www.Simmonds-ltd.com if you require any further information.

The school office are also able to deal with any questions you may have so please do not hesitate to email or telephone.

Yours sincerely



Juliet Diaz
Principal