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Dear Parents

A NEW WAY OF DEALING WITH UNIFORM INFRACTIONS

At GCCC we have high expectations of student uniform. A student wearing their uniform well communicates pride in themselves and their school. It communicates that they take their responsibility to learn and to contribute positively to their school seriously and are ready to try their best.

Unfortunately the uniform is generally not being worn at the requisite standard at present.

As of next Monday March 12 the following procedure will be put in place for those students who are not correctly attired;

A) If the infringement is easily rectified the student will correct the problem, for example taking extra earring out, remove make up, pull up socks. A disciplinary consequence will then be applied.

B) If the infringement is not easily rectified for example wrong uniform on wrong day, wrong shoes, wrong socks, wrong schoolbag etc parents will be contacted to either bring to school the necessary uniform articles to rectify the problem or to collect their child from school. If parents are not in a position to do this then the person who is listed as an emergency contact for the student will be contacted.

Attached to this letter is the College Uniform Policy. Please read this and ensure that your child is given every opportunity to comply with it.

This procedure, along with a thorough refresher of uniform standards, will be communicated to all students via assembly and student notices.

We understand that there will be occasions where an article of uniform will be missing due to wet weather, the article is lost etc. For this reason the following procedure must apply,

A) Student must have a note from parent explaining why the student is without the article

B) If the problem will require longer than two days to be rectified, the parent needs to contact the Head of School or Middle School Coordinator (as appropriate) to negotiate the time frame for when the article is to be replaced

C) In the interim an article as close to the missing one will be worn. This alternative should be negotiated with the Head of School, Middle School Coordinator or me

Thank you for your corporation and your support in improving the uniform standards of our GREAT College.

Yours sincerely

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