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Dear Parents and Carers

PE Kit Expectations and Extra Curricular Clubs

I would like to take this opportunity to introduce myself, my name is Ms Sarah Felton, and I am the new Director of Sport at Queen Elizabeth School. I am delighted to be joining the school and look forward to working closely with both students and parents to provide high-quality sporting experiences and opportunities for all to engage in healthy active lifestyles.

As part of my role, it is essential that I ensure all pupils can participate safely in Physical Education lessons in line with health and safety and national guidance. I would like to remind parents and carers of our expectations regarding QES PE kit.

PE Kit Expectations

All students are expected to bring their PE kit to every PE lesson, including occasions when they are unable to participate due to injury or illness. If your child is injured and unable to take part, please provide them with a note explaining the circumstances and the teacher will decide what the pupil will do within the lesson.

Students must wear the correct PE kit as outlined in the department's kit policy and published on the school website please see link here. The required kit includes:

- A QES PE T-shirt
- QES branded or plain black tracksuit bottoms
- QES shorts or plain black shorts
- QES leggings or plain black leggings
- Black football socks
- Trainers
- Football boots

Please note that flared trousers, bootcut trousers and cycling shorts are not permitted. All PE bottoms must be plain black, with no visible branding or logos.

Students who arrive without their PE kit, or who are wearing incorrect PE kit, will be provided with the appropriate clothing for the lesson wherever possible. They will also receive a

correction in line with the school's policy. This approach ensures that all students can participate safely in lessons and continue their learning.

Jewellery and Safety

To help prevent injury and damage to personal belongings, all jewellery must be removed before participating in PE lessons. Religious items may be worn if they can be safely covered with a sweatband or secured appropriately.

Extra-curricular Sport

An important part of my role is ensuring that students have access to a wide range of extra-curricular sporting opportunities. Attached to this letter is a copy of this half-term's extra-curricular timetable.

There is no charge for students to attend these sessions. Once you have signed up to the club in Arbor, students should report directly to the PE changing rooms at 3.00 pm on the day of the club. All clubs will finish at 4.00 pm unless otherwise stated.

Celebrating Sporting Success

I am also keen to celebrate the achievements of our pupils beyond school. If your child has participated in a sporting event or competition outside school and you are happy for us to share their success with the wider school community and/or on our social media platforms, please feel free to contact me directly by email.

Thank you for your continued support. I look forward to meeting many of you throughout the year and to celebrating the sporting achievements of our students together.

Yours faithfully,

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