



# THE CORBET SCHOOL

Headteacher Dr Jane Tinker BSc MA(Ed) EdD NPQH

19 July 2024

Dear Parents / Carers

I hope this letter finds you well. As we approach the end of the academic year, I would like to take this opportunity to express my gratitude for your ongoing support and commitment to our school community.

I thought this was an ideal time to remind everyone of some basic, but important school rules we have at The Corbet School in preparation for the next academic year.

First and foremost, I want to commend the vast majority of our pupils for their dedication to maintaining a positive and cohesive school environment through adherence to uniform & appearance guidelines. We believe that a consistent and smart appearance fosters a sense of pride and unity among our pupils and is strongly encouraged by the DfE.

From the start of September, we request that the following guidelines are adhered to by all:

Aspect of Uniform and Appearance	Expectation
School issue polo shirt	Years 7-10 Sky blue Year 11- White
School issue sweatshirt	Years 7-10 Navy Year 11- Burgundy
Skirt	Dark grey or black standard school skirt which <u>should be to the knee in length.</u>
Trousers	Dark grey or black standard trousers.
Belts	Black with a standard buckle
Tights	Grey, black, navy, or neutral.
Shoes	Black school style shoes
Socks	Black
Jewellery	One wristwatch is allowed in school – no other jewellery is acceptable.

## Prohibited Items

- Fashion skirts or school skirts rolled up and worn inappropriately short.
- Leggings, denim, and chino trousers
- Unauthorised footwear e.g. backless shoes, flimsy sandals or high heeled shoes, boots, trainers, or canvas style footwear
- Coloured t-shirts worn underneath school polo shirts (white is permitted)
- Fashion belts
- Demin or leather jackets; hoodies
- Badges (other than those awarded by the school).

Company Number: 07721594  
Registered Office: The Corbet School  
Eyton Lane, Baschurch, Shropshire. SY4 2AX  
Telephone: 01939 260296 Fax: 01939 262009  
Email: admin@corbetschool.net  
www.corbetschool.net





# THE CORBET SCHOOL

*Headteacher Dr Jane Tinker BSc MA(Ed) EdD NPQH*

## **Make-up, haircuts, Jewellery**

- The wearing of make-up is not permitted. However, a skin tone foundation/concealer will be accepted if this is only a light coverage. The following are not permitted to be worn at school; mascara, eyeliner, eyeshadow, blusher, lipstick or lip-gloss, heavily pencilled eyebrows, false nails, nail extensions, nail varnish, false eyelashes, shading/contouring.
- Extreme haircuts e.g., undercuts or lines/patterns in hair for example, or non-natural colours are not permitted.
- No jewellery is allowed in school, except a watch. If pupils are planning on having piercings, then this must be done at the start of the summer holiday so that they can be removed prior to starting back to school in September. The school does not allow earrings to be covered up with plasters.

Uniform and Appearance will be monitored daily by both Tutors and Heads of Year. Every opportunity will be given for pupils to conform to the guidelines and rectify any identified issues. However, refusal to follow the guidance will result in escalated sanctions being issued.

Our experience is that we prevent misunderstandings by being very precise about our expectations.

Wishing you all a pleasant summer.

Yours sincerely

*Jane Tinker*

Dr Jane Tinker  
Headteacher

Company Number: 07721594  
Registered Office: The Corbet School  
Eyton Lane, Baschurch, Shropshire. SY4 2AX  
Telephone: 01939 260296 Fax: 01939 262009  
Email: [admin@corbetschool.net](mailto:admin@corbetschool.net)  
[www.corbetschool.net](http://www.corbetschool.net)

INSPIRE • ACHIEVE • SUCCEED

