



Monday 17th April 2023

Dear Parent(s)/ Guardian(s),

I hope this letter finds you well. As we prepare for the last term of the year, I am writing to inform you that **students in 6th year** will no longer be required to wear the school uniform.

After careful consideration and consultation with both students, staff and our Parents Association, we have decided to implement this change. We believe that as students near the end of their time with us, they should be given more autonomy and treated as young adults. Allowing them to dress in their own clothes will help them to feel more comfortable and confident in their own skin.

Please note that while we will no longer enforce a uniform policy for 6th year students, we do expect them to dress appropriately for the school environment. This means no offensive or inappropriate clothing, such as revealing attire or clothing with offensive language or imagery. However, the School Uniform will be required to be worn for all **State Examinations** in June but also in May for all **Leaving Cert Practical Exams, Orals, LCVP Exams** etc. Furthermore, all end of year Events (Award ceremonies/ Summer Celebrations etc) will also require students to present in Full School Uniform.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this change, please do not hesitate to contact me. We look forward to seeing our 6th year students thrive in this new environment.

Sincerely,

John Nolan
Principal.