Dear Parent/Carer,

Welcome back to the new school year! I hope you have had a wonderful summer.

## Uniform Adaptations:

As the Summer has decided to extend to us a few more days of glorious weather with temperatures forecast to be above 27 degrees for the week we have taken the decision to start the school year by allowing students to wear amended uniform.

This means that for the remainder of the week, unless we communicate otherwise, students can choose to wear:

- Normal uniform but without jumpers
- School PE kit, this is:
  - Wildern Green PE Top
  - Wildern Green PE Shorts
  - Black Leggings
  - Trainers

Students who choose to wear PE kit must ensure it is a Wildern PE kit and no alternatives. Black shorts are not acceptable.

Please ensure that students bring in a refillable water bottle and are prepared for any outdoor sessions and break time by wearing suncream. A suitable sunhat (cap) to shield from the sun outside is also an option.

## Meeting Me Conversations

A reminder that these take place for years 8-11 on Tuesday and Wednesday this week. You have had a time sent through to you and all students must attend in their PE kit or Uniform choice. The meetings will take place in your child's tutor base. Parents are welcome to attend in person, or online if they are able.

## Year 11 Study Sessions

These sessions also take place on Tuesday and Wednesday as per the email sent to you that detailed the time for the Meeting Me appointment and which day the study session was taking place. Students should arrive at 8:45 to register and pick up their timetable from the School Gymnasium. Year 11 students can also attend in their PE kit or Uniform choice.

## **RAAC Concrete**

You may have seen reports nationally on school closures due to RAAC concrete. Our school buildings are fully open and in use and we will communicate any further updates on this with you as we are updated by the DFE.

We are really looking forward to welcoming everyone back and for a successful year ahead.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Oakley